



WOODLANDS EVANGELICAL CHURCH

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Springwood Drive, Oakwood
(Partner church at Blenheim Drive, Allestree)

A warm welcome to our services today

Sunday 5th February 2012

10.30am **Working as a Christian**
Tim Gunn

Allestree **Training Evening**
7.00pm *See below for more details*

What's on this coming week:

Monday BLAST
Tuesday Early Morning Prayer, 7-7.45am
Tuesday Yummy Mummies, 9.15-11.15
Tuesday JETS
Wednesday: Homegroup, 7.45pm
Thursday: Homegroup, 7.45pm @ the McCrone's

Sunday 12th February 2012

10.30am **The path of Jesus – and all disciples**
Mark 8:31 - 9:29 *Derek Cross*

Allestree **Jesus died! – His atonement**
7.00pm *Phil Butcher*

Away Day Don't forget to put Saturday 30th June 2012 in your diary. Or Away Day will be held at Willersley Castle and we are delighted that Ivor Cooper will be joining us as our speaker. Why not find out about Ivor at www.countiesuk.org under the "full-time evangelists" section on the "people" menu? More details about the day will come in due course.

Church Lunch Here at Oakwood we will be holding a church lunch after the service on Sunday 11th March 2012. At the lunch, we will hope to hear updates on some of the ministry we do as well as look ahead to what's coming up and spend time praying together as a church. If you are not in a tent in the Outer Hebrides then make sure you're around for this as it's a time to specifically show care about what we do as a church and encourage and support one another in it.

Alarm Code: The code for the security system of the church building will change on the afternoon of WEDNESDAY 8th FEBRUARY. If you are a key holder and have not been notified of the new number please contact Esther Watson immediately.

Contacts: Full Time Pastors Derek Cross (01332) 820258, Tim Gunn (01332) 556484

Loose Leaves – deadline for articles, reviews, letters, humour, evangelism, photos, pictures - everything is welcome – is **TODAY**, Sunday 5th February. If you really cannot meet this deadline (for example some activity is later in the month) then let Angela Bunting know so space can be saved.

TRAINING NIGHT – TONIGHT - Sunday 5th February. ***Woodlands exists to help people become devoted followers of Jesus Christ.*** These once a month training nights are designed to help this become a reality! They are for EVERYONE - so please consider coming. If you have any specific subjects you'd like tackled another month please speak to Phil or Tim. This month the overall banner is: "Meetings that matter". There will be a choice of three streams. Choose which will best help you from:

- (1) "Leading God's meetings" - for those who already lead Sunday meetings and those who might in the future!
- (2) "Worshipping in God's meeting" - what is corporate worship all about & what part do we play in engaging with it?
- (3) "Listening in God's meeting" - how to engage heart and mind when hearing God's Word taught publicly

The monthly movie programme resumes on Friday 17th February at 7.00pm with the screening of ANOTHER YEAR (2011, PG13, 129 mins). This is a Mike Leigh tragi-comedy which celebrates the importance of stable marriage in a broken society. The film invites us to consider what resources we may need to reach out to others in a post-modern world. 40 free tickets available - phone Mac Clarke on 01332-552242.

Derby Street Pastors are now recruiting for the class of 2012. Applications are now open and closing date is Friday 24th of February. Interviews are 5,6 march 2012. Training commences 13th of April. To make your initial application please go to the following link – <http://bit.ly/DerbySP2012>

WWW. Woodlands Weekday Walkers We plan to go walking on the following dates:- Thursday, the 16th February: Monday, the 2nd April: Monday, the 30th April: Thursday, the 31st May: Monday, the 25th June: Thursday, the 26th July: Thursday, the 30th August: Monday, the 24th September: Thursday, the 25th October and Monday, the 26th November. These are all subject to the vagaries of the climate. This year some of the walks will follow old (pre-and post-Roman) tracks across the County. Details of each walk will be given nearer the time.

Quote unquote: *Worry never robs tomorrow of its sorrow, only saps today of its strength.* (anon)

Church Notice Sheet: Items for the notice sheet, next Sunday, must be passed to Esther Watson by Wednesday evening. Details can be sent to her via email (church-admin@hotmail.co.uk) or you can ring her on 01332 510025.

<u>Responsibilities for 05/02/12</u> Stewards: Steve W & Matt D Piano: Michael Singers: Elaine JAM: Miriam, Hannah & Deb Refreshments: Witheys	<u>Responsibilities for 12/02/12</u> Stewards: David P Piano: Ben Singers: Emily JAM: Sarah, Alex/Michael, Ying Refreshments: Steve W
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What is God saying to me today?