

Services at Christ Church
13.09.09

earlychurch@9am Holy Communion or Morning Worship with Anglican Liturgy, Hymns and Sermon.

This week: Morning Prayer

Theme: Transforming others through Prayer

Reading: Ephesians 3: 14-21
John 17: 6-19

allagechurch@10:45am. Lively worship for all ages. Crèche is provided every week with Children's Groups most weeks.

This week: Holy Communion

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latechurch@7pm. Informal and contemporary worship.

This week: Evening Celebration

Theme: Transforming others through Prayer

Reading: Ephesians 3: 14-21

Pathway

together@10:30am

Pathway are meeting informally in a number of different locations over the summer.

Our next service is in the Pearson Rd building will be Sunday 13th September.

Usually meeting at Inham Nook
Methodist Church on Pearson Avenue
(Inham Road).

For more information please contact the Pathway leadership team:
leaders@pathwaychilwell.org.uk or
phone 07005980929
http://www.pathwaychilwell.org.uk/
programme

Prayer Groups

Wednesday morning prayers.

Don't forget the early morning prayer group on Wednesday in the upper room between 7am-7.30am. It means you can come on your way to work!!!
For further details contact Margaret Stone on 9678297 or m-stone5@sky.com



Friday morning prayers

Everyone welcome to join Friday morning prayers in the lower room between 9.15am-10.00am. For further details contact Fran Beedell on 9227730

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WELCOME

Welcome to our service of praise and worship to our Lord Jesus Christ, and we hope you feel a part of the family of God as we join together today in his name.

Young People Worker Placement Students

I want to thank you once again for the magnificent response at a difficult time financially that made it possible for Christ Church Parish to enter into an exciting partnership with the Centre for Youth Ministry at St John's College. The partnership is to give two students a three year training placement that would allow them to offer 28 hours of ministry in the youth work of the parish. We have worked hard to find the right people. We were impressed by Jules Walton and she brings a good range of gifts and experience of church life, a number of you may have met her for the first time at Swanwick. We immediately offered Jules a place along with another male student (who has since withdrew at late notice) and we have been searching for a suitable replacement since then. St Johns have now assisted us in our search by recommending an excellent student studying the Children and families module rather than the Youth Work module, he too was looking for a placement and brings gifts that may be a good fit for some of our needs. Nigel Adams, Jenny Corcoran and Gina Cavanagh interviewed him on our behalf and recommended that we offer him a placement. The wardens and I believed that a placement for a Children's and families worker was a sufficiently different proposal to that originally presented and we required a wider leadership consultation if we were to offer a placement. We held an extra meeting of the PCC on Tuesday 2nd September. I am now delighted to inform you that the PCC was overwhelming in favour of offering Tim Bevington a place. He has now accepted and we look forward to having Jules and Tim with us for the next three years. I have as Vicar written a letter to those who gave specifically to the project.

Alan Howe, Vicar

A DAY CONFERENCE FOR THE MINISTRY OF WHOLENESS AND HEALING

Saturday 21st November 2009—12noon to 5.30pm

A day for exploration and encouragement for churches. Speakers Rt Rev Tony Porter, Rev Paul Bentley, Rev Beatrice Brandon and Very Rev Dr Jeff Cuttell. Cost £5. Venue: Christ Church, Thievesdale Lane, Worksop, Notts. To book and for more information contact Catriona Gundlach on 01636 817232.

A NIGHT (not entirely) AT THE OPERA!

Saturday 17th October, Christ Church, 7.30pm

A concert by musicians and singers from Christ Church with a varied programme—violin, flute, organ and opera ranging from Back to Gershwin, Puccini to Gilbert & Sullivan. Look out for the flier at back of church soon for more details. Bring all your friends along! Ticket Price £5 adults, £3 children. Tickets available in Church from Sunday 20th September and from the office on 9222809. All proceeds to HOPENG9

EVENING CELEBRATION here at Christ Church this evening, Sunday 13th September at 7pm. Theme: Transforming others through prayer.

WHAT'S YOUR FAVOURITE HYMN OR SONG?

