

Please Pray:

- 🔊 For Bill Lawrance who had an operation on Thursday. Please pray for Bill's recovery and for his wife Kay at this time.
- 🔊 For the Mahons who are serving in Peru as part of BMS' long-term programme. They are working in the Amazonian area of Iquitos, working and training local church leaders and promoting unity amongst churches in the area. See the Mission Board for more information.
- 🔊 Please pray for Stephanie as she prepares to preach on Sunday 10th and for staff at the Evangelical Bible College of Malawi as they have a Faculty Meeting on Wednesday. A few copies of Stephanie's latest newsletter are available from the welcome desk.
- 🔊 For Helena Schiefer and the work she is involved in overseas, especially her language studies, deepening of friendships and her Visa.

Reverse Advent Calendar - Christchurch Foodbank have begun their 'Reverse Advent Calendar' to bless families at Christmas with a bit extra. There are a few handouts describing how and what to collect on the Welcome Desk or details are on their Facebook page.

Annual Leave - David Ruilova is on annual leave from Monday 4th November until Sunday 10th November inclusive. Please pray that David will have a relaxing and refreshing time.

Rev Chris Brockway (Team Leader)
Kay Boulton (MIT & Pastoral)
David Ruilova (Equip/Evangelism Lead)
Jackie McGregor (0-18s Ministry Lead)
Josh Vallance (Moorlands Student)
Julie Dynan (Administration)
Mark Coleman (Caretaker)

Support homeless people.
Buy the Big Issue regularly.

Here for the first time...? You are very welcome! Today we have groups for children up to 14 years old in our 11am service. Please collect your children from the downstairs of the Christian Centre at the end of the service. We'd also be so pleased if you would fill in one of our Welcome Cards whilst you are here if you are new to the church.

During our time of worship, an offering for the work of God's Church will be taken. If you are a visitor with us today, please do not feel any obligation to give or any embarrassment to let the bag pass you by. If you would like to give and pay any form of Income Tax, please complete one of the Gift Aid envelopes or pick up the relevant forms from the Welcome Desk area at the back of the church. The forms are also available to download from our church website: www.christchurchbaptist.uk/giving

Sunday**3rd November**

8.30am:	A Time for Prayer
9.15am:	Morning Communion - Proverbs: Fool-Proofing Your Life 'Work' - (Proverbs 6:6-11, 16:3) Kay Boulton
10.30am:	Refreshments in the Christian Centre
11.00am:	Morning Communion - As 9.15am
12.30pm:	Bring & Share Lunch in the Christian Centre
7.00pm:	Mentoring Training Update

Tuesday 5th November
2.30pm: Barnabas Fellowship - Andrew Varney: A Christchurch Constable
7.30pm: Christian Cancer Care - Aotearoa: Land of the Long White Cloud
7.30pm: Alpha Course & The Bible Course

Thursday 7th November
10.30am: Open Doors Coffee Morning
6.30pm: Connect (10-12 yrs)
7.00pm: Connect (13-15 yrs)
7.45pm: Connect+

Friday 8th November
10.00am: Stepping Stones
6.30pm: Trailblazers - Food Craft Night
7.45pm: Ignite - The Project Twynham School

Saturday 9th November
9.00am: Men's Breakfast - Details Opposite

Sunday 10th November
8.30am: A Time for Prayer
9.15am: Morning Worship - Proverbs: Fool-Proofing Your Life
'Friendship' (Proverbs 18:24) Chris Brockway
10.30am: Refreshments in the Christian Centre
11.00am: Morning Worship - As 9.15 am
4.00pm: Teatime Service of Remembrance

Week of Prayer 2020 - The date of our annual Week of Prayer in 2020 will be from Monday 20th January to Sunday 26th January 2020. Please make a note of these dates. For details of the different daily gathering times go to our website www.christchurchbaptist.org.uk/week-of-prayer. A printed list of all the Prayer Gatherings for 2020 will be available shortly.

Prayer Requests - If you would like to request prayer at any time, please email details to prayer@christchurchbaptist.org.uk.

Bring & Share Lunch - Today we are having a Bring & Share Lunch for anybody who would like to come along in the Christian Centre. Jacket potatoes will be provided but please bring toppings etc. for more than just yourself to share. This will be an opportunity to share food and enjoy spending time together.

Men's Breakfast - The next Men's Breakfast is on 9th November, 9.00-10.30am in the Christian Centre. Excellent food (full English or cereals & toast) with great friendship. This month Roger Davis will be sharing with us a little of his journey over the last two years. Suggested donation £3 per person to cover costs. We also need a new cook to help us in 2020, full support given, as Andrew may be moving to Croydon. Please let Andy Renshaw (07855 692436) know if you're coming, and if you might be able to help in the kitchen. Do bring a non-Christian friend or family member if able.

Ladies Save The Date - Saturday 7th December 10am to 11.30am - Sharing the Journey is holding our popular pre-Christmas "Hush Before the Rush" event. At this traditionally busy time of year, reserve some time in your diaries to spend with God. More details to follow.

Barnabas Christmas Lunch - Barnabas are having their Christmas Lunch on December 3rd and Sharon Prior needs some help in preparing the meal. If you are able/willing to help with cooking on the day, under Sharon's direction, please contact Joyce Loveridge or the church office.

Christmas Fair at Twynham Church - On Saturday the 16th November Twynham Church will be holding their 2nd annual Christmas Fair from 9.30am until 3pm. A wonderful day of fun and festivity for all the family, with Christmas gifts from a range of superb local artisans, designers and crafters. Entry is free for children and £1 for adults.

Operation Christmas Child - Demonstrate God's love in a tangible way to needy children around the world this Christmas by filling a shoebox. **Please note that this year the boxes cannot contain sweets or toothpaste.** Information leaflet are available from the Welcome Desk at the back of church. We will be collecting boxes in on Sunday 17th November 2019.

Christchurch Foodbank+ - This week the needs are crisps, tinned fruit, jam and snacks (crackers and cheese biscuits).