

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. **Please collect your children from the downstairs of the Christian Centre at the end of the service.**

‘Now my soul is troubled, and what shall I say? “Father, save me from this hour”? No, it was for this very reason I came to this hour. Father, glorify your name!’ Then a voice came from heaven, ‘I have glorified it, and will glorify it again.’ The crowd that was there and heard it said it had thundered; others said an angel had spoken to him.’

John 12:27-29

Today...

Sunday 30 March - Mothering Sunday

9.15am: Morning Worship - When Jesus Appears
‘To The Greeks’ (John 12:20-36) Chris Brockway

Refreshments will be served in the church foyer between the services

11.00am: Morning Worship (as 9.15am)

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

Monday 31 March

12.45pm: Deeper- Bible Study For Mums

Tuesday 01 April

2.30pm: Songs Of Praise

Thursday 03 April

10.00am: Linkup Café

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

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

Friday 04 April

10.00am: Stepping Stones - Parent & Toddler Group

6.30pm: Trailblazers - Friday Kids Club

Sunday 06 April

9.15am: Morning Communion Service - When Jesus Appears
'To The Jews' (John 12:37-50) Kay Boulton

11.00am: Morning Communion Service (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. 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...

Celebrations! - A very Happy Birthday to Denis James who celebrates his 80th Birthday today (30 March). Also, a Happy Birthday to Monika Demirci who celebrates her birthday today. Joyce and Arthur Loveridge celebrate their 64th wedding anniversary this week!

Deeper - Deeper is a Bible study for mums of secondary, primary, infant and pre-school children, including babies. They meet every Monday during term time between 1pm and 2.30pm. Deeper promises to be an encouraging and refreshing time to share together with coffee and cake at Meg Brockway's home.

Songs of Praise - Our next Songs of Praise service will be at 2.30pm on Tuesday 01 April (this coming Tuesday). Do come along and invite your friends and neighbours. Our midweek service is followed by a delicious afternoon tea.

Linkup Café - You are warmly invited to come along to Linkup Café which is on every Thursday from 10am-12noon. Linkup Café is a great place to come, or invite friends & neighbours to come, if you are at a loose end there's always lots to do (crosswords, jigsaws, scrabble etc) and an opportunity to meet with others.

Advance Notice - Families Together Picnic - On Easter Monday 21 April we have the opportunity to gather together as a church family. You are warmly invited to join us at Avon Heath Country Park for the afternoon, on Monday 21 April, from 12noon to 3.30pm. Why not bring your own picnic, or if you prefer you can purchase lovely take away food at the Avon Heath Cafe. We will bring some cold refreshments, which will be available all afternoon. Avon Heath Country Park has some wonderful play areas for the children, with nice walks and places to sit and relax. Please bring a deckchair or a rug to sit on during the picnic and there is a car park charge.

Sharing the Journey | Create - Save The Date - Our next Sharing the Journey Create Friday evening event will be on 25 April. More details will be shared soon.

Homemade Marmalade - Marian Edwins has some delicious homemade marmalade available for sale in the foyer. Please give generously as all proceeds will go to the Project Five:One fund.

Message From Christchurch Foodbank+ - Thank you for your faithful support, we honestly could not do the ministry we do in the community without the Churches support. School holidays are just around the corner and we are desperate for tinned fruit, tinned carrots and corn, UHT Milk cartons, crisps, tinned meat meals (stew, chilli, curry) and squash. Thank you in advance, donating a £1 is a good way of letting up shop for you to buy specific items needed. Good news, 53% of our visitors only use us once, in their crisis and 24% only need three parcels to get them back on track and able to support themselves. Thanks be to God. Please pray for our volunteers, we are so grateful for their servant hearts.

More news...

Praise God:

- That we can go to Him with all our struggles, nothing surprises Him and He longs to bring His presence into the midst of all we are facing. Thank Him for His broad shoulders and tender loving heart.

Please Pray:

- That on this Mothering Sunday we will all know God's strength and loving presence whatever this day may hold for each of us. Pray especially for those who have lost their mother's.
- For our mission partner 'H' who is in the region of the massive earthquake reported in the news this week.
- For the children, youth and their leaders as they enjoy time with each other and explore more of God today.

***'And I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all people to myself.'
He said this to show the kind of death he was going to die.'***

John 12:32-33



Connect & Respond

Scan the QR code to connect in various ways; take a step in your faith journey; or give towards the mission and ministry of our church family

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Staff team...

Rev Chris Brockway (Team Leader)

Rev Kay Boulton (Minister)

Jackie McGregor (0-18s Ministry Lead)

Julie Dynan (Administration)

Church Office is closed on Wednesdays

Creation Care Challenge...



Save water and energy.
Only wash full loads of clothes.