



CHESTER ROAD

Baptist Church

WEEKLY BULLETIN - SUNDAY 5th MAY 2019

Sunday morning (10.30am): Jesus appears to the disciples (John 20:19-23)

The disciples were confused & scared. Jesus brought them peace; real, deep peace. Risen Jesus has scars. Ours remind us of what we've come through. Receive the Peace of Christ.

Sunday evening (6.30pm): Now That's What I Call Psalms (Psalm 1:1-6)

The Bible contains a compilation of 150 Psalms, reflecting a variety of themes and moods. There's one for however you are feeling.

This week



Early Bird Prayer is on Tuesday 7th May, drop-in anytime between 6.30 - 8am, grab a light breakfast, pray and go!



Club Tuesday will meet on 7th May at 11am. Any queries please contact Norma Scott.



Alpha Course: After a fabulous taster session, Alpha starts officially this Tuesday 7th May from 7.30-9.15 pm. There's still time to join or invite others.

See ChesterRoadBaptist.org.uk/Alpha.



Midweek Communion this Wednesday, 8th May @ 11.30am has a focus on praying for Healing & Wholeness. iTell - who can you invite?



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 9th May at 7pm. Any queries please contact Jenni Beesley.



Breakaway will take place on Thursday 9th May at 7.30pm when Vanessa Henderson from Floral Jazz will give a flower arranging demonstration. If you have any queries please contact Ann Hawkings.



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



Messy Church will take place on Saturday 11th May from 3-5pm followed by a planning meeting on Tuesday 14th May at 7.30pm.

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Prayer Points



Please pray for: Mike, Sue, Steve, 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.

Looking ahead



Deacons: The following 5 people have been nominated to serve as Deacons from May 2019 to May 2022: Ann Hawkings, Ewan McIntosh, Martin Ridal, Norma Scott and Peter Vincent. The election will take place at the May church meeting.



Missed Deeper – in Bible engagement? Catch the session again on Monday 13th May at 7.30pm. So, you want to go deeper in your engagement with the Bible. On 13th May Danny Brierley will ask some big questions about what the Bible is and is not.



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



Housegroup will meet on Tuesday 14th May at 1.45pm. If anyone would like to join us please see Edwin.



Small Groups – Lent Course 2019: Wednesday 15th May 2019 at 7.45pm at Ewan and Ruth McIntosh's house.



Church Meeting: The next church meeting will take place on Wednesday 15th May at 7.45pm in the Bevan Jones hall.



Higher – prayer nights: Gather as a church to pray together for a range of church, community and global issues. The next session is on Wednesday 29th May at 7.45pm.



Got a faith story to tell? Our website, ChesterRoadBaptist.org.uk, includes short testimonies of how people came to faith/ how faith has helped/ is helping them. Contact Danny if you have a 'real life' faith story to tell.



Next Sunday: 12th May - 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 8th May – thank you.**
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