

Welcome to Christ Church

Week commencing 9th July 2017

Sunday 9th July – Pentecost 5

8.00am Holy Eucharist

10.00am Parish Eucharist + Funky Church & J-Walkers

6.00pm Joint Churches Together Communion at St Isan's Llanishen

7.00pm J-Walkers

Tuesday 11

2.00pm Good Companions

Wednesday 12

10.00am Parish Prayer Group

Thursday 13

1.30pm Chatterbox

Sunday 16th July – Pentecost 6

8.00am Holy Eucharist

10.00am Parish Eucharist + Funky Church & J-Walkers

6.00pm Faith in a Nutshell

7.00pm J-Walkers

Pentecost 5

Collect

O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: increase and multiply upon us your mercy; that with you as our ruler and guide we may so pass through things temporal that we finally lose not the things eternal; grant this, heavenly Father, for our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

The first reading is from the Book of Zechariah

Rejoice greatly, Daughter Zion! Shout, Daughter Jerusalem!
See, your king comes to you, righteous and victorious,
lowly and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey.
I will take away the chariots from Ephraim and the war-horses
from Jerusalem, and the battle-bow will be broken.
He will proclaim peace to the nations. His rule will extend from
sea to sea and from the River to the ends of the earth. As for you,
because of the blood of my covenant with you, I will free your
prisoners from the waterless pit. Return to your fortress, you
prisoners of hope; even now I announce that I will restore twice
as much to you.

(Zechariah 9: 9-12)

This is the Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

Psalm 145: 8-14 (Pg.646)

Listen to the Gospel of Christ according to Matthew
Glory to you, O Lord

¶To what can I compare this generation? They are like children sitting in the market-places and calling out to others: ~~¶~~We played the pipe for you, and you did not dance; we sang a dirge, and you did not mourn.+For John came neither eating nor drinking, and they say, ¶He has a demon.+The Son of Man came eating and drinking, and they say, ¶Here is a glutton and a drunkard, a friend of tax collectors and sinners.+But wisdom is proved right by her deeds.qAt that time Jesus said, ¶praise you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because you have hidden these things from the wise and learned, and revealed them to little children. Yes, Father, for this is what you were pleased to do.

¶All things have been committed to me by my Father. No one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the Father except the Son and those to whom the Son chooses to reveal him. ¶Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light.q

(Matthew 11: 16-19, 25-30)

This is the Gospel of the Lord
Praise to you O Christ

Post Communion Prayer

Eternal God, comfort of the afflicted and healer of the broken, you have fed us at the table of life and hope: teach us the ways of gentleness and peace, that all the world may acknowledge the kingdom of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Next Sunday's Readings & Rotas

Eucharist: Isaiah 55: 10-13 & Matthew 13: 1-9, 18-23

Reader: David Greenman

Intercessor: Margaret Griffiths

Welcoming Team: David Alexander, Margaret Griffiths,
Glenys Nettleton, Isabel Santore

Coffee: Gerald & Bronwen Bradnum, Claire Edwards

Ministers of Communion: Howard Kilvington
(Reserve: Gerald Bradnum)

WEEKLY PRAYERS

Sunday: Pray for the Church in Okinawa - (Japan) Lfor the Parish of Porth Newydd Lfor the residents of Llandennis Road Lfor the Choir.

Thursday: Pray for the Church in Omu-Arun (Kwara, Nigeria) Lfor the Parish of Tonyrefail w Gilfach Goch Lfor the residents of Lake Road North Lfor the uniformed organisations.

Sunday: Pray for the Church in Ontario, Canada Lfor the Deanery of Cardiff Lfor the residents of Mountbatten Close Lfor Funky Church.

For the prayers for the remaining days of the week please see:

www.llandaffchurchinwales.org.uk

**under Faith Worship & Prayer
(the Diocesan Prayer Calendar).**

**The full list of parish streets to pray for will be posted on
Christ Church's website in the coming weeks.**

**IF YOU FEEL UNABLE TO RECEIVE FROM THE
CHALICE, THEN PLEASE RECEIVE THE BREAD ONLY.**

NOTICES

WELCOME AND THANKS: We are delighted to welcome Revd Canon Richard Lowndes, Director of Ministry and Discipleship, who is joining us at both the 8am and 10am services. Thank you to Richard for giving his time to come to us.

CHANGE OF SERVICE THIS EVENING: Instead of our usual 6pm service, we are joining our ecumenical friends for a Joint Communion Service at St Isan, Llanishen – this evening at 6pm. All are welcome!

VICARAGE GARDEN PARTY: Please put the Vicarage garden party in your diary... and pray for good weather! It will take place on Sunday 23 July from 3pm, finishing with a short service at 5pm. There will be no 6pm service on that day. All welcome to come to the garden party, which is always a lovely event!

