

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.**

***‘The Lord is a jealous God. The Lord is good, a refuge in times of trouble.
He cares for those who trust in him.’***

Nahum 1:1,7

Vicky Coombs will be **BSL signing** at both of our services this coming weekend

Today...

Sunday 28 September

9.15am: Morning Worship - Come Back: The Minor Prophets
Nahum: ‘Jealous Love’ (Nahum 1-3) Chris Brockway

Refreshments will be served in the church foyer between the services

11.00am: Morning Worship (as 9.15am)

1.00pm: Bargates Clean-Up Afternoon

5.30pm: Young Adults BBQ & Social



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 29 September

1.00pm: Deeper- Bible Study For Mums

Wednesday 01 October

11.45am: Living With Loss Lunch

Thursday 02 October

10.00am: Linkup Café

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

Friday 03 October

10.00am: Stepping Stones - Parent & Toddler Group

6.30pm: Trailblazers - Friday Kids Club

Saturday 04 October

8am-6pm Church Painting Day

Sunday 05 October

9.15am: Morning Communion Service - Come Back: The Minor Prophets
Haggai: 'Abiding Love' (Haggai 2:1-9) Chris Brockway

11.00am: Morning Communion Service (as 9.15am)

4.00pm: Exploring Church Membership (Session 01)

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...

Annual Leave - Kay Boulton is on annual leave from Tuesday 23 September and will be back on Monday 29 September. Please pray that Kay will have a great and refreshing time.

Bargates Clean-Up Afternoon - Following on from the successful clean up earlier in the year, we're partnering in organising and hosting another Bargates clean up this afternoon (Sunday 28 September) between 1pm-4pm. We'd like assistance with general litter picking, weeding, sweeping and cleaning. Nothing will be too strenuous and we're again approaching it as a fun afternoon of action. Please sign up by via the email sent or contact the church office.

Message From Christchurch Foodbank+ - Our needs now are to fill the shelves ready for Christmas as we have no standby stock, we are requesting UHT milk, pasta sauce jars, tinned tomatoes, baked beans and biscuits please. Also toilet rolls and custard. Thank you so much.

Church Painting Day - On Saturday 04 October we will be gathering a team of volunteers to help give our church building a much-needed fresh coat of paint. If you're comfortable using a paintbrush or roller, we'd love for you to join us! Come for as long as you're able-every bit of help counts. If you're around between 12pm and 1pm, we'll provide lunch, so please let us know when you sign up if you'll be staying for that. All materials will be provided. Just wear clothes you don't mind getting a bit painty! Please sign up by via the email sent or contact the church office.

Build Project Fit Out Fundraising - On Sunday 05 October there will be an opportunity to contribute a one-off or regular gift towards our fit out fundraising, which will help us purchase essential items such as chairs, tables, audio-visual systems, kitchen equipment, staging, and more. While we could continue using our old resources, this fundraising effort gives us the chance to properly equip our new space with purpose-built, high-quality furnishings that reflect the fresh start of a new building. Please be prayerfully considering how you might be able to respond.

Sharing The Journey Roots Event - The next Saturday morning event with the Sharing the Journey team will be on 11 October starting at 9.45am. Please ladies put this date in your diaries and more details will be available soon.

Recycling - Bring in your old ink printer cartridges and we will recycle them for you. CBC is registered with 'Recycle4Charity' and every item recycled earns funds for our church. The collection box is in the foyer by the welcome desk. Also items such as jewellery (including damaged items), coins and currency (UK and foreign), mobile phones, old cameras and game consoles, can be recycled at CBC and every item recycled earns funds for our church. The collection box for these items is in the foyer by the serving hatch.

More news...

Praise God:

- That He is good, a stronghold in the day of trouble, and knows those who take refuge in Him. Pray that we would grow deeper in our trust in Him.
- That He meets us in our weakness and restores us with grace and that He speaks gently to our hearts, calling us again to love and follow Him.
- For second chances, renewed purpose, and the power of His forgiveness and for the example of faithful love and service we see in Jesus.

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 those who unable to join us in-person due to ill health, frailty, or poor mobility. Pray they would still know that they are loved and part of our church family even if they can't be with us physically. Praise God that we have the chance to connect with each other via the live stream.
- For our overseas mission partners as they serve God around the world. **Dave & Michele Mahon & family** working in Peru with BMS World Mission, **H** who is serving God in Asia, **Smile Charity Uganda** - Alex Gift Ngabonziza and family, **Esther Boulton** working with Ekisa Ministries (Uganda) and **Stephanie Darling** at the Evangelical Bible College in Malawi.
- For peace to reign in our lives, homes, communities and world.

Prayer Requests - If you would like to request prayer at any time, complete the online form on our website www.christchurchbaptist.org.uk/prayer-requests/.

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...



Stop buying one food item that is not in season and replace it with something that is. Do that regularly.