



CHESTER ROAD

Baptist Church

WEEKLY BULLETIN

SUNDAY 3rd JUNE 2018

Sunday morning (10.30am): Jesus calms the storm (Mark 4:35-41)

Following Jesus is an adventure. Travelling from 'here' to 'there', the disciples and Jesus faced storms (chaos/ spiritual backlash). Jesus 'defeated' the waves. He's still doing that today!

Sunday evening communion service (6.30pm): The Tower of Babel (Genesis 11:1-9)

City-living, huge construction projects, numerous languages, migration... It's all in Genesis 11. God uses it all and fulfils it on the Day of Pentecost

This week



Flowers this week have been provided and arranged by Joy Hough. We continue to need help with arranging flowers in church. Please see the rota for 2018 on the desk if you can help. Many thanks.



Disciples' Group: The next meeting will take place on Monday 4th June at 7.45pm in the lounge. Any queries please contact Mike Miller.



Vision Drop-in session: We are on a journey as a church. We're pressing **refresh** on our vision, values and goals – discerning the mission and ministry God has for us. To maximise input from as many as possible, we're hosting Vision Drop-in sessions (one session repeated on 4 dates). Two down and two to go: Saturday 2nd June between 10:00 – 11:30 and Tuesday 5th June any time between 7:30-9:00 pm. It's a 'drop-in' so come when you can for what you can.



Church Walk: The next walk will take place on Wednesday 6th June in Sutton Park. Please meet at 10.30am in the Toby Carvery car park near Town Gate (see Contact for more details).



Worship Group: The singing group will meet on Thursday 7th June at 7.00pm in the Primary. Any queries please contact Jenni Beesley.



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One-2-One: The next lunch will take place on Friday 8th June at 12.30pm. For more information please contact Sue Ridal.



Messy Church: Saturday 9th June 3pm to 5pm. The theme will be “The Philippian jailer”. Do join us.

Prayer Points



Please pray for Yvonne Reading, Mike Bizley, Joyce Norbury, Sue Ashford, Norma Scott, Joy (and Steve) Stevenson, Jennifer (aged 10), Rob, and Abdul. See Contact for other prayer needs.



Brenda Reading - funeral: Monday 18th June at 11.45 am at Chester Road BC, followed by 13:00 at Sutton Coldfield Crematorium, refreshments afterwards at Chester Road BC. Are you able to volunteer to serve with refreshments/catering? Contact Church Office



Please pray for the church. If you know of anyone in need of prayer please let Pastoral Care Leaders, Hazel Wilson and Laurel Trench, know.

Looking ahead



Disciples' Group: The next meeting will take place on Monday 11th June at 7.45pm in the lounge. Any queries please contact Mike Miller.

Tuesday House Group meets on Tuesday 12th June at 1:45pm



Worship Group: The singing group will meet on Thursday 14th June at 7.30pm in the Primary. Any queries please contact Jenni Beesley.



Breakaway meets on Thursday 14th at 7:30pm. The theme is “*Little black dress*”. All ladies welcome, any queries contact Ann Hawkings



Sutton Pastors are looking for volunteers to help with their Friday or Saturday night pastoral care in Sutton town centre. Please see the article in Contact for more details.



Next Sunday: 10th June 2018: 10.30am – Parade Service / 6.30pm – General Service.

Notes

- ❖ **Welcome** to everyone worshipping with us today. First time visit? Please pick up a Welcome Card from the Connecting Point in the foyer.
- ❖ **In case of fire**, please leave via the nearest Fire Exit. Take a moment to locate them. Please assemble in the car park by the traffic lights.
- ❖ **Toilets** are located off the foyer. The disabled toilet includes **baby-changing** facilities.
- ❖ **Hearing Loop** ♯ is available. Switch to ‘T’. It’s best to sit in the middle sections.
- ❖ **Worship** 🎵 Feel free to stand, sit, take part or observe as you feel comfortable.
- ❖ **Refreshments** ☕ 🍷 are free and Fairtrade. Please stay for a cuppa!
- ❖ **All room booking** requests & articles for Contact should go directly to Julia in the office either by phone (0121 350 2779) or via email: office@chesterroadbc.org.uk - Thank you.
- ❖ **Please send items for the next Bulletin to the office by Wednesday 6th June – thank you.**