



# **WOODLANDS EVANGELICAL CHURCH**

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**Blenheim Drive Allestree**

(Partner church at Springwood Drive, Oakwood)

**A warm welcome to our services today.**

**Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> July 2017 A.D.**

**\*Please note this notice sheet also covers 6<sup>th</sup> August\***

**10.30am All age praise, prayer & Bible teaching**  
**Every Promise Kept!**  
**Responding to God's faithfulness**  
**Joshua 22 (p.237-239) Phil Butcher**  
**No GIG/IMPACT**

**4.00pm Woodlands PM**

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

**7.00pm Praise, prayer, communion & Bible teaching**  
**No longer slaves!**  
**Boasting in the cross**  
**Galatians 6:1-18 (p.1172) 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 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 Pastor: Thiago Holanda (01332) 405345**

## **This week at Woodlands – in the church & community**

Monday	31 <sup>st</sup>	am Acorns
Tuesday	1 <sup>st</sup>	10am Oaks
Wednesday	2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>7.30pm</b> 2:42 Summer social: prayer walking at the church
Thursday	3 <sup>rd</sup>	7.30pm Last bereavement group; pm Allestree elders meeting
Friday	4 <sup>th</sup>	
Saturday	5 <sup>th</sup>	
Sunday	6 <sup>th</sup>	<p><b>9.30am Prayer in the Burrow – all welcome!</b>  <b>10.30am All age praise, prayer, communion &amp; Bible teaching</b>                      Every Promise kept!                      Joshua 23 (p.239) Phil Butcher                      GIG/IMPACT in their groups                      *Church picnic after the morning service*</p> <p><b>4.00pm Woodlands PM</b></p> <p><b>7.00pm Praise, prayer &amp; Bible teaching</b>                      Sizzling summer specials!                      Course 1 Jon Butler</p>

## **Week beginning 7<sup>th</sup> June at Woodlands – in the church & community**

Monday	7 <sup>th</sup>	am Acorns
Tuesday	8 <sup>th</sup>	10am Oaks
Wednesday	9 <sup>th</sup>	<b>6pm</b> 2:42 Summer social: BBQ at Tim & Philippa's house
Thursday	10 <sup>th</sup>	
Friday	11 <sup>th</sup>	
Saturday	12 <sup>th</sup>	
Sunday	13 <sup>th</sup>	<p><b>9.30am Prayer in the Burrow – all welcome!</b>  <b>10.30am All age praise, prayer &amp; Bible teaching</b>                      Every Promise kept                      Saved to serve Joshua 24 (p.239-241) Tim Gunn                      GIG/IMPACT in their groups                      (Tuesday 2:42 group using the church for a picnic lunch if wet weather)</p> <p><b>4.00pm Woodlands PM</b></p> <p><b>7.00pm Praise, prayer, communion &amp; Bible teaching</b>                      Sizzling summer specials!                      Course 2 Phil Butcher</p>

<b><u>Responsibilities</u></b>	<b><u>30/7/17</u></b>	<b><u>6/8/17</u></b>	<b><u>13/8/17</u></b>
<b>SEEDS</b>	Lucie, Anna & Esther	Esther, Susi D & Chrissy	Philippa, Carly & Jane Z
<b>Welcome Team:</b>	Malcolm & Colleen	Philippa & Phyllis	Tim & Jane
<b>Stewards:</b>	Greg & Ros J	David & George T	Malcolm & Colleen
<b>Stewards pm:</b>	Malcolm	Colleen	David
<b>Duty Elder</b>	Tim/Mark	Phil/George	Jon
<b>Refreshments:</b>	Jane S, Angela, Colleen & Carole W	Philippa, Ros J, Christine & Sue D	Kay, Jo, Jeanette & Glen
<b>Refreshments pm</b>	Glen	Colleen	Jonathan
<b>Chairs:</b>	Kevin & Sue	Trevor, Rich L & Jon H	Andy B, Peter & Pete R
<b>Flowers:</b>	Angela	Zoe	Jan

## **Events**

**Bereavement Support Group:** The last public meeting of this group will be Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> August at 7.30pm and will end by 9.00pm. It's for any adult experiencing grief and bereavement, through the death of a loved one, or good friend, or through some other significant loss (e.g. redundancy, separation or divorce, etc).

