

## Welcome to Christ Church

Week commencing 13<sup>th</sup> May 2018

### **Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> May – Sunday after Ascension Day**

**8.00am Holy Eucharist**

**10.00am Parish Eucharist, Funky Church & J-Walkers**

**6.00pm Christian Aid Week United Service @ Bethel  
United Reformed Church (*see notices*)**

**6.30pm J-Walkers**

**Monday 14**

**7.30pm Keep Fit**

**Tuesday 15**

**2.00pm Good Companions**

**Thursday 17**

**9.30am Holy Eucharist (*followed  
by tea & coffee*)**

**1.30pm Chatterbox**

**Friday 18**

**7.30pm Holy Land Pilgrimage  
Meeting at St Denys, Lisvane**

### **Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> May – The Day of Pentecost**

**8.00am Holy Eucharist**

**8.30am Big Brekkie**

**10.00am Parish Eucharist, Funky Church & J-  
Walkers**

**6.00pm Evening Service**

**6.30pm J-Walkers**

## **Sunday after Ascension Day**

### **Collect**

O God the King of glory,  
you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ  
with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven:  
we beseech you, leave us not comfortless,  
but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us  
and exalt us to the place where our Saviour Christ is gone before,  
who is alive and reigns with you  
and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

### **The first reading is from the Acts of the Apostles**

In those days Peter stood up among the believers (a group numbering about a hundred and twenty) and said, **Brothers and sisters,** the Scripture had to be fulfilled in which the Holy Spirit spoke long ago through David concerning Judas, who served as guide for those who arrested Jesus. He was one of our number and shared in our ministry. Therefore it is necessary to choose one of the men who have been with us the whole time the Lord Jesus was living among us, beginning from John's baptism to the time when Jesus was taken up from us. For one of these must become a witness with us of his resurrection.

So they nominated two men: Joseph called Barsabbas (also known as Justus) and Matthias. Then they prayed, **Lord,** you know everyone's heart. Show us which of these two you have chosen to take over this apostolic ministry, which Judas left to go where he belongs. Then they cast lots, and the lot fell to Matthias; so he was added to the eleven apostles.

*(Acts 1: 15-17, 21-26)*

This is the Word of the Lord  
**Thanks be to God**

**Psalm 1 (Pg.445)**

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

I have revealed you to those whom you gave me out of the world. They were yours; you gave them to me and they have obeyed your word. Now they know that everything you have given me comes from you. For I gave them the words you gave me and they accepted them. They knew with certainty that I came from you, and they believed that you sent me. I pray for them. I am not praying for the world, but for those you have given me, for they are yours. All I have is yours, and all you have is mine. And glory has come to me through them. I will remain in the world no longer, but they are still in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them by the power of your name, the name you gave me, so that they may be one as we are one. While I was with them, I protected them and kept them safe by that name you gave me. None has been lost except the one doomed to destruction so that Scripture would be fulfilled. I am coming to you now, but I say these things while I am still in the world, so that they may have the full measure of my joy within them. I have given them your word and the world has hated them, for they are not of the world any more than I am of the world. My prayer is not that you take them out of the world but that you protect them from the evil one. They are not of the world, even as I am not of it. Sanctify them by the truth; your word is truth. As you sent me into the world, I have sent them into the world. For them I sanctify myself, that they too may be truly sanctified.

*(John 17: 6-19)*

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

**Post Communion Prayer**

Eternal Giver of love and power,  
your Son Jesus Christ has sent us into all the world  
to preach the gospel of his kingdom:  
confirm us in this mission,  
and help us to live the good news we proclaim  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

## **Next Sunday's Readings & Rotas**

**Eucharist:** Acts 2: 1-8 & John 16: 4b-15

**Reader:** Emma Laing

**Intercessor:** Colin Francis

**Welcoming Team:** Chris Langmaid, Malcolm & Mary Rayner,  
Chris Ward

**Coffee:** Emma Laing, Justine Ryland

**Ministers of Communion:** Howard Kilvington  
(Reserve: Linda Alexander)

## **WEEKLY PRAYERS**

**Sunday:** Pray for the work of the Anglican Centre in RomeLfor the Deanery of MargamLfor the Paradise Food RunLfor the residents of Rhyd y Penau Road.

**Thursday:** Pray for the Episcopal Church in ColombiaLfor the Parish of Kenfig HillLfor the Cardiff Food BankLfor the residents of Park End Lane.

