

## Welcome to Trinity!

We give a warm welcome to regulars and visitors alike. If you are new among us do make yourself known to us and ask for a copy of our Welcome Pack.

The morning services will last around an hour and a half. On the 23rd our children will go out to their groups for a Christmas celebration. On the 30th it will be an all-age service where we stay together; do not worry if your children make a little noise, we are pleased to have you here with us. However, if young children become restless, crèche facilities are available in the back hall, but you will need to stay with your children.

Tea and coffee will be served in the Middle Hall after the morning service – everyone is welcome to stay for fellowship. An audio loop system is installed downstairs, for anyone wearing a suitable hearing aid.

An offering will be collected during the service. Visitors, please do not feel obliged to contribute, this is for regular friends and members to give to the ministry and outreach of the church.

Cornerstone @ The Point is our evening service which starts at 7 pm and will last around an hour and a half. It is a more informally styled service.

If you would like someone to pray with you after either service, this is available in the chapel – look for the sign at the back near the stairs, or look for people with prayer ministry team badges.

Several small groups meet during the week on various days and in various locations. There is a list of all small groups on the notice board in the welcome area, or speak to Andy Banks.

## Foodbank

Our Foodbank will open as usual over the Christmas period, including Christmas Eve and the 28th December. Please consider whether you can help volunteer on those days, especially with the set up/down of the chapel. Let Martin Sansom or Margaret Kemp know you can help.

## Christmas Day Offering

Our Christmas Day offering will be split between Evergreen Bexley who work with the elderly locally and Operation Mobilisation, to help poor Christians in Pakistan.

## Christmas Cards

There are trays in the Chapel where you can leave Christmas Cards to be collected by people in the fellowship.



Christmas at Trinity  
We would love to see you at any of these events.

<b>Carols by Candlelight</b> 5 pm	Sunday 23rd December
<b>Christmas Day Family Service</b> 10.00 am	Tuesday 25th December
<b>New Years Eve Party</b> (Primary Aged Children & Parents) 4.30 pm	Monday 31st December

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## Bexley Winter Shelter

Bexley Winter Shelter starts on the 3rd January and each Thursday evening will be held at Trinity. It is important to note that aside from the Thursday evening prayer meeting, we are discouraged from being on the premises when the shelter is in operation, unless here as a shelter volunteer. It is also a strictly over 18s activity so no children can be on-site.

## Through the year with Prayer



Through The Year With Prayer is a new initiative to help us engage in corporate prayer for the mission God has given us to spread the good news of Jesus, and to encourage us to be the people he wants us to be. The first sessions of TTYWP will be on Wednesdays 2nd and 9th January at 8pm in the chapel (with four more sessions in total after Easter and in September). All the fellowship are invited and everyone needs to consider how they can contribute to the spiritual vitality of Trinity in 2019. We look forward to seeing God at work during and because of these occasions.

## Knitting for Africa Group

The Knitting for Africa Group will next meet on the 8th January. If you are interested in knitting, do come along and join them!

## Change of Church Bank Account

You will have received a letter advising you that we have changed our church bank account. Please cancel your existing standing order with your bank and set up a new standing order made payable to the new bank account. It will greatly help us if you could do this as soon as possible, and definitely by the end of January. While you are changing the standing order, it would be a good opportunity to review the amount you give and ensure that it is suitably in line with your current income.

## Trinity Diary

### Monday 24th December

1 pm: Foodbank

### Tuesday 25th December

10 am: Christmas Day Family Service

### Friday 28th December

10.30 am: Foodbank

9 pm: Street Pastors based at Trinity

### Monday 31st December

1 pm: Foodbank

4.30 pm: New Years Eve Children's Party

### Wednesday 2nd January

8 pm: Through The Year With Prayer

### Thursday 3rd January

From 6 pm: Bexley Winter Shelter

### Friday 4th January

9 - 2 pm: BCU based at Trinity

10.30 am: Foodbank

9 pm - 1 am: Street Pastors based at Trinity

### Saturday 5th January

9 pm - 1 am: Street Pastors based at Trinity

### Sunday 6th January

10.30 am: Morning Service

Preacher: Andy Banks

7 pm: Cornerstone @ The Point with Communion



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Sunday 23rd December 2018

4th Sunday in Advent

**9.45 am Morning Prayer**

**10.30 am Communion Service**

Preacher: Andy Banks

**5 pm Carols by Candlelight**

Led by Terry Griffith

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Sunday 30th December 2018

**9.45 am Morning Prayer**

**10.30 am All-Age Service**

Led by Terry Griffith

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### Prayer

The prayer ministry team would be happy to pray with you after the service; at the back under the stairs. Alternatively, you can ask Scilla Stirling to email the prayer chain via [priscillastirling@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:priscillastirling@yahoo.co.uk).

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