FAITH IN A NUTSHELL: After the success of the Lent talks, when Christ Church and St Denys explored Christian beliefs in a series of informative and interesting talks, we now have a talk on Christian beliefs every third Sunday evening, in place of the evening service at 6pm. The July talk (16 July) will take place in Christ Church, and Revd Chris will be exploring the sacraments. We do hope you will be able to support this exciting venture!

MESSY CHURCH: Don't forget our next Messy Church is coming up... Saturday 22 July 10.30am-1pm. Please get in touch with Linda Alexander on 07814 759559 if you can help on the day with crafts or food. Please start advertising this event to any families that you know. Thanks!

CHURCH HALL FUNDRAISING: Please see the notice in the church porch detailing lots of ways we may be able to fundraise for our new hall. Please contact Ann Picken 029 20755550.

THURSDAY 9.30am EUCHARIST: The Eucharist is on 1st and

3rd Thursday of each month. There is tea and coffee afterwards. Numbers are growing, so come and join us!

The upcoming dates are: **20th July & 3rd August**

NEW CHURCH HALL FUNDRAISING: Shirley Davies is collecting broken, unwanted items of gold and silver to help swell the Church Hall Fund. Please contact her on 02920 754230 or bring items to Church. Many thanks!

GARDEN TOOLS: Garden tools have been found at the side of the hall. If they belong to anybody please contact the church wardens otherwise they will be donated to charity.

PILGRIMAGE TO HOLY LAND: There is a possibility that we will be joining St Denys on a pilgrimage to the Holy Land in October 2018, to visit to Jerusalem and Galilee. If any of you would be interested in joining this pilgrimage, please let Revd Trystan know as soon as possible. You will not be committing yourself to anything at this point, we just need to know if there is any interest

CHURCH OPEN FOR PRAYER: Please note that in future the church will be open for private prayer on the **first Wednesday** of each month, 10am to 12 noon. The next date will be the 2nd August. This will not affect the weekly Parish Prayer Group meeting (see separate notice).

CREDO MAGAZINE: please remember to collect your magazine from the back of the church. Full of articles and information for the next month.

ST TEILO'S COMMUNITY MENTOR: Do you have one hour a week to share? Become a Community Mentor at St Teilo's joining a team who come into the school to support a 13/14 year old pupil. For more information please contact Dr Christine Taylor on 2054 7180 or email: c.taylor@stteilos.com

FAIR TRADE: Can you help with setting up and manning the Fair Trade stall, which is in the church once every month? We need help, for this important venture to continue. If you can

offer your help in any way, please speak to Nick and Penny Goss or to Revd Trystan.

CONNEXION GROUPS: Our ConneXion Groups meet once-a-month to discuss, socialise, learn, and have fun. Interested in joining one of them? Please do talk to Revd Trystan or email him on trystanhughes@churchinwales.org.uk

COLLECTION: If you prefer to give a weekly cash contribution during the various services, and you are a UK Tax payer, then there are envelopes in the pews to enable us to reclaim tax. Please do use an envelope, as, at the moment, this equates to an extra 25p for each £1 you give.

J-WALKERS: (for young people aged 11-18) will take place during the 10am service every Sunday, apart from holiday times and family services (first Sunday of the month). Also, they will meet every Sunday evening at 7-8.30pm. Please encourage any young people you know to come along!

GOOD COMPANIONS: If you know someone who would welcome some companionship and conversation please encourage them to come along to our Good Companions group who meet every Tuesday at 2pm in the hall.

PRAYER GROUP: The Prayer Group meets at 10am every Wednesday in The Lady Chapel. Our meetings involve prayers for individuals and for our local community, to which all are welcome.

YOUR CHOIR NEEDS YOU: We have vacancies for all voice parts; soprano, alto, tenor and bass. Please join us at Thursday evening rehearsals 6.30pm- 8pm where you will receive a warm welcome.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Saturday 22 July 10.30am Messy Church

Sunday 23 July 3pm-5pm Vicarage Garden Party

Sunday 10 September Education Sunday: further details to follow

Sunday 15th October Film Night: further details to follow

Notices for the Newsletter should be given to Denise Searle, tel. 029 20763151; Email info@christchurchcardiff.co.uk or left in the church letter box. Deadline is Wednesday morning

In the event of an EMERGENCY please leave by the nearest exit and assemble by the walled garden at the front of the car park.