**Sunday:** Pray for the Episcopal Church of Colorado: for the Parish of Port Talbot, St TheodoreLfor Revø Trystan our Vicar and his familyL for the residents of Park End CourtL

*Please also pray for our partner church, St Denys, Lisvane.*

**For the prayers for the remaining days of the week please see: [www.llandaffchurchinwales.org.uk](http://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**

**EVENING SERVICE:** Please join us this evening (13<sup>th</sup>) at 6pm for the Christian Aid Week United Service (of Llanishen Churches Together) at Bethel United Reformed Church, Llangranog Road, off Templeton Avenue (west), Llanishen. Please note there is no service here.

**PEGGY INGAMELLS:** We are sad to hear of the passing away of Peggy on 1st May in the presence of her family, after a long illness bravely borne. Our thoughts and prayers are with Wilfred, daughter Sally and her family, and son Carl. Peggy's funeral service will take place in Christ Church on **THURSDAY 24th MAY at 1.30 p.m.**, followed by a short service at Thornhill Crematorium (Briwnant Chapel) at 3.00 pm, open to all. Everyone is welcome to come to our church hall straight after either service for refreshments and to meet the family.

**THURSDAY 9.30am EUCHARIST:** The Eucharist is on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays of each month. The upcoming dates are **17<sup>th</sup> May & 7<sup>th</sup> June.** Tea and coffee are available afterwards.

**MOTHERS' UNION – CARDIFF DEANERY:** We have received invitations for former members of the Mothers' Union to attend functions on 13th and 15th May. Full details are on the noticeboard in the church foyer for anyone who may be interested in going along.

**HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE MEETING:** Please note that there are still TWO AVAILABLE SPACES for anyone interested in joining members of St Denys and Christ Church on a pilgrimage to the Holy Land in September! If you are interested, please contact Revd Chris Burr:  
[revchrisburr@aol.com](mailto:revchrisburr@aol.com)

A meeting is being held this **Friday 18<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30pm** for all those travelling to the Holy Land. All those travelling should have received letters to this effect so if you could let Denise know if you are able to attend at [office@stdenyschurch.org.uk](mailto:office@stdenyschurch.org.uk) or telephone 2075 2363. Thank you.

**BIG BREKKIE:** On Sunday 20th May, we will be holding a Big Brekkie, with proceeds going to Christian Aid. This will take place between the two morning Eucharist's (8:50am-10:00am). There is no set admission, but people are encouraged to donate generously. Please see Justine, Sue, Gareth, or Revd Jordan for more information.

**THE ABER VALLEY MALE VOICE CHOIR:** have fitted us into their very busy schedule. They have kindly agreed to perform at Christ Church on Wednesday 23rd May 2018, at 7.15pm, to help raise funds, in aid of our new hall. PLUS .....our own Gareth Erlandson will be our soloist for the evening. Tickets now available. Gloria. Tel: 02920751930

**CARDIFF CANTOR MIXED COMMUNITY CHOIR:** We are in for a real treat on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> July in Christ Church. This choir have kindly agreed to hold a fundraising concert for us where they will sing a great variety of music from the "shows", classical etc. More details to follow.

**CHRISTIAN AID:** This is the last year Judith will be organising Christian Aid Week. If anyone feels they can spare some time to co-ordinate this very worthwhile charity collection, please speak to her. You will need to spend a few hours in the run up to the week, preparing envelopes and collecting packs and after the collection has taken place spend a couple of hours counting the money with Lynn Du Feu, our charity treasurer, and completing the finance form. If you would like to work alongside Judith this year, she would be most grateful and can train you ready for next year. Christian Aid week is in May. Please speak to Revd Jordan or to Judith.

The collection envelopes for this year's appeal (13<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> May) are now available, please pick up your pack for the church porch. Thank you

**SABBATICAL:** We are delighted that Revd Jordan has been released by St Padarn's for two days a week for parish duties while Revd Trystan is away on his sabbatical (April-June 2018). During this time, please contact Revd Jordan with parish matters [Jordan.Hillebert@stpadarns.ac.uk](mailto:Jordan.Hillebert@stpadarns.ac.uk) 07936 288330 or one of the wardens, Colin or Haydn.

