



WOODLANDS EVANGELICAL CHURCH

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

A warm welcome to our services today.

Sunday 4th February 2018 A.D.

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

10.30am All age praise, prayer, communion & Bible teaching

Relationships – why bother!?

Tim Gunn

GIG/IMPACT & MIX in their groups

Church picnic after the service

4.00pm Woodlands PM at the church building

A people united

Ephesians 2:11-22 (p.1174)

Warrick Martin

7.00pm Praise, prayer & Bible teaching

Dealing with disappointment (1)

Phil Butcher

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.

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

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

Monday	5 th	Am Acorns; 7.30pm Real change course
Tuesday	6 th	Am Oaks; 1pm Staff meeting; 7.30pm GIG
Wednesday	7 th	Am Acorns; 7-10pm Prayer meeting
Thursday	8 th	Am Ladies Bible study
Friday	9 th	Am Acorns
Saturday	10 th	9am-1pm Sexual Sanity for families seminar
Sunday	11 th	<p>9.30am Prayer in the Burrow – all welcome! 10.30am All age praise, prayer & Bible teaching Jesus rules over sickness – John 4:43-54 (p.1067-68) Tim Gunn GIG/IMPACT in their groups & MIX in the service</p> <p>4.00pm Woodlands PM Glorious Riches – Ephesians 3 (p.1174-75) Warrick Martin</p> <p>7.00pm Praise, prayer, communion & Bible teaching Dealing with disappointment (2) Phil Butcher</p>

<u>Responsibilities</u>	<u>4/2/18</u>	<u>11/2/18</u>
SEEDS	Charlotte, Dave, Rachel & Esther B	Janine, Shufan & Megan
Welcome Team:	Tim & Jane	Malcolm & Colleen
Stewards:	David & George T	Greg & Ros J
Stewards pm:	Colleen	Malcolm
Duty elder:	Phil/George	Jon
Chairs:	Steve, Graham & Dave	Matt C, Richard S & Thiago
Refreshments:	Karin, Linda, Mona & Greg	Jacky, Jeanette, Carol H & Priscila
Refreshments pm	Jonathan	Philippa
Flowers:	Chris Hodgson	Sarah J

Events

A Call to pray: This Wednesday (7th), 7-10pm is our opportunity to come together and express our need and dependence on God as we cry out to him in prayer. Please come to whatever you can. Between 7 & 8 we will focus on the upcoming Holiday Club & our youth work. Between 8 & 9 we will be praying for the team going to Kosovo at Easter & for the work of Derby City Mission. Between 9 & 10 we will pray for Springwood Church, Woodlands PM and the morning congregation.

The penultimate **Real Change** session is this Monday 5th February starting at 7:30pm. If you might be interested in doing this 6 session course in the future then speak to Phil Butcher. It's a Bible rooted course that helps you understand & put into practice the dynamics of growing in godliness.

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

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

"Sexual Sanity for families" raising children in a sex-saturated world! This will take place next Saturday 10th February, 9am-1pm. There are leaflets available in the foyer, which give further details. Please don't miss out on this great opportunity. **If you would like to come it is important that you sign up by letting Colette Patterson know.** If you are not planning to come to the seminar but would be able to offer child care to a family in church please let Colette know. The school car park will be available to park in for the event.

"Space Adventures" holiday club for primary aged kids will be happening at Woodlands church, Tuesday 20th till Friday 23rd February from 10 am till 1230pm. Children invite your friends! There are special flyers at church for you to give out. Parents please can you register your child by filling out a registration form and passing it to Colette Patterson as soon as possible, the church administrator (email: office@woodlandchurch.org.uk or tel: 01332 551336). **Places are filling up fast!** Thank you.

All Ladies are welcome to **Pudding Club** on Friday 2nd March at 7.30pm at our church building. Katherine Millard, of our own church, will be the After Pudding Speaker when she will talk of her experiences as a Neonatal Doctor in the NHS. The title of her talk will be 'Life in the Balance? Please do invite friends to come with you to this event and remember to sign up on the sheet at the back of church so we can have a rough idea of numbers. Offers of Puddings would be much appreciated. For more information contact Philippa Gunn.

Training and Information

Living with Disappointment? We all experience disappointments in life- be they small & irritating to large & life-changing. Over the next two Sunday evenings (4th & 11th) we will be considering how to approach disappointment as Christians.

Loose Leaves magazine: Lucie Stacey is once again looking for articles and contributions for the next edition of Loose Leaves. Please email your submissions to luciestacey@hotmail.co.uk or leave in her pigeonhole at church by Sunday 4th February. Many thanks.

Growing Young Disciples: There is a training course on Saturday 3rd March at Cornerstone Church, Nottingham – 10am-4pm. We have done a group booking at church already so if you would like to go you will need to book your own ticket. Any questions please speak to Phil Butcher.

Church family news

The Kosovo team would like to **thank everyone** for their support with the fundraiser last weekend. £600 was raised which will be used towards supporting our mission partners in their work.

Christmas Gift Day: Thank you to all who gave - we received a total of £2954.77 including gift aid. We have given £2,000 to Derby City Mission (half for night shelter and half for administrative costs) and the rest to Tearfund.

Church family business meeting: The next church meeting will take place on Wednesday 7th March at 7.30pm. Please make every effort to be there.

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Annual Church building Spring Clean: This will be on the morning of Saturday 21st April. Please put the date in your diaries! ☺

Yoghurt pots for The Heroes Academy holiday club: Please pass any large-ish yoghurt pots you have to Esther Martin (the muller yoghurt size – they need to be big enough to fit a tennis ball in!). They need 50 of them. Thank you.

Craft items wanted for youth group: please can you donate any of the following craft items over the next month to Beth Arnold (ministry trainee): used tins, old yarns of wool, nuts and bolts, old/ used nail polish & old Jam jars. **No more cardboard is required.** Thank you.

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

QUOTE, UNQUOTE: "We never know how God will answer our prayers, but we can expect that He will get us involved in His plan for the answer. If we are true intercessors, we must be ready to take part in God's work on behalf of the people for whom we pray" ~ **Corrie ten Boom**

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.