

More news...

Praise God:

- That He is compassionate towards us and that He is the true and trustworthy source of joy and lasting peace for us all.
- For all the different opportunities to share the good news and love of Jesus that this Easter season brings. Please pray for all our Easter events & activities and those that will be happening all over the world.

Please Pray:

- For Jeannie Kendall as she shares God's Word with us this morning and for Chris Brockway who is speaking at Testwood Baptist Church, Totton.
- For the children, youth and their leaders as they enjoy time with each other and explore more of God today.
- For all the countries around the world that are facing conflict and war.
- For the protection of the persecuted church as they gather in whatever way they can to celebrate Easter despite the dangers they face.

Prayer Requests - If you would like to request prayer at any time, please email details to prayer@christchurchbaptist.org.uk or complete the online form on our website www.christchurchbaptist.org.uk/prayer-requests/.

**You make known to me the path of life; you will fill me with joy
in your presence, with eternal pleasures at your right hand.**

Psalm 16:11

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...



Box up clothes you don't need and write the date on the box. If, after 3 months, you've not opened the box, give the clothes to charity.

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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.

“Hosanna to the Son of David!”

“Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!”

“Hosanna in the highest heaven!”

Matthew 21:9

Today...

Sunday 24 March - Palm Sunday

9.15am: Morning Worship - NEW TEACHING SERIES BEGINS
God Is... 'God Is My Joy' (Psalm 47:1-9; Matthew 21:1-11)
Jeannie Kendall

Refreshments will be served in the church foyer between the services

11.00am: Morning Worship (as 9.15am)

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>

Monday 25 March - Sunday 31 March

7.00am: Passion Week - Start The Day With Scripture on Zoom
Join us as often as you can at 7am all week for 10-15 minutes as we listen to Scriptures telling the Easter narrative.

Monday 25 March

6.00pm: Zoom Update With Esther Boulton (in Uganda)

Thursday 28 March - Maundy Thursday

10.00am: Linkup Wellbeing Café

7.00pm: Maundy Thursday Meal & Reflective Service - God Is... 'God Is My Peace' (John 14:15-27) Chris Brockway

Friday 29 March - Good Friday

11.00am: Good Friday Morning Worship - Combined Outdoor Worship With Other Churches At The Bandstand On The Quomps

Sunday 31 March - Easter Sunday

6.00am: 'Sunrise' Gathering & Breakfast

11.00am: Easter Morning Celebration Service at **Moorlands College**
God Is... 'God Is My Hope' (Luke 24:1-12; 1 Corinthians 15:12-22)
Clive Burnard

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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 or in the foyer. Alternatively, we have two easy to use self-service devices that collect donations via contactless or Chip & PIN. For more information about giving to the work of Christchurch Baptist Church please visit our website: www.christchurchbaptist.org.uk/giving where you can also download Standing Order and Gift Aid forms. If you are a visitor with us today, please do not feel any obligation to give.

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Birthday Celebrations! - A very Happy Birthday to Carol Stevens whose birthday is today (24 March)!

Easter Events - A printed list of activities and events that are on leading up to and including Easter are available in the foyer on the welcome desk. Visit www.christchurchbaptist.org.uk/easter to sign up for our Easter events.

Maundy Thursday Meal & Reflective Service - Our staff team and Trustees will prepare and serve a lamb casserole meal (or vegetarian alternative). This will be immediately followed by Communion and a reflective time of worship in the church on Maundy Thursday (28 March, 7pm). You are warmly invited to join us for what is always a special occasion. If you can't sign up for this online please call the church office to book a place.

'Sunrise' Gathering & Breakfast - If you are coming in person, we'll meet in the Marsh Lane Car Park (just off Fairmile Road, B3073) at 6am prompt, from where we will walk together up and around to the top of St Catherine's Hill in time for our live streamed gathering at 7am and back to CBC after for breakfast.

Fairmile Grange Easter Service - We are holding a service at Fairmile Grange Care Home on Easter Sunday afternoon, if you would like to come along to share in this service and bless the residents and staff please let Kay Boulton know kay@christchurchbaptist.org.uk.

Message From Christchurch Foodbank+ - Thank you for all your continued and faithful support, the Easter School holidays are just about to begin and after a busy start to the year we are praying for donations of tinned fruit, tinned meat meals (stew, curry and chilli), tinned peas and tinned carrots, UHT milk cartons and custard. Good news stories always make us praise the Lord, this week we were able to bless a couple in their 80's with new bath towels after all theirs were stolen from the laundry, we moved furniture in for a family who had been in a hostel for 16 months after their landlord sold and we blessed a 90 year old man with food and new slippers after returning home from a long hospital stay. *Donated food items can be placed in the boxes in the foyer of church.*

Advanced Notice - Cleaning, Maintenance & Gardening Day - Might you be free and willing to join us for all or part of the day on Saturday 20 April 9am-4pm for a cleaning, maintenance & gardening day...? Many hands will make light work! Please put this date in your diary