**VICAR'S SPONSORED WALK:** Our warm congratulations to Revd Trystan for completing the 130-mile medieval pilgrim's route across the top of North Wales, known as the Pilgrim's Way! There is still an opportunity to sponsor his walk, with everything raised going towards our new church hall. There is a donation sheet on the noticeboard in the porch. Please do donate something, however small, to this worthwhile cause :-). The vicar's warden, Haydn Hopkins, will be collecting all sponsorship money. Thank you! Diolch! ( If you would prefer to donate online: [www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/trystan-hughes-walk](http://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/trystan-hughes-walk) )

**ELECTORAL ROLL:** If you consider Christ Church your home church, then we would love to include you on our church members list, known as the Electoral Roll. You can be on the electoral roll whether you attend services regularly or infrequently. Being on the electoral roll helps show

the diocese how well supported Christ Church is. Application forms for inclusion on the Electoral Roll, together with details printed on the back, are available at the entrance to the Church. After you have filled in the form place it in the receptacle provided. David Alexander, Electoral Roll Officer. Any questions about the Electoral Roll, please speak to David, Revd Trystan, or Revd Jordan.

**GOOD COMPANIONS – DRIVERS NEEDED:** The Good Companions group is in need of additional drivers for 2pm and/or 4pm. Offers for help on a weekly, fortnightly, or monthly basis would be sincerely appreciated. Please contact Val for more information: 02920 747021.

**UNWANTED TOILETRIES:** The Good Companions are collecting any unwanted toiletries; these will be offered to emergency patients at the Heath Hospital who often have no personal items or money with them when they are admitted. Should anyone have any unopened toiletries which they would be happy to donate, please pass them on to Val (02920 747021).

**YOUR CHOIR NEEDS YOU:** We have vacancies for all voice parts: soprano, alto, tenor and bass. Please talk to Julie Waller (07790 452722) or turn up to join us at Thursday evening rehearsals 6.30pm- 8pm where you will receive a warm welcome.

**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 6<sup>th</sup> of June.

**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.

## **NEW HALL PROJECT TARGET £100,000**

**Our Planning Application has been submitted. We are getting closer to the long held dream of a NEW HALL so we need to redouble our fund raising efforts to make it a reality.**

**SOME OF THE IDEAS BELOW ARE ALREADY BEING UNDERTAKEN  
BUT ALL NEED YOUR SUPPORT**

**CAKE MAKING** - cakes always sell!

## **MUSIC CONCERTS**

**SCRAP GOLD** - Shirley Davies is still collecting scrap gold - broken chains, odd earrings and similar. Any gold item you no longer want can be added to the pile, which has already raised over £300! Please continue to support.

**CROSS IN MY POCKET** - Thelma has replenished the stock of these and has added some CHURCH MICE to the basket. A donation of £1 will go towards the Hall Fund. Many thanks.

**HOMEMADE MARMALADE** and some chutneys etc.: often available in Church Hall after the 10am Sunday service. Claire and Val

**GREETING CARDS:** for birthday and special occasions - available in the Church Hall after the 10am service, in the Church Porch and often on Tuesday afternoons at Good Companions. Funds will support the New Church Hall project at Christ Church. Contact Shirley Davies if more information needed.

*If anyone has any ideas, however big or small, to raise money for the exciting New Hall project, please share them! Thank you all for your continued support.*

**Notices for the Newsletter should be given to Denise Searle, tel. 029 20763151; Email [info@christchurchcardiff.co.uk](mailto: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](http://www.facebook.com/christchurchcardiff)

[www.twitter.com/ChristChCardiff](http://www.twitter.com/ChristChCardiff)



## PARISH INFORMATION

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9.30am to 12.30pm

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Email: [info@christchurchcardiff.co.uk](mailto:info@christchurchcardiff.co.uk)

# Chatterbox Club

MOTHER & TODDLER GROUP

THURSDAYS 1.30 - 3.00pm

At Christ Church Hall, Lake Road North CF23 5QN



Come and join us every Thursday during term time for our mother & toddler group. Come along for a cup of tea/coffee and the company of other mums, dads, grandparents and child minders.

Tel: (029) 2075 8588 Email: [enquiries@christchurch-cardiff.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@christchurch-cardiff.org.uk)

**ConneXion Groups (\*-coordinators)**  
**ConneXion groups meet once a month**

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@churcheinwales.org.uk](mailto:trystanhughes@churcheinwales.org.uk)

**Group 1 (daytime)**

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

**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  
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  
Jane Hexter  
Flora Samuel

***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](mailto: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)

# Children's Colouring Page

