



Christ Church Chilwell

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WELCOME – 21 MARCH 2010

WELCOME to our service today at Christ Church! We 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.

NEW NOTICE SHEET LAYOUT

As you can see – if you are a regular – we have had a redesign of the notice sheet in order to make better use of space.

We are always looking to improve communications here at Christ Church, so if you have any constructive feedback on this new design please let Heather know office@christchurchchilwell.org.uk

If you would find the notices to be a more valuable resource if they were emailed to you, please let us know and we'll happily add you to the new distribution list.

Observant ones will also have noticed the new 40" screen at the back of church for scrolling notices ! – This is the perfect way to find out what's happening as you drink your post-service coffee!

The Admin Team

THANK YOU

- To all those who helped out in any way with the senior citizens party yesterday. It was a great success!

EASTER PARISH PRAYER MEETING

Our Easter prayer meeting will be on Monday 29th March at 7.30 at St Barnabas Inham Nook – please note the change of venue. We'll be joining our St Barnabas friends as they begin their week of meditation leading up to Easter. Please tell your small group about it and encourage them to come. Thank you. Fran

ANOTHER THANKYOU

- From Forget-me-Notts whose fundraising quiz earlier this month raised £500

EASTER EGG HUNT, SATURDAY 27TH MARCH AT CHRIST CHURCH 10-30AM-12.30PM

We need even more cake for this!! Our Easter egg hunts are attended by over 200 people of all ages.... The Easter Café with lots of homemade cakes is always a great attraction. Please bring a cake along to the church office anytime in the week leading up to the event or before 10.30am on Saturday 27th. We would also welcome help with craft activities, serving in the Café', setting up/clearing away and other background support. If you would like to get involved please contact Nigel this week on 8545889 or email: nigeladamschilwell@ntlworld.com

ELECTORAL ROLL REVISION

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 Church 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 Sunday 11th April.

If you are already listed on the Roll, you do not need to reapply this year. The current Roll is displayed near the formal notice.

Graham Gardner, Electoral Roll Secretary (Tel: 9225950; e-mail: annand-graham@ctlconnect.co.uk)

CRB

There are going to be major changes to the CRB system shortly. It therefore makes it very important that everyone who has contact with vulnerable adults or children has a CRB authorisation. Please can you contact me if you do not have a valid CRB authorisation (checked within the last 3 years). I will be available after all 3 services on Sunday 21st March, to complete and check evidence for those who have had a reminder from the diocese. Please can me if you have any questions. Thank you. Gill Benson, Tel 9179054

PCC UPDATE

The PCC met on 10th March but the meeting has been adjourned until 23rd March. We will write a summary after the second half of the meeting.

Continued overleaf...

GOING FOR GROWTH COURSE

Led by the Venerable Bob Jackson at St John's College Nottingham, Wednesdays 2pm to 5pm 28th April to 26th May 2010

This course about how churches grow today is for all clergy and other senior leaders who wish to see their churches flourish and grow numerically and spiritually.

Fee: £80

Booking deadline: Friday 16 April
Places MUST be booked and paid for in advance.

To book: contact Anna Leyden on 0115 925 1114 or email a.leyden@stjohns-nottm.ac.uk for a booking form or download from www.stjohns-nottm.ac.uk

BE PART OF THE EGG HUNT TEAM

Christ Church Easter Egg Hunt 27th March 10.30am-12.30pm

We need help:-

By Saturday 10.30am – Baking cakes and bringing to church

Friday 26th 4-6pm Setting up (shifting chairs etc)

9am-10am Saturday Final Setting up (sticking up information posters, setting up crafts etc)

9.30-10am Saturday Hiding eggs!!

10am -12.30pm Help in the café, with crafts, welcome, counting eggs, joining in drama and games and more... being part of the egg hunt crew!

12.30pm – 2pm Clearing away and getting the church back to normal

Please contact Nigel TODAY if you can help in any way.

HOPE COMMUNITY GOSPEL CHOIR

Beeston's own Hope Community Gospel Choir is performing on Friday 23rd April, 7:30pm, at the Chilwell Road Methodists' church in aid of the Parish Pantry. The choir has been running for over 2 years and is made up of local people - anyone is welcome to sing with us. The gig will be a lively and entertaining evening of contemporary and traditional gospel music, suitable for all ages and ideal for bringing along a friend. Tickets can be reserved online at www.hcgconline.com and will be available from the Methodist Church, £6 for adults, £4 for under-16s.

Many thanks,
Tim and Claire Easun
Hope Community Gospel Choir

GIVING ENVELOPES

Please collect your giving envelopes at the back of church. Due to an admin error could you please return any previous boxes collected to the church office or one of the staff team.
Many thanks. The Admin Team.

THIS WEEK'S SERVICES

21/03/2010



9 am

Holy Communion (1)
Theme: Outside the City Walls
Reading: Hebrews 13: 12-13,
Mark 15: 22-32

All age church @10:45am

Morning Worship
Theme: Outside the City Walls
Reading: Hebrews 13: 12-13,
Mark 15: 22-32

7 pm

Informal and contemporary worship with Holy Communion
Theme: Outside the City Walls
Reading: Hebrews 13: 12-13,
Mark 15: 22-32

NEXT WEEK'S SERVICES

28/03/2010 – PALM SUNDAY

9 am

Holy Communion (2)
Theme: Touching the Rock
Reading: Psalm 139 & John 19:17-30

ONE @10:45am

ONE services are...
Theme: Touching the Rock
Reading: Psalm 139

7 pm

Informal and contemporary worship
Theme: Touching the Rock
Reading: Psalm 139

THIS WEEK'S PRAYER GROUPS

Wednesday morning prayers

7 am till 7.30 am in the Upper Room. For further details about the group 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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