



# **WOODLANDS EVANGELICAL CHURCH**

**Blenheim Drive Allestree**     [www.woodlandchurch](http://www.woodlandchurch)  
(Partner church at Springwood Drive, Oakwood)

**A warm welcome to our services today.  
Sunday 19th November 2017 A.D.**

**\*\*Refreshments are served after the morning service and before the evening service. Do please join us.\*\***

- 10.30am**     **All age praise, prayer & Bible teaching**  
The Word became flesh  
Make straight the way of the Lord  
John 1:19-34 (p.1063-64)  
Warrick Martin  
GIG/Impact & MIX in their groups
- 4.00pm**     **Woodlands PM**  
The problem with technology  
Genesis 11:1-9 (p.12)
- 7.00pm**     **Praise, prayer, communion & Bible teaching**  
Bible overview (4): the partial kingdom  
Phil Butcher

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**Visiting? Please do take a moment to give us a record of your visit by filling in one of the “Welcome Cards” which can be found on the tables as you came in.**

If you are thinking about regularly worshipping with us, do take a WELCOME PACK, giving more details about ourselves and the activities that run mid-week – see one of the Stewards.

**Stewards can help you find your way around our building if you need assistance.**

Toy bags are available to borrow from the sideboard in the front foyer if you feel your children would appreciate them during the service. **Children & Young People have their own groups part way through the morning service. Crèche facilities are available.**

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Youth & Young adult worker: Thiago Holanda (01332) 405345

## This week at Woodlands – in the church & community – please be praying

Monday	20 <sup>th</sup>	Am Acorns; 7.45pm 2:42 leaders meeting
Tuesday	21 <sup>st</sup>	Am Oaks; aft WI upstairs; pm GIG youth; 7.30pm Christianity Explored
Wednesday	22 <sup>nd</sup>	Am Acorns
Thursday	23 <sup>rd</sup>	Am Ladies Bible study; pm Allestree elders meeting
Friday	24 <sup>th</sup>	Am Acorns; 11.30am-12.30pm SEEDS (crèche) toywash
Saturday	25 <sup>th</sup>	8.30am Conkers; 10am Gideons prayer meeting
Sunday	26 <sup>th</sup>	<p><b>9.30am Prayer in the Burrow – all welcome!</b></p> <p><b>10.30am All age praise, prayer, &amp; Bible teaching</b></p> <p>Pornography – “When porn is the norm!”</p> <p>How to live in a pornographic world Tim Gunn</p> <p>GIG/Impact &amp; MIX in their groups</p> <p><b>4.00pm Annual General Meeting</b></p> <p><b>No evening service</b></p>

<u>Responsibilities</u>	<u>19/11/17</u>	<u>26/11/17</u>
<b>SEEDS</b>	Charlotte, Dave & Rachel	Janine, Shufan & Megan
<b>Welcome Team:</b>	Philippa & Phyllis	Tim & Jane
<b>Stewards:</b>	Greg & Colleen	Mona & George T
<b>Stewards pm:</b>	Malcolm	No eve service - AGM
<b>Duty Elder</b>	Jon	Phil/Mark
<b>Chairs:</b>	Matt C, Richard S & Thiago	Jonda, Josh K, Greg & Jonathan B
<b>Refreshments:</b>	Phyllis, Jacky, Carol H & Priscilla	Heather, Sue W, Kate, Don & Shirley
<b>Refreshments pm</b>	Colleen	No eve service - AGM
<b>Flowers:</b>	Zoe	Jan R

## Events

**2:42 leaders meeting:** This will take place this Monday 20<sup>th</sup> November at 7.45pm at the Dumbleton’s house. It will be a time for prayer, encouragement, planning and training.

**CONKERS (A group for Dads & under 5s):** Next Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> November 8.30-10:30am - £3 per Dad, kids are FREE! Cooked breakfast for Dad, cereals and fruit for the kids, wide selection of toys and activities. Great opportunity for Dads to spend quality time with their kids and meet other Dads. Also if you are free Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November at 8.15pm for approx. an hour and can help set up for Conkers please let Tim Rosier know.

**Our Annual General Meeting** is next Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> November at 4.00pm in the church building. We will be hearing about and discussing the future legal status of Woodlands Evangelical Church. Activities for Primary School Children will be provided during the meeting by our Ministry Trainees. \*\*We would like donations of cakes to be shared after the AGM please - these can be left in the kitchen after the morning service on the 26<sup>th</sup> or brought in before the meeting at 4 pm. Thank you\*\*

The final **Citywide prayer** will take place next Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> November, 6.30-8.30pm at New Life Christian Centre, DE23 6UT.

Administrator: Colette Patterson (01332) 551336, email [office@woodlandschurch.org.uk](mailto:office@woodlandschurch.org.uk)  
[www.woodlandschurch.org.uk](http://www.woodlandschurch.org.uk)

Term time office hours: Monday 9.30-12.30, Tuesday 9.30-14.00 and Friday 10-13.30

**The Well Good News Advent Craft Morning:** Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> December, 10 am till midday, for children aged 3 - 11 accompanied by an adult. Come and make an Advent Calendar with a message from the Bible to open each Sunday leading up to Christmas. Invite and bring your friends!

