



CHESTER ROAD Baptist Church

WEEKLY BULLETIN - SUNDAY 21st APRIL 2019

EASTER SUNDAY



Sunday morning (10.30am): Easter People like us (John 20:1-9)

No-one was waiting for Jesus to come out of the tomb. The all thought Him dead. Then, BAAM! He is not here, He has risen! For people like us.

Sunday evening (6.30pm): Jesus appeared first to women (Isaiah 25:6-9)

Promised, told about, explained... And yet, so incredible, when it happened, they nearly missed it. He is not here, He is risen!

This week



Early Bird
PRAYER
Tuesdays
6.30-8.00 am

Early Bird Prayer: will not take place this week; the next one is on Tuesday 30th April, drop-in anytime between 6.30 - 8am, grab a light breakfast, pray and go!



Midweek Communion: The next one is on Wednesday 24th April at 11.30am; a short communion service with prayers, readings, and liturgy.



Job Club is at Chester Road every Thursday from 10am – 12pm in the Primary. Any queries please contact Wendy Sharples (Co-Ordinator).



Worship Group: The next meeting is on Thursday 25th April at 7.30pm. Any queries please contact Jenni Beesley.



Contact: The deadline for Contact is **today**; please pass any articles or information to Julia in the office (office@chesterroadbc.org.uk) – thank you.



Congratulations to Mr & Mrs Jamie & Natalya East on their wedding blessing.

Prayer Points



Please pray for: Mike, Sue, Steve, Jennifer (aged 10), Rob, Joyce, Joy, Hazel, Dorothy and Barry. 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.

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Looking ahead



Alpha Course: The next Alpha Course starts Tuesday 30th April at 7.30 pm. Please invite friends and family, **volunteer** to serve as a table host/ discussion leader, pray for impact.. (ChesterRoadBaptist.org.uk/Alpha).



Club Tuesday will meet on 30th April at 11am. Any queries please contact Norma Scott.



Small Groups – Lent Course 2019: Wednesday 1st May 2019 at 7.45pm at Ewan and Ruth McIntosh's house.



Deacons: The next meeting will be on Thursday 2nd May at 7.30pm in the lounge.



Ladies' Group Prayer Breakfast: The next meeting is Saturday 4th May from 9–10:30am. Any queries please contact Judith Miller.



Housegroup: Tuesday Bible Study will meet on Tuesday 7th May at 1.45pm. If anyone would like to join us please see Edwin.



One-2-One: The next lunch will take place on Friday 10th May at 12.30pm. For more information please contact Sue Ridal.



Disciples Group will recommence on Monday 13th May at 7.45pm in the lounge. Any queries please contact Mike Miller.



Deacon's Nominations - If you wish to nominate someone for the post of Deacon to serve between May 2019 to May 2022, or you are thinking of standing, then please speak with Danny. Nomination forms are available from Martin and should be returned by 24th April.



Christian Aid week - This year Christian Aid week is 12th to 18th May. If you would like to do a house to house collection, please indicate on the list in church which road(s) you are prepared to cover.



Have you settled with us but not yet become a church member? Pick up a iBelong Member leaflet from Connection Point (foyer), or talk to Danny or a Deacon.



Next Sunday: 28th April - 10.30am – General Service / 6.30pm – General Service.

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- ❖ **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 24th April – thank you.**
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