CHRIST CHURCH HAS BOTH FACEBOOK AND TWITTER
please check them out and "like" and follow them for up to date church information on services and events

www.facebook.com/christchurchcardiff

www.twitter.com/ChristChCardiff

PARISH INFORMATION

Vicar: Revd Trystan Hughes Tel: 029 20758588

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Curate: Revd Jordan Hillebert Tel: 079 36288330

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**Parish Office: 029 20763151 – open Mon & Weds
9.30am to 12.30pm**

Churchwardens: Haydn Hopkins 029 20621280

Colin Francis 029 20751773

Parish Website: www.christchurchcardiff.co.uk

Email: info@christchurchcardiff.co.uk

Our new banner

Our new banner, behind the altar, reminds us that we, at Christ Church, offer our local community:

- the promise and hope of the rainbow
- the light and safety of the lighthouse
- the peace and comfort of the dove
- the love and healing of the cross

ConneXion Groups (*-coordinators)

ConneXion groups meet once a month.

Group 1 (daytime)

Val Jones*
Isabel Santore
Peggy Ingamells
Wilf Ingamells
Glenys Nettleton
Audrey Lewis
Margaret Griffiths
George Cable
Nadia Bunston
David Greenman

Group 2 (evening)

Haydn and Jill Hopkins *
Julie Waller
Jane Song
Claire Edwards
John and Margaret Griffiths
Julia Matthews
Mark Hamber
Hannah Burch
Mary Payne
Jane Hexter
Gwilym Roberts
Hilary Chiles
Rev'd Jordan Hillebert

Group 3 (evening)

Linda Alexander *
David Alexander
Chris Vokes
Derek Burston
Elizabeth Burston
Colin Francis
Siu Chan
David Greenman
Gill Barker
Clare Dow

Group 4 (evening)

Trystan & Sandra Hughes *
Emma Breraton
Sarah Goldsmith
James & Ingrid Preston
Anna & Paul Mortimore
Hannah Burch
Alex Kinsey
Justin and Coral Freeman
Fernanda Gray
Rebekka Jones

Group (evening)

Sue Hurrell *
Emma Laing
Sandra Hughes
Ruth Payne
Justine Ryland
Jo Jefford
Michele Browne

If you would like to join a group, please do let Revd Trystan know.

PRAYERS & VISITING

PRAYER LIST: from now on names will only appear on the list for one month and will then be removed, unless you let the vicar or wardens know otherwise. Please give names of sick or those in need of prayer to Trystan or the wardens, preferably on paper and include your name too.

HOME VISITING: If you, or anyone you know, are unable to attend church due to ill health or an accident, please do let us know. If you would like one of our Pastoral Visiting team to call for a chat, to help, or to give Home Communion, we will arrange it. Please contact Gerald Bradnum on 029 20 751177 or gbradnum@gmail.com

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Name:

Telephone:.....

(Please tick appropriately and hand to a Welcome Team member or the Clergy)

- ☐ I would like to receive a pastoral visit.
- ☐ I would like to receive Communion at home.
- ☐ I would like to be prayed for by the Prayer Team.

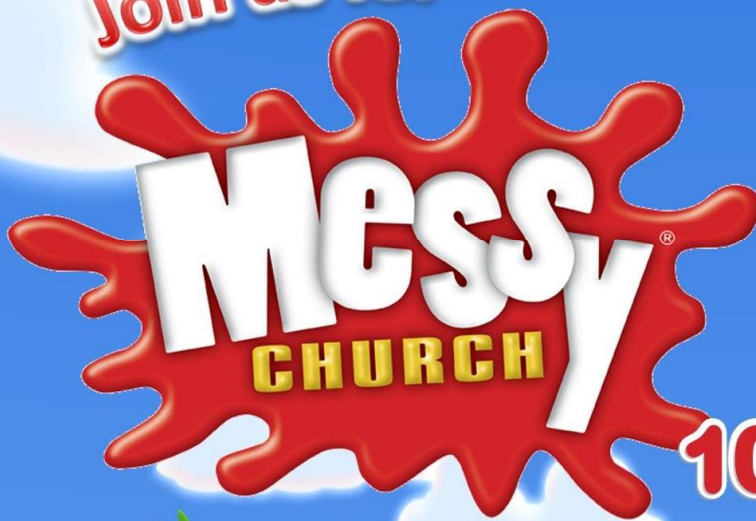
What is your prayer request? (optional)

JOIN US FOR THE



VICARAGE GARDEN PARTY
SUNDAY 23 JULY 3-5PM

Join us for



Saturday
22nd July
10.30am-1.00pm

MESSY HOLIDAY

At Christ Church Roath Park, Lake Road North, CF23 5QN
(029) 2076 3151 info@christchurchcardiff.co.uk
Children must be accompanied by an adult

Children's Colouring Page
Pentecost Cross and Dove

