

## Welcome...

Joining us for the first time...? You are very welcome!

During the 11am service our children & young people will enjoy time together with their leaders.

Memory Verse

***'Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace.'***

Ephesians 4:3

## Today...

**Sunday 13 October**

9.15am: Morning Worship - NEW TEACHING SERIES BEGINS  
Together: 'Together In Unity' (Ephesians 4:1-6) Chris Brockway

Refreshments will be served in the church foyer between the services

11.00am: Morning Worship - (as 9.15am)

12.30pm: Welcome Lunch

6.30pm: Let's Explore - Youth Walks (10-17+)

## Next week...

**Live Streaming** - If you can't join us in-person, we'll be live streaming the 11am service on our YouTube Channel: [www.youtube.com/c/ChristchurchBaptistChurch](http://www.youtube.com/c/ChristchurchBaptistChurch)

### **Monday 14 October**

11.30am: Service Of Thanksgiving For The Life Of Christopher Smith

1.30pm: Deeper - Bible Study For Mums

### **Thursday 17 October**

10.00am: Linkup Café

6.30pm: Connect - Youth Bible Study (10-12+)

6.45pm: Connect+ - Youth Social (14 -16+)

### **Friday 18 October**

10.00am: Stepping Stones - Parent & Toddler Group

6.30pm: Trailblazers - Friday Kids Club

### **Saturday 19 October**

10.00am: Coffee Morning & Sale - Project Five:One

### **Sunday 20 October**

9.15am: Morning Worship - Together

'Together In Serving' (Ephesians 7-16) Kay Boulton

11.00am: Morning Worship (as 9.15am)

## More news...

**Giving To The Work Of Our Church** - If you would like to give a cash offering for the work of God's Church, please place it in the box on the stage, in the foyer or use the offering bags which will be circulated during our opening worship. We also have two contactless giving points which you can use. For more information about giving to the work of Christchurch Baptist Church please visit our website where you can also download Standing Order and Gift Aid forms: [www.christchurchbaptist.org.uk/giving](http://www.christchurchbaptist.org.uk/giving). If you are a visitor with us today, please do not feel any obligation to give.



Scan the QR code to give online via ChurchSuite

## More news...

**Welcome Lunch** - Are you new(ish) to Christchurch Baptist Church? Then you are warmly invited to join us for our next Welcome Lunch TODAY (Sunday 13 October) which is an informal opportunity to meet other new(ish) people, our staff team and some of our Trustees. Following lunch we will share, very briefly, about our mission and ministry and answer any questions you might have.

**Linkup Knitting Project** - Linkup are having a mini knitting project this term. We are knitting Trauma Teddies for Dorset Fire and Rescue. They will be given to children, together with other information, when units are called out to any incident involving families. We would be happy to have teddies knitted by anyone who reads this notice or friends. Please use the knitting pattern that is in the foyer near the Prayer corner. They need to be knitted to a certain standard and the same size as they are placed into fabric bags, already made. If you cannot find the pattern, please contact Jill Wheble after church or pop into Linkup, any Thursday.

**Coffee Morning & Sale For Project Five:One** - To give the young people opportunity to raise some money for Project Five:One, taking the example of the teaching of the 'Parable of the Talents'. The children have been working hard all year to make items which are suitable to buy for the Shoeboxes, while the youth have been busy baking for the coffee morning. Come along and support the children and youth as they raise money for the Project Five:One and support Samaritans Purse at the same time. Sit and enjoy, a cup of tea/coffee, homemade baking, while purchasing some items to start your Christmas Shoebox.

**Save the Date** - The Sharing The Journey Team are running two more events before the end of the year. STJ Create - Friday evening on 08 November and Hush Before the Rush on the evening of Friday 28 and morning of Saturday 29 November. Invitations to follow.

**Message From Christchurch Foodbank+** - Thank you for your continued and faithful support, together we make such a difference in people's lives in the community. Thank you Lord that the Foodbank and its projects are there for those struggling. Our needs this week are UHT milk, boxes of cereal, tinned tomatoes and tinned fruit.

**Resources For Light Party Needed** - We are having a Light Party on 31 October, and it would be great if you could collect any cardboard inners of kitchen rolls or foil rolls for us that you have. Please bring them to the office by the 28 October.

**Message From Val Grasmeder** - Many thanks to all who have been praying for me and my daughter who was seriously ill. We are both making slow progress but, on the mend, and are both really grateful for your prayers.

## More news...

### Praise God:

- ✎ That He is the God of peace and that He will guard our hearts and minds as we 'in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God'. (Philippians 4:6)
- ✎ That at our Special Church Members' Meeting we unanimously and with great unity discerned God's will to appoint a contractor and proceed with the next stage of our build project. Praise God!
- ✎ For all the work 'H' is doing in Asia. Please remember to hold them in your prayers. Pray for wisdom, peace and strength to overflow their life & work.

### Please Pray:

- ✎ For Chris Brockway as he shares God's Word with us this morning.
- ✎ For the children, youth and their leaders as they enjoy time with each other and explore more of God today.
- ✎ For Daphne, Julia and Deborah and the wider family as they grieve the passing of Chris Smith. The Thanksgiving service for Chris will be at 11.30am on Monday 14 October.
- ✎ For Jackie McGregor as she takes school assemblies this week at Christchurch Infant School.
- ✎ For peace and peacemakers in our world and for the people who are being affected by conflict.

***'There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to one hope when you were called; one Lord, one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all.'***

Ephesians 4:4-6

## Staff team...

**Rev Chris Brockway** (Team Leader)

**Rev Kay Boulton** (Minister)

**Jackie McGregor** (0-18s Ministry Lead)

**Julie Dynan** (Administration)

**Mark Coleman** (Caretaker)

Church Office is closed on Wednesdays

## Creation Care Challenge...



Save the plastic boxes from your weekend take-away to use as lunch boxes or to store items in your fridge or freezer.