

## More news...

### Praise God:

- That He always welcomes us with open arms and always has room for us.
- For the safe arrival of a baby boy for Jenny & Damien Chambers. Theo was born on Wednesday 25 August at 1.25pm. Many congratulations to Jenny & Damien!

### Please Pray:

- For Chris Brockway as he 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 Stephanie Darling as she speaks at Hill Cliffe Baptist Church today.
- For strength for people in Afghanistan now feeling under threat and worrying for their futures, and for protection for those who feel forced to leave the country or to move their families to a safer region. Pray for lasting peace and stability to be found in the nation of Afghanistan.

**Sad Farewell & Many Thanks** - Today we say a sad farewell to the much loved Joan Simmons as she is moving away to be closer to family. Joan has been a member of CBC for 5 years and in that time she has served as a Trustee, on the Pastoral team and as a Home Group leader. Thank you so much Joan for your dedicated service to our church family over the last 5 years. We are going to miss you so much but we pray that you will know God's blessing and peace as you continue to follow His leading. (Please do remember Joan in your prayers.)

## 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...



Showering uses less hot water, and hence less energy, than bathing.

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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.

**Now there was room for the blind and crippled to get in.  
They came to Jesus and he healed them.**

Matthew 21:14 (The Message)

## Today...

**Sunday**

**29 August**

- 9.15am: Morning Worship at CBC- More Than A Sunday School Story  
Jesus At The Temple (Matthew 21:12-17) - Chris Brockway
- 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...

**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://cbcdorset.online.church/>

### Friday 03 September

9.30am: Morning Prayer Gathering

### Sunday 05 September

9.15am: Worship Service at CBC

11.00am: Worship Service at CBC including Youth & Children's activities

4.30pm: Online Communion

6.00pm: Let's Explore - Youth Walk (10-13+)

7.00pm: Let's Explore - Youth Walk (14-17+)

7.30pm: The Bible Course (Online)

**Online Communion** - You are warmly invited to join us for an online communion service via Zoom next Sunday 05 September. Please note that this short service starts at the earlier time of **4.30pm** as our online Bible course starts next week. Sign up using the email sent last week or contact the church office. Video content of this short, reflective service will also be shared on our online church platform: <https://cbcdorset.online.church>.

## 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...

**Celebrations Today!** - Happy Birthday to Matthew Renshaw, who is 11 today and to Christine Tremain who also has a birthday today!

**Morning Prayer Gathering** - This coming Friday morning (03 September) we will be gathering in person in the Christian Centre at 9.30am for a time of waiting on God and interceding for others. Please do come along if you possibly can.

**Annual Leave** - Kay Boulton is on annual leave 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.

**Barnabas Fellowship** - Barnabas will be gathering on 07 & 14 September at 2.30pm in the Christian Centre for a chat, prayer and a cup of tea.

**The Bible Course** - This course starts online **NEXT SUNDAY** evening on 05 September 2021 at 7.30pm. For more information and to sign up, please visit our church website: <https://www.christchurchbaptist.org.uk/the-bible-course/> or contact the office.

**Message From Christchurch Foodbank+** - As our hot cooked meal deliveries come to an end, we are starting up our 'Community Tea/Dinner Meal' at 5.30pm on a Wednesday. These meals are to encourage isolated families, couples & individuals to come together & eat, stepping out of isolation, bringing generations & community together and for their own well-being. They will enjoy a home cooked hot meal and dessert at their own pace in a safe environment. If you would like to be involved in the evening (there are lots of different roles) OR know a family/individual who would really be blessed & benefit from attending email Tracy: [christchurchfoodbank@gmail.com](mailto:christchurchfoodbank@gmail.com) and request details. Needs this week are custard, tins of big soup, tuna and Fray Bentos pies.

**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.