



# **WOODLANDS EVANGELICAL CHURCH**

**Blenheim Drive Allestree**

[www.woodlandschurch.org.uk](http://www.woodlandschurch.org.uk)

**(Partner church at Springwood Drive, Oakwood)**

**A warm welcome to our services today.**

**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> February 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 rules over sickness  
John 4:43-54 (p. 1067-68)  
Tim Gunn  
GIG/IMPACT in their groups & MIX in the service
- 4.00pm**      **Woodlands PM at the church building**  
Glorious Riches  
Ephesians 3 (p.1174-75)  
Warrick Martin
- 7.00pm**      **Praise, prayer, communion & Bible teaching**  
Dealing with disappointment (2)  
Phil Butcher

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**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.**

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Youth & Young adult worker: Thiago Holanda (01332) 405345

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

Monday	12 <sup>th</sup>	Am Acorns; 4-5pm building hire
Tuesday	13 <sup>th</sup>	Am Oaks; aft WI downstairs; 7.30pm GIG
Wednesday	14 <sup>th</sup>	Am Acorns
Thursday	15 <sup>th</sup>	Am Ladies Bible study; pm Elders meeting
Friday	16 <sup>th</sup>	Am Acorns
Saturday	17 <sup>th</sup>	
Sunday	18 <sup>th</sup>	<p><b>9.30am Prayer in the Burrow – all welcome!</b>  <b>10.30am All age praise, prayer &amp; Bible teaching</b>                      Jesus rules over the Sabbath – John 5:1-18 (p.1068) Phil Butcher                      GIG/IMPACT&amp; MIX in their groups</p> <p><b>4.00pm Woodlands PM</b>                      The Mighty King – Matthew 14:22-36 (p.981) Tim Gunn</p> <p><b>7.00pm Praise, prayer, communion &amp; Bible teaching</b>                      Battles Christians face: integrity David Richardson</p>

<b><u>Responsibilities</u></b>	<b><u>11/2/18</u></b>	<b><u>18/2/18</u></b>
<b>SEEDS</b>	Janine, Shufan & Philippa	Jane M, Jane Z & Tim D
<b>Welcome Team:</b>	Malcolm & Colleen	Ian & Dawn
<b>Stewards:</b>	Greg & Ros J	Angela & Sarah J
<b>Stewards pm:</b>	Malcolm	David
<b>Duty elder:</b>	Jon	Tim
<b>Chairs:</b>	Matt C, Richard S & Thiago	Jonda, Josh K, Greg R & Jonathan B
<b>Refreshments:</b>	Jacky, Jeanette, Sue D & Priscila	Phyllis, Karin, Rachel C & Jo L
<b>Refreshments pm</b>	Philippa	Glen
<b>Flowers:</b>	Sarah J	Maureen

## **Events**

**Interserve prayer meeting:** On Thursday 15th February at 7.30pm at Peter & Christine's home. Please join us to pray for Interserve partners and for the countries in which they work.

**"Space Adventures" holiday club** for primary aged kids at Woodlands church, Tuesday 20th till Friday 23rd February from 10 am till 12.30pm. The club is almost full so please book asap if you would like your child to come. There are registration forms in the foyer or email [office@woodlandschurch.org.uk](mailto:office@woodlandschurch.org.uk) if you would like one. Thank you

**BoB is back!** On Saturday 24th February we will be having a men's breakfast at the church, starting at 8.15am. The cost is £5, to cover a delicious breakfast and kick start the BoB team's prayer retreat (road trip) to Las Vegas fund! Come along and enjoy some good food and fellowship and find out about our plans for BoB Mark II. Please sign up at the back of church TODAY or email Andy Brown by Saturday 17th Feb at the latest. Open to all men, young, old and in between. If you have started to shave, then that could include you! Any questions, please speak to Andy Brown, Tim Rosier, David Semeraro, Richard Hemstock, or Matt Curren.

