



**DAILY READINGS
COMMENCING 17.11.2008**

Mon	Psalms 46, 47 Daniel 8:1-14	Revelation 10
Tues	Psalms 48, 52 Daniel 8:15-end	Revelation 11:1-14
Wed	Psalms 56, 57 Daniel 9:1-19	Rev. 11:15-end
Thur	Psalms 61, 62 Daniel 9:20-end	Revelation 12
Fri	Psalms 63, 65 Daniel 10:1-11:1	Revelation 13:1-10
Sat	Psalms 78:1-39 Daniel 12	Rev. 13:11-end

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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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**Services at Christ Church this week
16.11.2008**

earlychurch@9am Holy Communion
or Morning Worship with Anglican
Liturgy, Hymns and Sermon.
This week: Holy communion 2
Theme: The Holy spirit said...
Acts 13:1-5 John 16:5-11

allagechurch@10:30am. Lively
worship for all ages. Crèche is
provided every week with Children's
Groups most weeks.
This week: Morning worship
Theme: The Holy spirit said...
Acts 13:1-5

latechurch@7pm. Informal and
contemporary worship.
This week: Holy Communion
Theme: David: The Holy spirit said...
Acts 13:1-5

The Prayer times at Christ Church for
weeks (during term time):

Monday 9:00-9:45am In the Chancel
Friday 9:00-9:45am In the Lower room

Pathway

Pathway meets at Inham Nook
Methodist Church on Pearson avenue,
off Inham road at
10:30am Sunday
For more information about Pathway
please contact the Pathway leadership
team:
leaders@pathwaychilwell.org.uk

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16th November 2008

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.

ISN'T ENCOURAGEMENT GREAT?

What is my master plan as vicar as we approach a gift weekend?
(everyone always wants to know the vicar's master plan!). So here it is
(ssh don't tell anyone) it's to encourage your socks off!! What a year it
has been and one in which God has been visibly at work. For a start the
whole building at Christ Church has changed. It is now more open in
every sense and definitely open for mission. But not only inside: HOPE
has taken us out and about into Dovecote Lane Park, the Pearson
Centre and a whole bunch of sundry gardens. Next week, two
members, one just 14 and one a little older will reaffirm their faith in
baptism and both will testify to God at work in their lives Jeremy at
10.30 and Becky at 7.00. Our three services next week will be full of
testimony, full of encouragement and full of Hope. This is a fantastic
time to be a part of Christ's church in Chilwell and there is every reason
to invest our time, our gifts and our energy in the future. However we
must not forget that up front encouragement is also built on behind the
scenes faithful ministry from dozens of volunteers and the dedicated
ministry of our paid staff in their leadership, administration, outreach,
pastoral care and faithful preparation. This team heads the larger team
of 400 Christian workers as we seek to build the Kingdom. It is this
ministry we are called to sustain and to which we generously.

Alan Howe – Vicar

SWANWICK

Don't forget to return your Swanwick reservation slips by Sunday 23rd November. If you are hesitating to attend due to financial reasons, there is support available - please get in touch with a member of the staff team.

WELCOME TEA—23rd NOVEMBER

If you are new to Christ Church we would like to invite you to a Welcome Tea at the Vicarage to find out more about us, met Alan (the Vicar) and other people from Christ Church. Please contact the Church Office for more information.

CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS ARE ALREADY IN THE SHOPS...

...and it is also time to think about whether **YOU** could join our Christmas Choir for the Carol Services on December 21st. If you enjoy singing, and can come to practices on Friday evenings, please let Pam Price or Becky Russell know. We especially need more men! Young people of Y5 and above are also welcome. We will start practices on November 21st. Please pick up a leaflet with further information from the back of Church. Pam Price (9177427) pam.price@ntlworld.com Becky Russell (9226699) becky.russell@live.co.uk

JOURNEYING WITH JESUS...

..this is the new David Nunn film. Your chance to see a special showing of this great film and spot members of Christ Church living it up in Israel! David Nunn and his team will be present. **Saturday, 29 November 2008**, at 7.30pm in Christ Church. All very welcome. Invitations are available at the back of Church. More details from Pam and Ray Fardon, 9280810.