**"Christmas cafe at Costa Coffee"** at the Kingsway retail park on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December at 8.00pm. Please speak to Tim Gunn if you would like further information.

**Midlands Gospel partnership Annual Conference:** This will take place on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> January 2018, 10am-3pm at Cornerstone Church, Nottingham. Early bird tickets are **£10 before 30<sup>th</sup> November** and we plan to do a group booking to get the cheaper tickets. After this date the tickets are £15 and you will need to book your own ticket.

## **Training and Information**

**Loose Leaves:** The latest edition is now available for you to take, enjoy and to pass a copy onto friends, family and neighbours.

At the evening service this Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> November we're continuing to use the great God's Big Picture resource as we see how the Bible fits together to bring us the good news of Jesus. The evening includes praise, prayer & the Lord's Supper, along with a short DVD talk from Vaughan Roberts and discussion in 2s and 3s.

**Christianity Explored:** The last 2 sessions will be this **Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> and Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November**.

**Mission Aviation Fellowship** evening at Davenport Road Evangelical Church, DE24 8AX. This is a one off event this Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November at 7.45pm to find out more about their work.

**SEEDS (crèche) toy wash:** The crèche toys are going to be washed on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November, 11.30am-12.30pm. If you are able to help please let Charlotte Kawalek know.

**Emmanuel school Christmas fayre & open day:** This will take place on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> November, 2-4pm. Live music, games, crafts, gift stalls, raffle, refreshments and free entry! All welcome. Please see the poster in the main foyer.

**YADA (non-alcoholic bar/nightclub)** opening night will be on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December from 9pm at The Art House on Friar Gate, Derby.

**The Christmas Angel with Duggie Dug Dug!** A nativity/panto for all the family. This event is on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> December 4-6pm at Derby City Church, Curzon Street. Tickets £8 (under 5s free). It is essential to book tickets – this can be done by contacting Eve Allen on 07986 120740 or email [evelynjallen@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:evelynjallen@hotmail.co.uk).

**A Christmas Audience with Jonathan Veira:** This concert, hosted by Emmanuel Community Church, Duffield is on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> December at 7.30pm at Woodlands School. More information can be found at <http://www.jonathanveira.com/>. Tickets (£5 each) can be obtained via PayPal on <http://www.emmanuelduffield.org/event/jonathan-veira/>. Alternatively, anyone can request tickets by emailing [jameson.john1@gmail.com](mailto:jameson.john1@gmail.com) or by telephone: 01332 748924 or mobile: 07400 038915. There are complimentary tickets available if you are bringing guests from outside church.

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**Upbeat communities** (refugee work) are needing donations of baby equipment and baby boy clothes aged 0-2 years and girl clothes aged 1-2 years (NOT girl stuff 0-1 as we have plenty). These are for their baby shower which happens 3 times per year. They also desperately need donations of warm men's clothes (especially coats) for the newly arrived refugees. Thanks for your help with this important work! Please contact Chrissy Hill for information or to donate.

**Topic information booklets:** The book stand in the foyer (Woodlands Road side) is looking a little depleted. If you have borrowed any of the books and finished with them please can you make sure they are returned so that others can borrow them too. Thank you kindly.

## **Church family news**

**Baptism:** There will be a baptismal service on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> December. Please consider this opportunity to follow the Lord Jesus if you have yet to be baptised – please speak to one of the elders if you want to be baptised or discuss the matter further.

**Welcoming our students:** We would love to offer our students a meal in a home on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> November and Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> December. There are also opportunities to welcome our students with a Christmas day lunch or bringing extra food to share at the next church picnic on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> December. If you feel able to offer hospitality in any of these ways please speak to Thiago Holanda, our youth & young adult worker.

**Kosovo 2018 short term mission trip:** Are you interested in going to Kosovo in 2018? In the past the trips have involved working with young people, men & women's ministries and construction work. Please speak to Sarah and Craig Johnson for more information or to express your interest in attending a trip.

**Communion service:** We use non-alcoholic wine and gluten free bread in our communion services.

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**QUOTE, UNQUOTE:** "Masculinity is the glad assumption of sacrificial responsibility."  
~ Douglas Wilson.

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**Church Notice Sheet:** Items for the next notice sheet must be passed to Colette Patterson by Wednesday evening. Details can be left in her pigeonhole, ring her on 01332 987957 or you can ring the office, 551336, where there is an answer phone or email: [office@woodlandschurch.org.uk](mailto:office@woodlandschurch.org.uk).

**Giving to Woodlands:** If you would like to make a gift on a Sunday to Woodlands, there are collection boxes fixed to the walls as you come into the Church Hall. For regular giving please speak to Sue Smith, the church treasurer.