Administrator: Colette Patterson (01332) 551336, email [office@woodlandschurch.org.uk](mailto:office@woodlandschurch.org.uk)  
[www.woodlandschurch.org.uk](http://www.woodlandschurch.org.uk)

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

All Ladies are welcome to **Pudding Club** on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> March at 7.30pm at our church building. Katherine Millard, of our own church, will be the After Pudding Speaker when she will talk of her experiences as a Neonatal Doctor in the NHS. The title of her talk will be 'Life in the Balance? Please do invite friends to come with you to this event and remember to sign up on the sheet at the back of church so we can have a rough idea of numbers. Offers of Puddings would be much appreciated. For more information contact Philippa Gunn.

**Derby Christian Women's Network Prayer Day:** The next one will be on Saturday 10th March at Boulton St Mary's Church, Alvaston, Derby, DE24 OGE from 10am-2pm. The purpose of the group is to meet together in unity to worship, share and pray.

## **Training and Information**

**Daytime 2:42 group:** We recently asked if anybody was interested in a daytime church small group known as a '2:42 group'. The response was minimal. However, one thing which was not made clear is that we would be happy for people to move from an evening group to the daytime if that was more suitable. This would create space for more people to join evening groups. If you would be interested in moving to a daytime group, please do let Tim Gunn know so that we can set this up as soon as possible. In the meantime, encourage other believers in the church by attending your present group - even for the first time. They would love to see you, they need you - and you need them as part of the body of Christ at Woodlands!

**Living with Disappointment?** We all experience disappointments in life - be they small & irritating to large & life-changing. This Sunday evening (11th) we will be considering how to approach disappointment as Christians.

**Growing Young Disciples:** There is a training course on Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> March at Cornerstone Church, Nottingham - 10am-4pm. We have done a group booking at church already so if you would like to go you will need to book your own ticket. Any questions please speak to Phil Butcher.

**Colin Buchanan concert:** Colin is coming to Cornerstone Church, Nottingham, NG7 1FP on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> April at 4pm. Tickets cost £4.50 (under 2s are free) and need to be booked by telephoning 0115 9588711. For those who haven't heard Colin's music before it is aimed at primary aged children.

## **Church family news**

The Kosovo team would like to **thank everyone** for their support with the fundraiser. £600 was raised which will be used towards supporting our mission partners in their work.

**Christmas Gift Day:** Thank you to all who gave - we received a total of £2954.77 including gift aid. We have given £2,000 to Derby City Mission (half for night shelter and half for administrative costs) and the rest to Tearfund.

**Church family business meeting:** The next church meeting will take place on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> March at 7.30pm. Please make every effort to be there.

**Annual Church building Spring Clean:** This will be on the morning of Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> April. Please put the date in your diaries! ☺

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**\*\*Yoghurt pots for The Heroes Academy holiday club\*\*:** Please pass any large-ish yoghurt pots you have to Esther Martin (the muller yoghurt size – they need to be big enough to fit a tennis ball in!). They need 50 of them. Thank you.

## **Mission Support**

We plan to have some prayer points on the notice sheet from the different people & organisations we support. This week we are focussing on **Derby Christian Union**. Please pray for:

- The new committee who are taking over in April. Pray for a smooth transition and that the old committee will finish well.
- The many non-believers that have come to the different outreach events put on by the Christian Union. Thank God that so many have attended & pray that many would think seriously about the Christian faith.
- The Christians themselves - despite being from different church backgrounds they would stay united, love one another and grow in their relationship with God.

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**QUOTE, UNQUOTE:** "In the current 'online' climate, families are left scrambling to catch up with the harsh reality that the efforts of the porn industry, paired with a generation of kids who are growing up never having known life apart from a smartphone, is resulting in an increasing number of children who are regularly viewing erotic images and videos before they even fully learn how to read."  
~Christianity Today

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**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.

<p><b>Church Notice Sheet:</b> 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: <a href="mailto:office@woodlandschurch.org.uk">office@woodlandschurch.org.uk</a>.</p> <p><b>Giving to Woodlands:</b> 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.</p>
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