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS CRAFT EVENT—HELP REQUIRED

St Barnabas Lenton Abbey are holding a Christmas craft event for children on Saturday 6th December— 1.30-4pm. Would anyone be willing to help with this event? It would involve helping a group of children with various craft activities. All the preparation is done, you will just be required on the day. Please contact Mary Barnard; barnardmaryr@aol.co.uk for more information.

You are invited to an afternoon of Christmas Crafts...

On Saturday, December 6th, at St Barnabas Church Hall, Derby Rd, Lenton Abbey, drop in from 1.30pm to 4pm. Entrance £1.50 for children aged 3-14 yrs or £3.50 for a family – includes all materials and cold drinks. Children need to be accompanied by an adult.

QUIZ NIGHT

The return of the very popular quiz night will be on Saturday 22nd November 7.30pm in the Church Hall. The cost will be £9 for a team of up to 6 people. This will include a ploughman's baguette (ham or cheese) at half time, and you bring your own drinks, nibbles and the very important joker. Tickets are as usual in high demand, so to assure your place on the night, contact any member of the social events committee or contact Keith & Lesley on 919 1287 or keith.stevenson@ntlworld.com.

CALLING ALL HOUSEGROUPS

The office has had a request from Queenswood Methodist Home— a local nursing home for a group to sing carols to the residents. This is part of their 'Celebration of Music' afternoon on Saturday 6th December. If you think this is something your housegroup could do please get in touch with the Church Office.

CHRISTMAS CARDS

We are bundling the Christmas cards ready for delivery on **Sunday 7th December**. If anyone has an hour or two to spare and would be able to come into the Office to help with this we would be very grateful. Please get in touch with the office.

PINK PARTY

'Pink Party' fund raising evening for breast cancer research. Items for sale, hand treatments, raffle, pink drink! Friday 21st November: call in any time between 7-10pm to 5 Bolton Avenue, Chilwell. Please contact Helen Fowler on 9223078, or Gill Perkins on 9191235, (gillperkins@hotmail.co.uk) if you would like more details.

DIOCESAN EVANGELICAL FELLOWSHIP...

....Invite you to attend the DEF AGM and a talk by Jo Pimlott on 'Working with Young People in a Post-Christendom era.' 7.45pm Thursday 20th November at St Jude's Church Mapperley.

CHRISTIAN INSTITUTE

The Christian Institute is holding a meeting at Beeston Free Church, Broadgate, Beeston on Wednesday, 26 November at 7.30pm. Chris Prest and Matt Jess, Christian Institute staff, will be talking about taking a stand as salt and light in our nation and on important concerns facing Christians (such as; The Human Fertilisation and Embryology Bill, Religious Liberty and an EU proposal on "equal treatment").

PRAYER NIGHT

Make sure the next Parish prayer night is in your diary. **Tuesday 2nd December 7.30pm at St Barnabas.**

ART EXHIBITION AT BEESTON LIBRARY

This exhibition is full of Christian icons...painted by Mick Rose...modern icons...modern symbolism of the Christian faith...painted in the presence of God...a lot of the pictures are explained...thus taking the Gospel into the marketplace...the pictures are full of colour...and very attractive...if you want any of my art works... limited prints... just let me know.

NYFC PRAYER EVENT

Nottingham Youth for Christ (NYFC) are running a 24 hour prayer event starting at 9am on Friday 21st November at Chilwell Road Methodist Church. If you are able to take part please sign up on the sheets at the back of Church or contact Gill Benson 9179054. There is a particular need for people to pray on Friday during the daytime.

PAINTING AND PRAYER ADVENTURES IN COLOUR

A time to reflect on the coming of a King. 3-5pm in Church on Sunday 23rd November. No particular skill necessary. Further details from Veronica Boorman 9251500.

FAIRTRADE IN BEESTON AND CHILWELL

Do you work locally? Is your workplace a Fairtrade Workplace? If not would you like to know how it can become it a Fairtrade Workplace?

Beeston and Chilwell are aiming to get Fairtrade Town status in the next few months and one of the criteria for this is that a number of businesses and other workplaces promote the use of Fairtrade products. We're trying to find out how many already do so and also encourage others to get involved.

Please see Kathryn Britton or Becky Russell who can give you more information.