



CHESTER ROAD

Baptist Church

WEEKLY BULLETIN - SUNDAY 28th OCTOBER 2018

Sunday morning (10.30am): Exodus 14 - Leaving 'Here' (Exodus 14:1-16)

Each journey starts with a single step. That first step can be the hardest. But, once made, it signals your intent and direction of travel. You've started the journey from 'here' to 'there'. "Do not be afraid. Stand firm. You will see what God will do."

Sunday evening (6.30pm): A Tale of Two Adams (Romans 5:12-21)

In Adam all was lost, in Christ all can be found.

This week



Disciples' Group: The next meeting will take place on Monday 29th October. Any queries please contact Mike Miller.



Club Tuesday will meet on Tuesday 30th October at 11am in the lounge. For more information please contact Norma Scott.



Worship Group: The next meeting will be on Thursday 1st November at 7pm. Any queries please contact Jenni Beesley.



Deacons: The next meeting will be on Thursday 1st November at 7.30pm in the lounge.



Ladies' Group Prayer Breakfast: We will meet on Saturday 3rd November from 9am to 10.30am. For more information please contact Judith Miller.



Website: We've refreshed our website. Find it now at www.ChesterRoadBaptist.org.uk
It's a 'work in progress' but the first phase is now completed. We'll add more functionality in due course.



Foodbank: Please bring any contributions to the food bank to one of the services next week – thank you for your continued support.



Contact is out today, please take a copy.

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Prayer Points



Please pray for: Mike, Sue, Steve, Jennifer (aged 10), Rob, Geraldine, Christiana and Irene. For Pat and Ezechiel who have had operations this week; for Murene awaiting an operation in November. Also for Ann Hawkings who has broken her wrist and Joyce who is in hospital and for Joy who has been discharged from hospital. See Contact for other prayer needs.



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.



Preaching elsewhere: Rev Clifford Fryer will be at Holly Lane URC, Erdington on the morning of Sunday 28th October. Please pray for him as he reaches out to others.

Looking ahead



Concert: Join Colin Twigg, the Bridge String Quartet, and actor Christopher Kent on Tuesday 6th November at 7:30 pm, here at Chester Road, for an evening of poetry and music to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the Armistice. See poster for more details.



Early Bird Prayer: Starts on Tuesday 6th November; drop in anytime between 6.30-8.30am (see Contact for more details).



Midweek communion: Starts on Wednesday 7th November at 11.30am; a short communion service with prayers, readings, and liturgy.



One-2-One: The next lunch will take place on Friday 9th November at 12.30pm. For more information please contact Sue Ridal on 355 5903.



Coffee Morning: The next coffee morning is on Saturday 10th November at 10.30am at the home of Chris and Alison East (please see Contact for address details).



Flowers this week were provided and arranged by Joyce Hamilton. We are still urgently looking for volunteers to help with flowers; please speak to Barbara Vincent.



Next Sunday: 4th November: 10.30am – General Service / 6.30pm – Communion Service.

Notes

- ❖ **Welcome** to everyone worshipping with us today. First time visit? Please pick up a Welcome Card from the Connection 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 Bulletin to the office by Wednesday 31st October – thank you.**
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