



**Services at Christ Church**  
**15.03.09**

**earlychurch@9am** Holy Communion or Morning Worship with Anglican Liturgy, Hymns and Sermon.  
*This week:* Holy Communion 2  
*Theme:* Jesus the bread of life  
Psalm 78: 12-29      John 6:25-40

**allagechurch@10:45am.** Lively worship for all ages. Crèche is provided every week with Children's Groups most weeks.  
*This week:* Morning Worship  
*Theme:* Jesus the bread of life  
John 6:25-40

**latechurch@7pm.** Informal and contemporary worship.  
*This week:* Holy Communion  
*Theme:* Jesus the bread of life  
John 6:25-40

**Prayer Time at Christ Church**  
(during term time):

**Friday 9:00-9:45am** In the Lower room

**Pathway**

**together@10:30am** Pathway meets 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

**DAILY READINGS**  
**COMMENCING 16.03.2009**

**Mon** Psalms 123, 124, 126  
Jeremiah 11:1-17      John 7:37-52  
**Tues** Psalms 132, 133  
Jeremiah 11:18-12:6      John 7:53-8:11  
**Wed** Psalm 119:153-end  
Jeremiah: 13:1-11      John 8:12-30  
**Thur** Psalms 25, 147:1-12  
Isaiah 11:1-10      Matt. 13:54-end  
**Fri** Psalms 142, 144  
Jeremiah 15:10-end      John 8:48-end  
**Sat** Psalm 147  
Jeremiah 16:10-17:4      John 9:1-17

**CHURCH OFFICE**

Administrator: Kathryn Britton  
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Mon - Fri 9:15am-1:00 & 2:00-3:45pm  
If you want to place something in the Church Notices send to the office by email, or in writing, by **Wednesday 12:00 noon** please.

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**15th March 2009**

**WELCOME !!** Thank you for joining us today as we meet to worship our Lord Jesus Christ. We pray that you will feel part of His family here. If you are new please make yourself known to us – there are welcome cards at Christ Church on the table by the door to complete and hand in if you wish. Please do stay with us after the service for refreshments and a chat or if you would value prayer with the prayer ministry team who are always available after the service.

As announced last week our parish Administrator Kathryn Britton is moving on at Easter. We wish her and her husband Simon well as they move to Croydon.

A Vacancy therefore exists for a new Administrator. This is a 30 hour per week role. As always we are re-examining the role and it may be a little different but we ask you to pray that God raises up the right person for this vital work. One additional duty that has arisen as we seek to keep pastoral contact with the large family of Christians that worship with us is the maintaining and developing of a pastoral database and therefore we are seeking a person with the gifts to take this on.

If you or someone you know feels called to apply for the post, we hope to have a package of information available on or around March 18th. In addition to the core role which is salaried we are definitely looking for volunteers to supplement the post with regular 'shifts' of reception cover and telephone duty. Again please pray to see if this means you.

*Alan Howe—Vicar of Chilwell Parish*



### PARISH PRAYER MEETING

The next Parish prayer meeting is at 7.30pm on Thursday 26th March at Pearson Avenue Methodist Church.

### CHANGE OF ADDRESS

John & Sylvia Branfield have moved to: 4, Cedar Court, Cedar Avenue, Beeston, NG9 2HB. Please also note a new telephone number—0115 925 6948.

### FROM EDEN TO ETERNITY

A production by Saltmine theatre company on the story of everything and a presentation from Wycliffe Bible Translators sharing an inspiring glimpse into how the Bible is being brought to life today in Nigeria. This entertaining evening is touring the country and will be at Trent Vineyard, Lenton on Wednesday 18th March starting at 7.30pm. Tickets are £6 and are available from [www.saltmine.org](http://www.saltmine.org) or 01384 454808.

### TRAIIDCRAFT

As some of you may know Kathryn and I will be moving area shortly. We'd therefore like someone/some people to take over as Traidcraft reps for Christ Church. If you are interested, please contact me for further information—967 8315 or [s1britton@btinternet.com](mailto:s1britton@btinternet.com). Thank you Simon Britton.

