



WOODLANDS EVANGELICAL CHURCH

Blenheim Drive Allestree www.woodlandschurch.org.uk
(Partner church at Springwood Drive, Oakwood)

A warm welcome to our services today.

Sunday 1st April 2018 A.D.

Please note this notice sheet also covers 8th April

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

- 10.30am** **All age praise, prayer & Bible teaching**
Defeating the cross
John 20:1-18 (p.1089) Phil Butcher
GIG/IMPACT & MIX in the service
- 4.00pm** **Woodlands PM at the church building**
The Victorious King
John 20:1-18 (p.1089) Warrick Martin
- 7.00pm** **Praise, prayer, communion & Bible teaching**
Easter Praise! Tim Gunn

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 our activities – 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.

- ▶ **Contact: Full time Pastors: Tim Gunn (01332) 556484, Phil Butcher (01332) 553025 & Warrick Martin (01332) 804714**
Youth & Young adult worker: Thiago Holanda (01332) 405345

Please be praying - this week at Woodlands – in the church & community

Monday	2 nd	
Tuesday	3 rd	10am Oaks
Wednesday	4 th	*No Prayer meeting*
Thursday	5 th	
Friday	6 th	
Saturday	7 th	
Sunday	8 th	<p>9.30am Prayer in the Burrow – all welcome! 10.30am All age praise, prayer & Bible teaching God our faithful Creator Psalm 33 (p.560-561) Dave Green, Littleover Methodist Church GIG/IMPACT & MIX in their groups</p> <p>4.00pm Woodlands PM at the church building Body Building Ephesians 4:1-16 (p.1175) George Case</p> <p>7.00pm Praise, prayer, communion & Bible teaching Battles Christians face: lust Thiago Holanda</p>

Week beginning 9th April at Woodlands – in the church & community

Monday	9 th	8-4 Electrical checks in church building; 7.30pm Derby Bible Week (DBW)
Tuesday	10 th	No Oaks this week; 8-4 Electrical checks in church building; aft WI downstairs; 7.30pm DBW
Wednesday	11 th	Am Electrical checks in church building; 7.30pm DBW
Thursday	12 th	7.30pm DBW
Friday	13 th	
Saturday	14 th	
Sunday	15 th	<p>9.30am Prayer in the Burrow – all welcome! 10.30am All age praise, prayer & Bible teaching God our refuge Psalm 46 (p.570-71) Phil Butcher GIG/IMPACT & MIX in their groups Tim Gunn is speaking at Springwood Church in Oakwood this morning</p> <p>4.00pm Woodlands PM at the church building Imitating God Ephesians 4:17-5:2 (p.1175-76) Warrick Martin</p> <p>7.00pm Praise, prayer, communion & Bible teaching Battles Christians face: pride Steve Adam</p>

<u>Responsibilities</u>	<u>1/4/18</u>	<u>8/4/18</u>	<u>15/4/18</u>
SEEDS	Tim R, Anna & Chrissy	Esther, Dave S & Carly	Charlotte, Amy & Rachel
Welcome Team:	George & Mona	Philippa & Phyllis	Tim & Jane
Stewards:	Mona & Ros J	Malcolm & Colleen	David & George T
Stewards pm:	David	Malcolm	Colleen
Duty Elder	Phil/George	Jon/Mark	Tim
Refreshments:	Jacky, Jeanette, Carol H & Priscila	Phyllis, Jenny L, Rachel & Jo L	Heather, Sue W, Kate, Don & Shirley
Refreshments pm		Colleen	Jonathan
Chairs:	Jonda, Josh, Greg & Jonathan	Rich L, Trevor & Jon	Kevin & Sue
Flowers:	Sue W	Jean M	Kay

Administrator: Colette Patterson (01332) 551336, email office@woodlandschurch.org.uk

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

Events

Derby Bible week: This will take place Monday 9th–Thursday 12th April. The evening meetings will be at our church building at 7.30pm. The morning meetings will be at the **new time of 10am** at Christ Church Derby, DE1 1LR. The theme for the week is Anger – practical lessons for the Christian life and the speaker is Christopher Ash. There are leaflets in the foyer with more information.

