



**DAILY READINGS  
COMMENCING 20.10.2008**

<b>Mon</b>	Psalms 27, 30 Lev. 19:1-18, 30-end	2 Tim 4:1-18
<b>Tues</b>	Psalms 32, 36 Leviticus 23:1-22	2 Tim 4:9-end
<b>Wed</b>	Psalms 34 Leviticus 23:23-end	Titus 1
<b>Thur</b>	Psalms 37 Leviticus 24:1-9	Titus 2
<b>Fri</b>	Psalms 31 Leviticus 25:1-24	Titus 3
<b>Sat</b>	Psalms 41, 42, 43 Numbers 6:1-5, 21	Philemon

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noon** please.

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**Services at Christ Church this week**

**19.10.2008**

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

*This week:* Holy Communion 1

*Theme:* Everlasting Love

Jeremiah 31:3-9 John 14:15-21

**allagechurch@10:30am.** Lively  
worship for all ages. Crèche is  
provided every week with Children's  
Groups most weeks.

*This week:* Holy Communion

*Theme:* Everlasting Love

Jeremiah 31:3-9

**latechurch@7pm.** Informal and  
contemporary worship.

*This week:* Holy Communion

*Theme:* Everlasting Love

Jeremiah 31:3-9

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 Pathway leadership  
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**19th October 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.

At Christ Church we are really enjoying our current series on love. Why wouldn't we? It is the ultimate back to basics subject! God is love therefore the universe was made by love and the only truly enduring thing in the universe is love. The tag line on this sheet and on most of our literature can become familiar and unnoticed so I want take this opportunity to highlight it again. Those of you that get your info from the web will be familiar with the statement on our home page, but if you are not I give this space to remind us of our mission: -

**Our mission under God is a simple one.**

- **We seek to walk in his love.**
- **We seek to show his love.**
- **We seek to be ever more inclusive.**
- **We work at it.**

**We believe that God loves us and that God loves you; this belief drives everything we do. We believe everyday is an adventure with God.**

**There are several ways that we put our mission into action**

- We seek to be a resourcing church for the wider church
- We seek to live our Christian Hope by service and social action in our community and we see it as our responsibility to drive such action
- We seek to demonstrate the transforming power of the gospel by praying for those who are sick and listening to those who are struggling and sharing the life changing power of Jesus
- We believe in the power of community and the importance of supportive small groups.

### **HOPE GARDENING UPDATE**

There is a meeting for all those interested in the future of Hope gardening. Please come along to share stories, discuss future plans and join the team. 7.30pm Wednesday 22nd October at Beeston Baptist Church.

### **PAINTING AND PRAYER IS BACK—TODAY!**

3-5pm on Sunday 19th October at the back of Church. The theme this month is 'Clouds'. For further details please speak to Veronica Boorman 925 1500.

### **ADULT BAPTISM—23rd NOVEMBER**

If you are interested in being baptised or re-affirming your baptismal vows, please speak to a member of the staff team.

### **A BASIC WILL FOR FREE**

November is the month when certain solicitors offer to make a basic will for free, in return for a donation to charity. Christian Aid participates in this scheme, [www.willaid.org](http://www.willaid.org) so please do consider whether this is the time to give life before death. Christian Aid recently benefited from an amazing legacy, which is an apt reminder of the importance of making our wishes known. The story can be found on [http://www.christianaid.org.uk/give/legacy\\_donations/Supporter-leaves-1-2m-pounds-in-will.aspx](http://www.christianaid.org.uk/give/legacy_donations/Supporter-leaves-1-2m-pounds-in-will.aspx)

### **ALTERNATIVE HALLOWEEN EVENTS**

St Michael's Bramcote are running 2 alternative Halloween partys on Friday 31st October. Light Fantastic for 7 - 11yr olds - live music, craft, tuck shop, games etc 6 - 7.30pm. Ignite for 11 - 16yr olds - chill out room, games zone, pizza and live band from Nexus in Coventry 8 - 9.45pm. Both events are £1 per ticket and take place in our church centre Please see the flyers on the notice board. To book please call Matt Lyons—0115 925 0314.

### **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**

Thank you to all those who prepared gift-filled shoe boxes for children last year, which went to children in Belarus. Christ Church will again be supporting this initiative and shoe boxes will be collected from Christ Church on **Friday 7th November**. Leaflets will be available soon, but all the information about how to prepare a shoe box is on the web-site; <http://www.operationchristmaschild.org.uk>

### **TAIZE PRAYER EVENING**

Alison Bennett is leading an evening of Taize prayer at St Barnabas on Wednesday 22nd October, 7.30pm. Please contact Lillian for more details.

### **WITH REGRET**

It is with regret that we pass on the news of Sheila Kendall's death on 15th October. Sheila was a long standing member of Christ Church. Further details will be made available when they are known.

### **GLOBAL GIFTS SALE—15TH NOVEMBER**

This will be on the afternoon of Saturday November 15th in the Church Hall, with stalls of fairly-traded goods from many charities and Christian organisations. There'll be some old favourites and some new sellers - it will be a great place to buy your Christmas cards and presents. There will be a stall for jams and chutneys, as well as cakes. So if you're making jams or chutneys soon, we'd be grateful if you can spare some for Global Gifts. Profits go to support our missionaries.

Just Cards is a charity set up in partnership with Flame International, which raises funds for mission as well as giving justice, dignity and hope for people working in projects in Rwanda and South Africa. They will be at the Global Gifts sale on the 15<sup>th</sup> November, selling cards including Christmas cards - all at very reasonable prices. Please come along and support their work. For more information and to look at the designs available go to [www.justcardsdirect.com](http://www.justcardsdirect.com)

### **FLAME INTERNATIONAL**

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November: 7 – 10pm Flame International prayer evening, at Holy Trinity, Kilwardby Street, Ashby de la Zouch. An evening of prayer for the work of Flame International, led by former Christ Church member and founder of Flame International Jan Ransom. This will include a brief on the latest trip. Please come along to support this trauma ministry to Africa. Further information from Becca Benfield, tel: 01530 564522

### **HOPE PRAYER LABYRINTH**

A chance for some peace and meditation at Christmas. A chance to hear what God has to say to you this Christmas. The HOPE prayer labyrinth will be set up in Christ Church, all day on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> of December. Please put this date in your diaries, more details will follow nearer the time. If you could help out on the day, by sitting with the labyrinth for an hour to help people as they enter and leave it, please contact Margaret Stone on 9678297.

### **GRILL A MISSIONARY!**

Come along and ask Mark and Emma Handley about their outreach work among Middle Eastern communities in London and their plans for the future. Come for 5 minutes or the whole hour. Refreshments will be provided. Saturday 25th October 3-4pm at the back of Church.