### REVISION OF CHURCH ELECTORAL ROLL

The Church Electoral Roll is being updated. If you are not currently on the Roll and you wish to take a full part in the Annual General Meeting now is your chance. Anyone who is aged 16 or over (or will be 16 during the next 12 months) and complies with the conditions laid down in the formal notice on the notice-board may join the Roll. Enrolment forms are available at the back of Church. Completed forms must be returned by Sun. 6<sup>th</sup> April either to the office or in box at the back of Church. If you are already listed on the Roll, you do not need to re-apply this year. The current Roll is displayed on the Welcome Desk. Graham Gardner, Electoral Roll Secretary, (Tel: 9225950; e-mail: [annandgraham@ctlconnect.co.uk](mailto:annandgraham@ctlconnect.co.uk))

### FAIRTRADE FASHION SHOW

This year's Beeston Baptist Fair Trade Fashion Show will be held on Friday 27th March, 7:15 for 8 till 9:30pm. Tickets will be £5 including a £2 voucher to use when spending £10 or more on the clothes. Further details at [www.beestonbaptists.org.uk/whats-on/page2/](http://www.beestonbaptists.org.uk/whats-on/page2/) or via the church office tel 0115 925 8465 or email [office@beestonbaptists.org.uk](mailto:office@beestonbaptists.org.uk).

### PCC MEETING SUMMARY

The PCC met on Monday 9 March but we were unable to complete discussion of the items on the agenda. We are meeting again on Monday 6 April and will summarise the two meetings after this. If you have questions please ask us.

### THANK YOU

To everyone that helped make the senior citizens party happen. The office has received several thank you cards from those who attended.

### EASTER EGG HUNT PLANNING

There will be an Easter egg hunt planning meeting on Monday 16th March 8pm at Nigel's house—22, Clumber Avenue. All are welcome to plan this fun event.

### RAISE THE ROOF - LUNCH SWAP SUNDAY 29th MARCH

Would you like to help Liz Youngman in Ghana to raise funds to rebuild the roof of one of the schools she is supporting? If so, why not take part in this event which is for individuals, couples and families to get together to share a meal? The hosts provide hospitality for their visitors, and the visitors make a contribution to the Raise the Roof fund. Please complete a form at the back of church and we'll put you in touch with another family or you can make your own arrangements. In addition, you may wish to sponsor me on the sheet at the back of Church. I am doing a 10km run on Easter Monday. Thanks for your support. Chris Youngman 0115 922 9794.

**\*\*\*STOP PRESS—Over half the target has now been pledged. Thanks\*\*\***

### PAINTING AND PRAYER

This month will again be at my home—87, Cator Lane. **TODAY** 3-5pm. The theme will be 'Martha and Mary.' This invitation is for all who would like to explore prayer through colour and light. Further details from Veronica 925 1500.

### BAPTISM & REAFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM ON EASTER SUNDAY

Easter Sunday is a great day to acknowledge faith in our Saviour Jesus Christ, so the baptismal pool will be available at all 3 services. If you are interested in being baptised or re-affirming your baptism, please speak to a member of the staff team.

### IMPACT

The next Impact youth worship event is on Saturday 28th March 7pm at Wollaton Road Methodist Church. All young people age 11+ are welcome.

### CERTIFICATE IN CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

Could your discipleship and ministry do with some direction and focus? Then this course might be for you—it is 2 year course run by the diocese in small study groups. Come along to a taster evening to find out more. There is one on Tuesday 2nd June 7.30-9.30ppm at St Michael's Bramcote. For more information see the poster on the noticeboard.

### THANK YOU

John and Elizabeth Williams thank you all for your prayers, cards and concern for them both (John was a previous Vicar of Christ Church). John's health is improving, and they would value your continuing

### GIVING ENVELOPES

For those who use weekly giving envelopes, new sets are now available to collect from the back of Christ Church. If you would like to start giving via this method, please get in touch with the Church office.