

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 the Jordan is at flood stage all during harvest. Yet as soon as the priests who carried the ark reached the Jordan and their feet touched the water’s edge, the water from upstream stopped flowing. The priests who carried the ark of the covenant of the Lord stopped in the middle of the Jordan and stood on dry ground, while all Israel passed by until the whole nation had completed the crossing on dry ground.’

Joshua 3:15-16a, 17

Today...

Sunday 25 January

9.15am: Morning Worship - Faithful Adventure: From Here To There
Crossing Into God's Promise | Joshua 3:1-17 | Zac Whitehouse

Refreshments will be served in the church foyer between the services

11.00am: Morning Worship (as 9.15am)

6.30pm: Let's Explore - Youth Supper (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

Monday 26 January

1.00pm: Deeper- Bible Study For Mums

Tuesday 27 January

7.30pm: Sharing the Journey | Renew: Fitness and Faith

Thursday 29 January

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

Friday 30 January

10.00am: Stepping Stones - Parent & Toddler Group

6.30pm: Trailblazers - Friday Kids Club

Sunday 01 February

9.15am: Morning Communion Service - Faithful Adventure: From Here To There Together On The Road | Nehemiah 2:11-20 | Jeannie Kendall

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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...

Songs Of Praise - Our focus for Songs of Praise on Tuesday 03 February is the persecuted church, and we are looking forward to hearing about the amazing work of Open Doors from Jez Pu Puy. You are warmly invited to join us at 2.30pm for our service followed by a delicious afternoon tea.

Sharing the Journey | Refresh Ladies' Day - On Saturday 27 June (9.30am-5pm) the Sharing the Journey Team have organised a ladies' day with the theme of 'Living Water' and Lynn Green who is the General Secretary of the Baptist Union will be speaking. The Early Bird ticket price is £25 which will include all refreshments, resources and buffet and be available until the end of February. More information will be sent via email next week or contact the church office.

Message From Christchurch Foodbank+ - The Foodbank+ and all its visitors want to say thank you for your continued support, it has been a busier than usual January to start the year off. Good news is coming in of a dad who now has a full-time employment contract, a young family who have moved out of temporary accommodation and into a place they can call home, our cooking classes have restarted, and the Community supper numbers went over 100. Christchurch Foodbank+ plus projects enable us to walk with visitors on their journey and equip and empower them to do it for themselves, Amazing! Our needs this week are £'s, tinned carrots and peas, Fray Bentos pies, custard and rice pudding. Thank you and Blessings in advance.

“When you see the ark of the covenant of the Lord your God, and the Levitical priests carrying it, you are to move out from your positions and follow it. Then you will know which way to go, since you have never been this way before. But keep a distance of about two thousand cubits between you and the ark; do not go near it.” Joshua told the people, “Consecrate yourselves, for tomorrow the Lord will do amazing things among you.”’

Joshua 3:3b-5



Connect & Respond

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www.christchurchbaptist.org.uk

More news...

Praise God:

- For being faithful and unchanging, the same God who keeps His promises from generation to generation.
- That His abiding presence, goes before us and dwells among us as our true source of acceptance and victory.
- For His holiness, calling us to be people who consecration themselves and be holy because He is holy and worthy of reverence.

Please Pray:

- For Zac Whitehouse 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 hearts that are consecrated and ready for what God is about to do and sensitivity to His presence, as we follow His leading and not move ahead of Him.
- For courage to trust Him at the water's edge, believing He will make a way as we move at His command, stepping forward in obedience and courage, even when the path ahead looks uncertain or impossible.

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

Congratulations! - Many congratulations to Oscar Brockway who passed his driving test on Tuesday 20 January! Well Done Oscar!

Sharing the Journey | Roots - Save The Date - Our next Sharing the Journey Roots Saturday morning event will be on 07 February. More details will be shared soon.

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...



Love food but hate waste?
Plan your meals and food shopping in advance and stick to your list. If you do 'impulse buy', cross something else off your list.