

More news...

Praise God:

- That He first loved us and sent His Son, Jesus, to be an atoning sacrifice for our sins so we could be reconciled to the Father. Thank Him for this lavish and undeserved love and pray that we would all grow in our love for others as we abide in His great and unending love.

Please Pray:

- For Chris Brockway as he shares God's Word with us this morning.
- For the children, youth and their leaders as they enjoy time with each other and explore more of God today.
- For Jackie McGregor as she takes a school assemble on Thursday this week at Burton Primary School.
- Please remember to pray regularly for our Deacons. Pray for wisdom and guidance as they meet on Monday. Pray that they would know God's strength and presence as they serve us as a Church Family and that their individual faith journeys would deepen as a result.
- Also, please pray regularly for all those who serve us so faithfully on the Finance and Build Teams.

If anyone acknowledges that Jesus is the Son of God, God lives in them and they in God. And so we know and rely on the love God has for us.

1 John 4:15-16

Staff team...

Rev Chris Brockway (Team Leader)

Rev Kay Boulton (Minister)

Jackie McGregor (0-18s Ministry Lead)

Julie Dynan (Administration)

Mark Coleman (Caretaker)

Creation Care Challenge...



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Welcome...

Joining us for the first time...? You are very welcome!

During the 11am service our children & young people will enjoy time together with their leaders.

This is love: not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as an atoning sacrifice for our sins. Dear friends, since God so loved us, we also ought to love one another. No one has ever seen God; but if we love one another, God lives in us and his love is made complete in us.

1 John 4:10-12

Today...

Sunday 14 April

9.15am: Morning Worship - We Are Family: 'Understanding Ourselves'
(1 John 4:7-21) Chris Brockway

Refreshments will be served in the church foyer between the services

11.00am: Morning Worship (as 9.15am)

6.30pm: Let's Explore - Youth Walks (10-17+)

Next week...

Live Streaming - If you can't come physically, we will be live streaming the 11am service on our YouTube Channel and our online church platform:
<https://youtube.com/c/ChristchurchBaptistChurch> or
<https://cbcdorset.online.church/>

Monday 15 April

7.00pm: Online Evening Prayer Gathering on Zoom
7.45pm: Deacons Meeting

Thursday 18 April

10.00am: Linkup Wellbeing Café
6.30pm: Connect - Youth Bible Study (10-12+)
6.45pm: Connect+ - Youth Social (13 -16+)

Friday 19 April

10.00am: Stepping Stones - Parent & Toddler Group
6.30pm: Trailblazers - Friday Kids Club
7.00pm: Sharing the Journey | Create

Saturday 20 April

9.00am: Cleaning, Maintenance & Gardening Day

Sunday 21 April

9.15am: Morning Worship - We Are Family
'Seen, Heard, Understood' (Luke 19:1-10) Kay Boulton
11.00am: Morning Worship (as 9.15am)
12.30pm: Bring & Share Lunch

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Alpha Course - Starts here Thursday 25 April at 7.00pm. Invitation leaflets are available from the Welcome Desk for you to give out to a friend, family member. Sign up at www.christchurchbaptist.org.uk/alpha.

Sharing the Journey | Roots - Save The Date - Our next Sharing the Journey Roots Saturday morning event will be on 11 May. We will be continuing to explore the verses John 8:31-32, focusing on ".... you are really my disciples." More details and sign up invitation will be shared soon.

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Online Evening Prayer Gathering - On Monday evening (15 April) we will be gathering on Zoom, 7.00pm-7.30pm. Please join us if you possibly can.

Sharing the Journey | Create - The STJ team are hosting another relaxed evening of craft & fellowship on Friday 19 April, 7pm to 9pm. We will be making decoupage pots. Come and join us to try the craft activity or if you're not feeling creative, come along to watch & enjoy the refreshments. Please sign up by Tuesday 16 April either by the email sent last week or contact the church office.

Cleaning, Maintenance & Gardening Day - Are you free and willing to join us for all or part of the day on Saturday 20 April 9am-4pm for a cleaning, maintenance day...? Please sign up via the email sent last week or contact the church office.

Bring & Share Lunch - On Sunday 21 April we will be having our next quarterly 'Bring & Share Lunch' in the main church hall, which is an opportunity to gather informally with others in our church family. Please sign up to let us know that you are planning to attend so we can factor you into the logistics, via the email sent last week or contact the church office. During sign up you'll be asked to indicate what food you might be able to contribute to the lunch. Sign up even if contributing food is not possible for you, we're keen that everyone is included.

Message From Christchurch Foodbank+ - Our needs this week are baked beans, pasta sauce jars, UHT milk, tinned tomatoes, custard, hot dog sausages & tinned fruit. *Donated food items can be placed in the boxes in the foyer of church.*

The Romans Course - This course is a ten-session programme which helps you study Paul's letter to the Romans. It tackles ten big themes found in the book of Romans which are key to understanding the Christian faith. It's written and presented by Andrew Ollerton who also wrote and presented The Bible Course. We will be running a daytime and an evening session starting on Thursday 25 April, 2pm or 7pm. Please sign up via ChurchSuite or contact the church office.

Giving To The Work Of The Church - If you would like to give a cash offering for the work of God's Church please place it in the wooden box on the stage or in the foyer. Alternatively, we have two easy to use self-service devices that collect donations via contactless or Chip & PIN. For more information about giving to the work of Christchurch Baptist Church please visit our website: www.christchurchbaptist.org.uk/giving where you can also download Standing Order and Gift Aid forms. If you are a visitor with us today, please do not feel any obligation to give.