An 'evening' with Robin Oake: Robin was formerly the Chief Constable of the Isle of Man. His son, a Special Branch policeman himself, was murdered by a terrorist group in Manchester. Robin is now retired and tours the country telling the story of his life and work as a Christian policeman. He will be with us on Saturday 12th May at 7.00pm. We have booked the Mainsail restaurant at Carsington Water for an evening meal after which Robin will speak to us and reveal that a Policeman's lot is actually a 'very happy one'! More details to follow, but ***PLEASE PUT THE DATE IN YOUR DIARY*** and alert friends, neighbours and colleagues that you'd like to invite them. The evening will cost no more than £25 per person.

Training and Information

JAM Easter Sunday Activity morning for children aged 3 to 11 years old - In JAM this Sunday we will be celebrating Jesus' Resurrection with a variety of special activities. We're looking forward to a fun morning together as we remember that "Jesus is Alive" and understand what that means for us today. JAM will finish at the slightly early time of **12:00pm**.

SEEDS (crèche) toy washing session: Please can you come and help wash the toys on Monday 16th April at 7:45pm at the church building.

Derby Bible Week refreshments: If you are able to help with refreshments during the four nights of Bible week (9th-12th April) please can you contact Jenny Wing stating which night/s you would be prepared to help. Jenny will then draw up a rota and contact you with further details.

Refreshments on a Sunday: If anyone would like the opportunity to serve the church family by being added to the Sunday morning and / or evening coffee rota please contact Jenny Wing for further details. Thank you 😊.

There is a need for volunteers to help with the **creche at Christ Church each morning at Derby Bible Week (DBW)** (9th-12th April). Volunteers need to be DBS checked. If you can help in this vital work please give your name, and the mornings you would be available, to Steve Adam (steve.ad4m@gmail.com). Many thanks on behalf of the DBW team.

If you were on the **Real Change course** - please do fill out your feedback forms and return them to Phil Butcher ASAP, along with your reflection from the last "homework". Many thanks.

Church family news

Derby City Mission Basics Bank are very thankful for all the food items that we contribute as a church. For information the items that are in short supply at present are tinned meat (corned beef, ham etc) tinned potatoes and deserts (tinned fruit, puddings rice pudding etc.). Thank you for your support.

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Picnic: There will be no church picnic this Sunday. The next one will be on Sunday 6th May in the church building.

Church Spring Clean: We are having our annual church spring cleaning morning on Saturday 21st April, 9am-12noon. Please come along and help give the church a deep clean. It is a great opportunity for ALL to serve. Just an hour or two of your time would be a great help. Thank you.

Missing video: Do you have a video "Glimpses of Grace"? John Riley is looking for it so please speak to him if you have it or leave it in the church office.

Annual leave (all dates inclusive):

Phil Butcher: Monday 2nd-Saturday 7th April.

Tim Gunn: Monday 2nd-Wednesday 11th April.

Warrick Martin: Monday 2nd- Sunday 8th April.

Colette Patterson: Friday 30th March -Sunday 8th April.

Mission Support

This week we are focussing on **our mission partners in Asia**. Here are some prayer points:

- Their team leader is stepping away from that role as he will now oversee 4 teams over a wider area. Pray for wisdom for our partners in knowing what extra responsibility they may be asked to take on.
- A number of colleagues in other teams in their wider area are having visas refused. It appears that the authorities are squeezing out ministry opportunities. Pray for trust in Jesus and His sovereignty.
- Pray for recovery from recent operation and the collection of their new adopted child happening mid-April. Pray for wisdom in making plans for home assignment later in the year.

QUOTE, UNQUOTE: "If Jesus rose from the dead, then you have to accept all that he said; if he didn't rise from the dead, then why worry about any of what he said? The issue on which everything hangs is not whether or not you like his teaching but whether or not he rose from the dead." ~ Timothy Keller

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

Hearing Aid users: The church is fitted with an induction loop and hearing aid users should switch to the 'T' setting to benefit.

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.

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.

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