



WOODLANDS EVANGELICAL CHURCH

Blenheim Drive Allestree www.woodlandschurch.org.uk
(Partner church at Springwood Drive, Oakwood)

**A warm welcome to our services today.
Sunday 13th May 2018 A.D.**

Refreshments are served after the morning service and before the evening service. Do please join us.

- 10.30am** **All age praise, prayer & Bible teaching**
Jesus the King who works miracles
John 6:1-15 (p.1069-70)
Tim Gunn
GIG/IMPACT & MIX in their groups
- 4.00pm** **Woodlands PM at the church building**
Seeing work as godly
Ephesians 6:5-9 (p.1177)
Warrick Martin
- 7.00pm** **Praise, prayer, communion & Bible teaching**
Coming ready or not!
Matthew 25:1-13 (p.994)
Malcolm Brown

Visiting? Please do take a moment to give us a record of your visit by filling in one of the "Welcome Cards" which can be found on the tables as you came in.

If you are thinking about regularly worshipping with us, do take a WELCOME PACK, giving more details about ourselves and our activities – see one of the Stewards.

Stewards can help you find your way around our building if you need assistance.

Toy bags are available to borrow from the sideboard in the front foyer if you feel your children would appreciate them during the service. **Children & Young People have their own groups part way through the morning service. Crèche facilities are available.**

- ▶ **Contact: Full time Pastors: Tim Gunn (01332) 556484, Phil Butcher (01332) 553025 & Warrick Martin (01332) 804714**
Youth & Young adult worker: Thiago Holanda (01332) 405345

Please be praying - this week at Woodlands – in the church & community

Monday	14 th	am Acorns; 4-5 External hire; 7.30pm Meeting about children's & youth ministry
Tuesday	15 th	10am Oaks; am Phil Butcher is taking an assembly at Portway Infants; aft WI upstairs; 7.30pm GIG
Wednesday	16 th	am Acorns; pm Trevor & Ros Jackson's 2:42 group cleaning at church
Thursday	17 th	am Ladies Bible Study; 11.45am-2pm Betty's Bible study group; pm Elders meeting
Friday	18 th	am Acorns; 7.30pm Pudding club *rearranged date*
Saturday	19 th	10-1 Party hire
Sunday	20 th	<p>9.30am Prayer in the Burrow – all welcome! 10.30am All age praise, prayer & Bible teaching The King who stills fear – John 6:16-21 (p.1070) Tim Gunn GIG/IMPACT in their groups & MIX in the service</p> <p>4.00pm Woodlands PM at the church building The King is here! – Mark 1:1-15 (p.1002) Warrick Martin</p> <p>7.00pm Praise, prayer, communion & Bible teaching The unforgiving servant – Matthew 18:21-35 (p.985-86) Steve Adam</p>

<u>Responsibilities</u>	<u>13/5/18</u>	<u>20/5/18</u>
SEEDS	Amy, Esther & Charlotte	Charlotte, Philippa & Carly
Welcome Team:	Philippa & Phyllis	Tim & Jane
Stewards:	Mona & Ros J	David & George T
Stewards pm:	David	Malcolm
Duty elder:	Jon/George	Tim
Chairs:	Jonda, Josh, Greg & Jonathan	Trevor, Rich & Jon
Refreshments:	Karin, Linda, Mona & Greg	Jacky, Jeanette, Carol H & Ione
Refreshments pm	Colleen	Jonathan
Flowers:	Christine H	Chris H

Events

Curious about what **children's & youth ministry** is all about? Want to find out about how we approach such ministry here at Woodlands? Want to explore whether you might be able to be a part of it with whatever gifts God has given you? Contrary to what you might think not all children's & youth team members have to be up-front teachers or under 30 or extroverts. God uses all sorts of people and gifts in this ministry. We're having an hour this Monday 14th May (7:30pm for 7:45pm start) to explore some of these questions and to grow our teams for 2018-19. Please do consider coming along. For more information see Phil Butcher, Thiago Holanda or Rachel King.

Interserve prayer meeting: Thursday 17th May, 7.30pm at 18 Peter & Christine Hill's home. Please join us to pray for Interserve partners and for the countries in which they work. Further information from Peter & Christine Hill.