The 9 a.m. service planning team surely took a wise decision in deciding to postpone our annual **Songs of Praise** service.

It will now take place on **BACK TO CHURCH SUNDAY, 27th SEPTEMBER.**

This provides an opportunity not only to choose *your* favourite hymn or song but also, just as important, to invite any you know whose church attendance has lapsed.

Mission Praise offers a wide selection of traditional hymns and modern songs and we shall hope to include a mixture of the two.

Please hand in your choices by Sunday 20th September but it will be helpful if you can make your choice known before then. You can hand them to me, leave them in the post box at the back of church or in the office, or email them to me at colinlater@mac.com.

Please say why it's your favourite and, if it's associated with a personal event, please give as full details as possible. We pray to have a really inspiring time together - and we shall if you make your selection! **Colin Slater**

CAFÉ BLEND IS BACK!

When: Every Tuesday 10.30am to 11.45am. Where: At the back of church

Everyone is welcome to drop in for free drinks, biscuits and cakes. There is space for children to play, and free Wi-Fi is also available. Come along and bring your friends!

SALLY BARTON

Sally Barton is moving and her new address is 8 Chelmsford Road, South Woodford, London E18 2PL and new telephone number 0208 504 7981. Please pray for her and Ian (Tarrant) as he is licensed as the new rector of St Mary's Woodford on 6th September

PARISH PRAYER MEETING

Monday 14th September, 7:30pm in Christ Church. All welcome to come and pray!

JEWELLERY VALUATIONS

On Thursday 17th September, a team of jewellery experts will be available in the Lounge To offer free valuations. No appointment necessary. They may also buy unwanted gold.

ALPHA

Alpha Introductory Supper

7.30pm October 8th at Christ Church, an entertaining evening with good food and a great speaker: Jean Lupton, Alpha Adviser for Derbyshire
The Alpha course starts w/c 12th October. If you have questions about the Christian faith that you would like to explore then come along to Alpha.

Contact Nigel Adams for more information

Alpha Training Day

For all those wanting to be involved in any aspect of this year's Alpha course
19th September 9.30am – 3.30pm at Christ Church

Led by Jean Lupton Alpha Adviser for Derbyshire and Nigel Adams Alpha Adviser for Nottinghamshire

More details and booking form available at the back of church

Catering for Alpha

We will be contacting all small groups to ask those that can to provide catering for one week each during the course. If any individuals would also like to prepare meals for Alpha, please contact the church office

TO ALL DEANERY SYNOD MEMBERS, CLERGY & READERS

Safeguarding Children

I have been asked to advertise the following training course on September 16th and 23rd. The venue is St Margaret's in Aspley; the time is 7:30 to 9:30 and both sessions must be attended. This event is advertised in the CME booklet and is taken by Nick Harding and Barbara Selley. Anyone covered by a CRB certificate must attend suitable training during the three year span of the certificate.

Anyone wishing to attend can book via Family Care on 0115 960 3010

Thanks Rachel, Nottingham North & Nottingham South Deaneries

HARVEST QUIZ

Enjoy Mastermind, Who Wants to be a Millionaire, or Trivial Pursuit? Your chance is coming to show off your vast knowledge of trivia and general knowledge!

An opportunity to raise vast amounts of money for Springs Nottingham, the charity set up by Brian and Sally Hodges. Tickets available soon and more details to follow so start warming up those brain cells!

PIANIST NEEDED

Queenswood Methodist Home for the Aged are looking for someone who could play the piano for their Thursday morning services occasionally when their regular pianist cannot attend. Could anybody who would be willing to assist please contact the chaplain, George Seabury, <georgeseabury@hotmail.co.uk> for more info.

DONATIONS OF HOUSEHOLD WHITE GOODS URGENTLY REQUIRED

Andy Moran at St Barnabas is kindly requesting help from anyone who has unwanted white goods which are in still in good working order. A local young lady is moving back into the Chilwell area and is setting up her new home. Beds, TV, washer, fridge, microwave etc required. Please contact Percy on 0777 9852592. With thanks