**Church Picnic:** Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> August there will be a picnic lunch after the morning service. Please bring your own picnic food. All welcome to stay.

**Holiday at home for Senior citizens at Broadway Baptist:** Booking forms are available for 'A Bucket full of Memories' the seaside themed Holiday at Home (an Allestree Churches Together initiative). The event will run from 8<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> August with a trip to Rutland Water on the 11<sup>th</sup> August. Come for as much or as little as you like. Places may be available just for the day trip but first priority is to the holiday guests. Book your place to avoid disappointment as places are filling up fast. Volunteers are also needed – please contact Rev Rashell Beya if you can help and want to find out more (07908 112049 or 01332 346719 Email: [rashell@broadwaybaptist.co.uk](mailto:rashell@broadwaybaptist.co.uk)).

**2:42 Summer BBQ:** This will be held on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> August at 6pm at Tim & Philippa's. Please let Graham or Marie Spencer know if you are coming and what side dish you are able to bring.

**2:42 Carroms game evening:** This will be on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> August at church at 7.45pm.

**Woodlands Weekday Walkers:** On Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> August we will meet at Church at 10am and go on a walk around Swarkestone, God willing. Please bring a picnic. All welcome.

**East Midlands Women's Convention:** This will be held on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> October 10am-4.30pm at Cornerstone Church, Nottingham. The title of the convention is 'Glorious Jesus, first and last' based on Revelation chapters 1 & 21. The speaker for the main sessions is Andrea Trevenna and there will be two seminars which you need to choose. Tickets are £18 full price and £14 for concessions (full time students, those on benefits, pensions). There is a sign-up sheet out in the foyer for you to pick your seminars as well as leaflets giving you more information – we cannot book you a place without your seminar choices. Tickets will be booked early September so please sign up before your summer holidays. Please speak to Colette Patterson, church administrator for more information.

## **Training and Information**

**Refreshments at Acorns:** More helpers are needed to make the drinks at Acorns from September. If this is something you could help with then please speak to Philippa Gunn. The frequency of how many times you are on the rota is up to you.

**Ministry Trainees:** The visa application for Gladys Kibe to join us as a ministry trainee is progressing well. Please be praying for her and the process. We still have a need of accommodation for her. Please speak to Phil or Tim for more details or if you think you might be able to offer. Please also remember to pray for Beth Arnold who will be joining us in September & Debora Morais who hopefully will stay with us until Summer 2018 visa-extension permitting.

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**Summer JAM specials:** Things are a bit different over the summer for our 3 year olds up to those just finished Year 5. All ages are together in the Den and need to be picked up at 12 noon. We are looking at the theme of wisdom & foolishness over the summer holidays.

**July 30th:** Adam & Eve. Leader: Andy Brown

**August 6th:** Job. Leader: Debora Morais

**August 13th:** The Two Builders. Leader: Debora Morais

**August 20th:** The Great Banquet. Leader: Rachel King

**August 27th:** Bank Holiday Special! Leader: Abby Richards

**September 3rd:** Solomon. Leader: Debora Morais

**Annual joint children's & youth workers meeting** for everyone involved in children's & youth ministry at Woodlands. Monday September 4th at 7:30 pm. The meeting will be a mix of training, prayer & planning. Please put it in your diaries now.

## **Church family news**

**New arrival:** Praise God for the safe arrival of baby Ava Zipporah Sujith, born on 27th July at 2:07 AM at 8 lbs and 4 oz. Christine is recovering well and Luke cannot stop wanting to hold his baby sister! Thanks for all the prayers and the support.

**Thank you card:** We have received a lovely thank you card from the Wearing family who recently left our church family here to move to Buckley. The card can be found next to the kitchen hatch if you wish to read it.

**New email address:** Please note Tim Gunn's email address is timjgunn3@gmail.com.

### **Annual leave:**

Colette Patterson will be on leave from Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> July – Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> August.

**Accommodation:** A new young Christian Romanian female student, who arrives in the UK on 8<sup>th</sup> September, is looking for a student room to rent, close to the Kedleston campus, until 21<sup>st</sup> January 21st. Any further info or if able to help, please contact Lorella Ene directly.

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**QUOTE, UNQUOTE:** "Be more concerned with your character than with your reputation, because your character is what you really are while your reputation is merely what others think you are." - J R Wooden

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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: 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.