



**DAILY READINGS
COMMENCING 03.11.2008**

Mon	Psalms 2, 71 Daniel 1	Revelation 1
Tues	Psalms 5, 73 Daniel 2:1-24	Revelation 2:1-11
Wed	Psalms 9, 77 Daniel 2:25-end	Revelation 2:12-end
Thur	Psalms 11, 15, Daniel 3:19-end	Revelation 3:1-13
Fri	Psalms 16, 55 Daniel 3:19-end	Revelation 3:14-end
Sat	Psalms 18:31-end, 150 Daniel 4:1-8	Revelation 4

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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
02.11.2008**

earlychurch@9am Holy Communion
or Morning Worship with Anglican
Liturgy, Hymns and Sermon.
This week: Holy Communion 1
Theme: Search for the heart of God
Deut. 10:12-22 Matt. 13:45-46

allagechurch@10:30am. Lively
worship for all ages. Crèche is
provided every week with Children's
Groups most weeks.
This week: All age worship
Theme: David: A man after God's heart
1 Chronicles 16:28-36

latechurch@7pm. Informal and
contemporary worship.
This week: Evening worship
Theme: Search for the heart of God
Deut. 10:12-22

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:
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2nd 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.

SWANWICK 2009

Last Sunday, Alan told us about the initial planning for Swanwick 09 and our church family conference to be held there. If you have never been, Swanwick is half an hour away in Derbyshire- a beautiful Christian conference centre which has got better and better since it has been open. Christ Church parish has been using it for family weekends away for many, many years and we have enjoyed great teaching, fun and fellowship at those times. We are hoping that many will join us next July (Fri 3rd – Sun 5th) where our speakers will be Bob Jackson and John Finney, both of whom come highly recommended. We're hoping that we'll all get together from Christ Church, Pathway, St Barnabas Inham Nook and St Barnabas Lenton Abbey. One of the main bonuses of getting away together is how much friendships deepen during that time, and relaxing together is every bit as important as learning together. If you would like to talk to someone about going, or you have any questions at all don't hesitate to talk to one of the staff team, or ring Kathryn in the church office during the week. Initial forms showing your interest are at the back of church. You don't have to pay any money yet!
This is an important time of getting to know one another and growing together so do pray about the weekend.
Thank you.

SMALL GROUP LEADERS

Our breakfast meeting is on Saturday 8th November in Christ Church lounge from 9am-11.15am. Our guest speaker is Andrew Dowsett, our St John's placement student, and he will be helping us with some tools for healthy small groups.

TREASURER'S ROLE UPDATE

Please continue to pray for us to find the right person to be the Church Treasurer. The role of the Treasurer is key to ensuring that the money the congregation generously gives is effectively put to work. They will be well supported by the other members of the "finance team" (Income Manager, Banker of Monies and Stewardship Chairman) and there is flexibility over how the job is undertaken. The role involves on average about 3 hours per week. For further information please speak to one of the wardens.

GLOBAL GIFTS SALE—15TH NOVEMBER 2-5pm

Come along to the Church Hall on Saturday 15th November between 2 and 5 pm where a wide range of fairly traded Christmas gifts, cards and food from around the world will be on sale. Stalls include Traidcraft, Tearcraft, Just Cards and the very popular cobweb scarves from TraidNepal. Many of the gifts provide income for families in some of the world's most deprived areas, in places as diverse as South America, the Middle East and Bulgaria. We are also selling cakes, jams and chutneys, and refreshments will be served all afternoon. Profits from the table fees and refreshments are shared between our missionaries. Look forward to seeing you there!

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 6th 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.

HELP NEEDED FOR KWON SALE...

...of nearly new baby, children's and maternity clothes, toys and equipment. St John's College Saturday 15th November 2008. Helpers needed to sort items at the pre sale on Friday 14th Nov. and on the sale day. For information about becoming a helper (and thus a seller if you wish) contact Rachel McClelland 94363648. Please let me know if you are able to help by 8th Nov.

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 usually sing a mixture of traditional carols and more modern styles and we will choose music according to the people available. 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

CAFÉ BLEND Tuesday 4th November 9.30am-11.30am in Church. This month's café will have a Christmas theme with gifts available to buy.

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>

..... HOT OFF THE PRESS

Advanced notice of the showing of '**Journeying with Jesus**', the new David Nunn film. Your chance to see a special showing of this great new 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 7.30 pm in Christ Church.** All very welcome. More details from Pam and Ray Fardon, 9280810.

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.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

There is to be a Memorial Service for Christine Russell on 16th November at 6pm in Southwell Minster.

Oakes Youth Weekend, Feb 27th to March 1st 2009

Young people from all the parish youth groups and in school years 7 to 12 are invited. Half the places have already been booked, so if you would like to go please give your booking form to your group leader as soon as possible. For more information please ring Keith Pentelow 8544312.

TEARFUND

Ruth Pentelow will be showing her pictures and sharing her stories of her time in Peru with Tearfund on Tuesday 11th November 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.

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP

On Wednesday 5th November at 10am in the lounge we have our AGM followed by a talk by Bill Clarke on the history of Nottingham Castle. All men welcome.

THE HANDLEYS

If you would like to receive a regular copy of Mark, Emma, Ruth & Callum's prayer letter, please contact Clare & John Portwood 9720239 or email candj.portwood@tiscali.co.uk.

FOOTBALL MATCH

The next Christ Church football team outing is scheduled for the morning of Saturday 15th November, against Cornerstone, at Bluecoat school Wollaton campus. More details to come.

Please send your availabilities to Mani asap. Thank you