

## More news...

### Praise God:

🕊️ That He hears our prayers and knows our hearts when the words to pray are hard to find. Thank God that He is with us on the mountain top and in the deepest darkest valley.

### Please Pray:

- 🕊️ For Christine Tremain as she shares God's Word with us this morning.
- 🕊️ For the children, youth and their leaders as they enjoy time with each other and explore more of God today.
- 🕊️ For Chris, Meg and children as they are away this weekend celebrating a family wedding.
- 🕊️ For Irene Kinnon who is hospital and Brian Lacey who is very unwell.
- 🕊️ For Stephanie Darling as she prepares to return to Malawi.
- 🕊️ For the people of Haiti after the devastating earthquake there last weekend.

### Five Ways To Pray For Afghanistan Today

- Please pray for the small group of believers in the country.
- Pray for the displaced.
- Pray for the women.
- Pray for the sick (Covid-19 cases are spiking).
- Pray that the country will not be a haven for extremists.

(Copied from the Open Doors website. For more detailed information on these prayer points, please go to [www.opendoorsuk.org/news](http://www.opendoorsuk.org/news))

## Staff team...

**Rev Chris Brockway** (Team Leader)

**Rev Kay Boulton** (Minister)

**Jackie McGregor** (0-18s Ministry Lead)

**Julie Dynan** (Administration)

**Mark Coleman** (Caretaker)

## Creation Care Challenge...



Twin your Toilet(s). All of the church's toilets are now twinned. See [www.toilettwinning.org](http://www.toilettwinning.org).

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## Welcome...

Joining us for the first time...? You are very welcome!

During the 11am service our children & young people will enjoy time together with their leaders in the Christian Centre.

**While he was still speaking, a bright cloud covered them, and a voice from the cloud said, "This is my Son, whom I love; with him I am well pleased. Listen to him!"**

Matthew 17:5

## Today...

**Sunday 22 August**

- 9.15am: Morning Worship at CBC- More Than A Sunday School Story The Transfiguration (Matthew 17:1-13) - Christine Tremain
- 11.00am: Morning Worship at CBC - As 9.15am and including Youth & Children's activities
- 6.00pm: Let's Explore - Youth Walk (10-13+)
- 7.00pm: Let's Explore - Youth Walk (14-17+)

## Next week...

**When the disciples heard this, they fell facedown to the ground, terrified. But Jesus came and touched them.**

**“Get up,” he said. “Don’t be afraid.”**

**When they looked up, they saw no one except Jesus.**

Matthew 17:6-8

**Live Streaming** - If you can't come physically, we will be live streaming the 11am service on our YouTube Channel and our online church platform: <https://youtube.com/c/ChristchurchBaptistChurch> or <https://cbc dorset.online.church/>

**Prayer Requests** - If you would like to request prayer at any time, please email details to [prayer@christchurchbaptist.org.uk](mailto:prayer@christchurchbaptist.org.uk).

### **Sunday 29 August**

9.15am: Worship Service at CBC  
11.00am: Worship Service at CBC including Youth & Children’s activities  
6.00pm: Let's Explore - Youth Walk (10-13+)  
7.00pm: Let's Explore - Youth Walk (14-17+)

**Celebrations Today!** - Happy Birthday to Samuel Thomas, who is 11 today and to Peter Doyle who also has a birthday today!

## More news...

**Filming** - Our 11am service is live-streamed to our YouTube channel. Every effort will be taken not to film recognisable images of the congregation without consent. The camera will be focused on the stage throughout but please ask our team about camera ‘blind-spots’ in the building.

**Face Coverings** - Anyone attending our services in person (11 years+) will be expected to wear a face covering whilst in the building, unless medically exempt.

## More news...

**Annual Leave** - Kay Boulton is on annual leave from Monday 23 August until Monday 06 September. Please do remember Kay in your prayers.

**Homemade Jam And Marmalade** - Marian has delicious homemade plum jam and marmalade available for sale in the foyer or contact Dave & Marian on 01425 280 622. Please give generously as all proceeds will go to the 2020 fund.

**Funds Raised For CBC** - We received a quarterly payment of £108.97 thanks to shoppers supporting CBC when buying online with ‘Easyfundraising’. We also received a payment of £58.50 from ‘Recycling for Good Causes’ for recycling old phones, jewellery, watches, currency and stamps.

**Message From Christchurch Foodbank+** - Thank you for your continued support. Our shelves are looking empty after a very busy couple of weeks. Our needs this week are pasta (500g/1Kg), boxes of cereal, hot dog sausages, tinned tuna, Fray Bentos pies and tins of soup. We have been blessed by a couple of local allotments bringing their surplus supplies down to us. This has been both used for our community hot meals and given out to our visitors and all gratefully received. Good News: A family CFB+ have been helping the past twelve months came in this week... not for a food parcel but to make a food donation! The children were so pleased to hand over a bag of food and tell us, with big smiles across their faces all about how 'Daddy and Mummy have both now got jobs, opposite shifts! And instead of picking up food we can now bring food for other people who don't have any'. Luke 6:38 'Give and it will be given to you' Amazing. Thank you for helping us to serve our community so well together.

**Giving To The Work Of The Church** - If you would like to give a cash offering for the work of God’s Church please place it in the wooden box on the stage. If you are a visitor with us today, please do not feel any obligation to give. For information about giving to the work Christchurch Baptist Church please visit our website: [www.christchurchbaptist.uk/giving](http://www.christchurchbaptist.uk/giving) where you can also download Standing Order and Gift Aid forms.

**The Bible Course** - This is an 8 week course helping you explore the world’s best seller. The course has been developed by the Bible Society and starts online on 05 September 2021. For more information and to sign up, please contact the office or visit our church website: <https://www.christchurchbaptist.org.uk/the-bible-course/>.