

Sunday 06 July 2025

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### Welcome....

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

'The Lord appeared to us in the past, saying: "I have loved you with an everlasting love; I have drawn you with unfailing kindness." Jeremiah 31:3

'God told them, "I've never quit loving you and never will. Expect love, love, and more love!"" Jeremiah 31:3 (MSG)



#### Sunday 06 July - Church Camp Weekend

- 9.15am: Morning Communion Service - Healthy Church 'Loved: Living As Children Of God' (Jeremiah 31:3, Romans 5:5-8) Graham Stevens
- 11.00am: All-Age Morning Worship at Church Camp this service will not be live-streamed but the 9.15am service will be.



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### Next week....

**Live Streaming** - If you can't join us in-person, we'll be live streaming the **9.15am** service on our YouTube Channel: <u>www.youtube.com/c/ChristchurchBaptistChurch</u>

<b>Monday</b>	<b>07 July</b>
1.00pm:	Deeper- Bible Study For Mums
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>08 July</b>
12.15pm:	In-Person Prayer Gathering with Soup & Roll Lunch
Wednesday	<b>09 June</b>
10.00am:	CBC Art Group
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>10 July</b>
10.00am:	Linkup Café
6.30pm:	Connect - Youth Bible Study (10-12+)
6.45pm:	Connect+ - Youth Social (14 -16+)
<b>Friday</b>	<b>11 July</b>
10.00am:	Stepping Stones - Parent & Toddler Group
6.30pm:	Trailblazers - Friday Kids Club
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>12 July</b>
3.00pm:	Headlands Adventure Centre 40th Anniversary Service at Headlands
<b>Sunday</b> 9.15am: 11.00am: 6.30pm:	<b>13 July</b> Morning Worship - Healthy Church 'Ministry: Serving Others With Gifts' (Romans 12:3-8) Chris Brockway Morning Worship Including Baptism Of Roger & Gina Neville Let's Explore - Youth Walks (10-17+)
0.50pm.	

#### 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 Gift Aid and 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....

**Services Today** - TODAY (Sunday 06 July), we will be holding a morning service at Christchurch Baptist Church at 9.15am. Our 11am service will be held by the lake at Headlands Adventure Centre with those who have been enjoying our annual Church Camp. Even if you are not camping, you are still welcome to join us for worship on the Sunday morning, ready for an 11am start. Headlands is a stunning location...come and enjoy the beauty of God's creation!

**Annual Leave** - Kay Boulton is on leave from Monday 07 July and will be back on Monday 21 July. Please pray that Kay will have a great and refreshing time.

**In-Person Prayer Gathering** - This coming Tuesday lunchtime (08 July) we will be gathering in-person at 12.15pm in the church for soup & a roll before praying 12.30-1.15pm. Please do join us if you possibly can.

**CBC Art Group** - This art group will next meet on Wednesday 09 July, 10.00am to 12.30pm in the Christian Centre. It's free to come along and anyone is welcome! This is a social painting group, not art classes so bring your own materials and either a painting in progress or ready to start a new painting.

**Church Members' Meeting Reminder** - Our next Church Members Meeting and AGM will take place on Thursday 17 July, starting at the time of **7pm**. This meeting will also **now include a Special Church Members Meeting**. Please make sure this date is in your dairy and make every effort to be there.

**Message From Christchurch Foodbank+** - Thank you for your continued and faithful support, if your journey supporting us has only just begun, thank you. We are fast approaching the summer holidays, one of our busiest times of the year and we have NO 'back up' stock, it would be wonderful and if you can afford it to drop an extra item in at your church or into one of our donation boxes (Sainsbury's, Waitrose, Library, Santander or Nationwide). Together we can help those struggling in our communities. Our needs are tinned carrots, sweetcorn and peas, tinned fruit, pasta sauce and tuna. Thank you and blessings in advance.

**Dora Dixon** - For those who remember Dora Dixon, we want to let you know that she passed away on 12 June. Her brother George said 'she seemed comfortable and content to the last, was much loved and will be missed by us all'. Please do be praying for George and the rest of her family. Her funseral will be 12.30pm on Wednesday 23 July at Woodland Burial.

**Free Parking** - At Christchurch Junior School, Clarendon Road (BH23 2AA), anyone attending services at CBC can use the school car park, FREE OF CHARGE, on a Sunday, 8am-1pm. It's just a 5 to 9 minute walk (depending upon your speed!). It's still possible to park at Waitrose or on the surrounding roads, but please don't park in Beaconsfield Road to avoid inconveniencing our immediate neighbours.

#### More news....

#### **Praise God:**

- For the sacrifice of Jesus upon the cross and His resurrection that we celebrate today as we share Communion during our 9.15am service.
- For His creation that those at Church Camp are enjoying.
- That His love the foundation of our identity and our walk with Him and for the daily reminders that we are cherished, valued, and secure in His love.
- For adopting us as His children and calling us His own and that His love is not based on our performance, but on His grace and mercy.

#### **Please Pray:**

- ▶ For Graham Stevens as he shares God's Word with us this morning at CBC.
- ➢ For all those leading and attending the service at Church Camp.
- For a deeper revelation of God's love that transforms the way we think, speak, and act and that we would never doubt God's love, no matter our circumstances or feelings.
- That we never forget Christ died for us while we were still sinners, proving the depth of God's love (Romans 5:8) and that we would fully receive and believe God's everlasting love, as declared in Jeremiah 31:3.

'And hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, who has been given to us. You see, at just the right time, when we were still powerless, Christ died for the ungodly. Very rarely will anyone die for a righteous person, though for a good person someone might possibly dare to die. But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.'

Romans 5:5-8

## 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....

Next Sunday, why not give the car a 'day of rest' and walk, bus or cycle to church?

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