



WOODLANDS EVANGELICAL CHURCH

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Blenheim Drive Allestree

(Partner church at Springwood Drive, Oakwood)

A warm welcome to our services today.

Sunday 5th March 2017 A.D.

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

Guard the good news!

Have nothing to do with such people

2 Timothy 3:1-9 (p. 1196) Phil Butcher

GIG/IMPACT in their groups

The morning service will include a thanksgiving for Anna Rees

Church Picnic after the service

4.00pm Woodlands PM

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

7.00pm Prayer & Praise evening – ‘Beholding’

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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This week at Woodlands – in the church & community

Monday	6 th	9am Acorns
Tuesday	7 th	10am Oaks; 7.30pm GIG
Wednesday	8 th	9am Acorns
Thursday	9 th	9.30am Ladies Bible study
Friday	10 th	9am Acorns; Pm Conkers set up
Saturday	11 th	8.30am-10.30am Conkers
Sunday	12 th	<p>9.30am Prayer in the Burrow – all welcome! 10.30am All age praise, prayer & Bible teaching Guard the Good News! Continue in what you have learned 2 Timothy 3:10-17 – Tim Gunn</p> <p>4.00pm Woodlands PM</p> <p>7.00pm All age praise, prayer, communion & Bible teaching In Christ alone – “Yes” to God’s promises 2 Corinthians 1:20 Aaron Johnson</p>

Opportunities to serve the Lord and each other

<i>Responsibilities</i>	<i>5/3/17</i>	<i>12/3/17</i>
SEEDS	Jane M, Megan A, Shufan & Rachel	Tim D, Tim R, Hannah & Charlotte
Welcome Team:	Ian & Dawn	Philippa & Phyllis
Stewards:	David & George T	Angela & Sarah J
Stewards pm:	Stuart	Colleen
Duty Elder	Phil/Mark	Jon
Refreshments:	Tracey, Karin, Linda, Mona & Greg	Phyllis, Jacky, Marjorie & Helen
Refreshments pm	Phyllis	Glen
Chairs:	Steve, Graham & Dave L	Matt C, Richard S & Thiago
Flowers:	Christine H	Sarah J

Events

The missions support team are meeting tomorrow night at 8 pm at Chrissy Hill's. Please do continue to pray faithfully for our mission partners. After Easter we will have the joy of having Andy, Helena and the boys back in Derby on home assignment for a few months.

Conkers takes place next Saturday 11th January 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. Invite your mates! See Tim Rosier for more details.

City Wide prayer meeting: On Sunday 19th March at 6.30pm you are invited to come to Broadway Baptist to pray for our city and world with Christians from all over Derby. The evening will be a mixture of worship, seeking God's presence and focussing our prayer in a range of areas, led by different church leaders.

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Term time office hours: Monday 930-1230, Tuesday 930-1230 and Friday 10-1

Raising the next generation: A special Sunday & Wednesday to encourage both parents and the whole church family in our great task of making disciples of our children and young people. Nick Jackman, the Director of Contagious Youth Ministry and former Families Pastor at Beeston Free Church will speak on Sunday 26th March in the morning and then lead a more interactive time on Wednesday 29th March at 7:30 pm. Please don't miss out on this encouragement! Book your diaries now! (There will be no 2:42 groups that night.)

Fisherman's Tail the Musical by 4Front theatre: Broadway Baptist are hosting an hour-long family friendly musical on Friday 7th April at 7pm. It's a great way to hear the familiar Easter story through the eyes of the fishermen disciples. Admission is free but donations are welcome. There is a poster and leaflets in the foyer if you want more information.

Derby Bible Week: This will take place from Monday 24th – Thursday 27th April. Jonathan Lamb will be speaking on the theme of **Trusting God in turbulent times: following Habakkuk's journey from Why to Worship**. There will be evening meetings at 7.30pm in our church building and morning meetings at 10.30am at Christ Church. There will be crèche facilities available at the morning meetings. There are leaflets in the foyer containing more details. Steve Adam is part of the organising committee if you want to speak to him for more details.

Information

Church Weekend together 18-19th March: Please pass any outstanding monies to Sue Smith asap. Please also note the magician at the weekend will be using latex balloons. If anyone has any allergies to latex please let Sue Smith know and she will pass this information on. Thank you.

Volunteers: Church Weekend Together is looking for volunteers to help with one session for crèche or younger Jam, giving our usual workers opportunity for a rest! Please see Ali Hart asap, so we can ensure we have sufficient helpers to cover this important work, and to ensure we can complete any required DBS applications. Thank you.

Cakes needed for weekend together, 18-19th March: In the coffee break on the Saturday morning we would like to enjoy some cake or tray bake with our drinks. Just something people can eat with their fingers off a serviette, either homemade or shop bought. We are hoping people could bring some with them on the day. Jenny Wing is coordinating this, so if people could contact her as soon as possible (at the moment we don't have many offers so you may go hungry!).

Refreshments: Woodlands will be hosting **Derby Bible Week** for the 4 evenings (24th-27th April) and we will be providing drinks and biscuits at the end of each evening. These are always busy evenings and we will need 4 people each evening to serve refreshments and wash up. If you feel able to serve in this way please contact Jenny Wing for more details. Thank you.

Church directory: The new one for 2017/18 is now available (lilac cover).

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Wanted used postage stamps: The Thursday Ladies (Betty Killick's group) are collecting used postage stamps of any denomination for The Leprosy Mission. We realise that far fewer stamped envelopes are received these days but we are hoping that you will save yours for us. If it is easier, we'll gladly accept whole envelopes, but if you prefer to cut the stamps off, please leave a margin of at least 1cm or half an inch. They can be passed on at any time to Betty or any other group member. Thank you.

Raising Teens in a Hyper-Sexualised World: A book has recently been published by Eliza Huie, a parent and Christian counsellor which comes with some great recommendations. The church is planning to order some and was wondering if anyone would like their own copy. The more we buy the greater the discount – the price per copy is £2.99 but if we order 20 or more then we can get them for £2 per copy. Please email Colette Patterson, our church administrator at church-admin@hotmail.co.uk if you would like a copy to be ordered for you.

Church family news

Annual leave: Phil Butcher will be on annual leave from Friday 10th-Sunday 12th March.

Gift Pledges: As highlighted at the church family meeting last week a number of pledges are yet to be activated. If you have made a monetary pledge and are yet to activate it please can you do this asap. If you have any queries or there has been a change in your circumstances then please do speak to Sue Smith in confidence.

Thank you: Derby City Mission have written to thank us for our monetary donation. They appreciate our support, both financial and in prayer. They have asked us to pray for the Nightshelter which has been very busy this year and for more street pastors to come forward.

QUOTE, UNQUOTE: "Blowing out another person's candle will not make yours brighter... Encourage others to their face and speak well of them behind their back." - Mike Pilavachi

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: church-admin@hotmail.co.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.