Ladies Pudding Club: Friday 18th May at 7.30pm is the rearranged pudding club event where Katherine Millard will be speaking on 'Life in the balance – reflections of an NHS doctor'. Please sign up by this Sunday if you would like to come.

Administrator: Colette Patterson (01332) 551336, email office@woodlandschurch.org.uk

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Term time office hours: Monday 9.30-12.30, Tuesday 9.30-14.00 and Friday 10-13.30

The final session of the current **Growing in Maturity Men's group** is on Monday 21st May. See Phil Butcher for more details.

2:42 leaders meeting: The next meeting is on Monday 21st May at 7.45pm at the Dumbleton's home.

Save the date: Saturday 24th and Sunday 25th November 2018 is our Church Weekend Together. A time of fun, fellowship and learning, led by John Wyatt (author of Matters of Life and Death and Professor of Ethics and Perinatology at University College London). Magical mayhem will also be making an appearance (or is that a disappearance?) - Not to be missed!

Training and Information

'Thy Kingdom come' - Citywide prayer meeting: This will take place on Sunday 20th May, 6.30-8.30pm at Derby cathedral.

24/7 prayer room is available at St Alkmunds, Kedleston Road from 13th-20th May and is open to all across the city. You can sign up for a particular slot using this link: <http://www.24-7prayer.com/signup/2aa14f>. This is part of the national Thy Kingdom Come prayer initiative. The church has booked a slot for Thursday 17th May, 7-8pm and all are welcome to come to pray.

Spring Gift Day: It's a huge privilege and joy to be able to give financially to the life and work of Jesus' church. Many of us do this on a regular basis throughout the year. However, once in the Spring and once in the Autumn, we have a special Gift Day to allow us to focus on specific needs that the church has - either internally, (Spring), or externally for our mission partners, (Autumn). Our Spring Gift Day this year will be on Sunday 20th May. We have a number of internal demands which we'd like to address with this money: the new portable projector, the large broken window at the front of the building, a new security gate at the back, expensive electrical checks necessitated by our Fire Safety Inspection plus a number of other pressing maintenance and security issues. **Please** come prepared on 20th May to give and to state whether your contribution can be gift-aided or not.

Youth & Children's Ministry training course: St Mary's Church in Chaddesden are running this course starting in October for 8 weeks on a Wednesday evening from 8-9.30pm. Please chat to either Thiago Holanda for more details or the course leader, Matt Simper on matt@chaddesdenchurch.org.uk.

Upbeat Communities' baby shower: Would you be able to consider sponsoring a baby bath full of useful goodies for the next baby shower on the 19th May? It is for the refugee women and is a way to help build friendships and community. They are going to give each expectant mum a new baby bath with some of the following in: new born nappies, baby wipes, packs of new born sleep suits & vests, pack of muslins, baby wash, new born toy and Mum's toiletries/pampering items. They plan to fill about 8 baths and are asking for people to donate baths and items or the money so they can purchase the items (a baby bath=approx. £8). Pass any donations straight to Chrissy Hill or leave in the box in the foyer. Donations are needed by this weekend. Thank you so much for your help.

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Church family news

A massive **thank you** to all those who helped with the thanksgiving service on Wednesday for Jim McGil. His wife, Josie was overwhelmed and wants to thank everyone for the wonderful support given to her at this time.

Loose Leaves: Lucie Stacey is collecting submissions for the next edition of Loose Leaves. If you have any articles/book reviews/quotes/ideas please let her have them by this Sunday. You can either email her or leave things in her pigeon hole at church. Many thanks.

QUOTE, UNQUOTE: "Being available to neighbours means cutting back on your entertainment indulgences, building in margin time in your day, and budgeting to feed many more people than those who share your last name."
~ Rosaria Butterfield

Communion service: We use non-alcoholic wine and gluten free bread in our communion services.

Hearing Aid users: The church is fitted with an induction loop and hearing aid users should switch to the 'T' setting to benefit.

Church Notice Sheet: Items for the next notice sheet must be passed to Colette Patterson by Wednesday evening. Details can be left in her pigeonhole, ring her on 01332 987957 or you can ring the office, 551336, where there is an answer phone or email: office@woodlandschurch.org.uk.

Giving to Woodlands: If you would like to make a gift on a Sunday to Woodlands, there are collection boxes fixed to the walls as you come into the Church Hall. For regular giving please speak to Sue Smith, the church treasurer.