# Newsletter Church, Roath Park Lake Road North, Cardiff, CF23 5QN

# Welcome to Christ Church

Week commencing 15<sup>th</sup> July 2018

Sunday 15th July - 7th Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Holy Eucharist

10.00am Parish Eucharist, Funky Church & J-Walkers

6.00pm Joint Ecumenical Service at Llanishen

Methodist Church, Melbourne Road (off Fidlas Road)

6.30pm J-Walkers

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> 2.00pm Good Companions

**Summer Afternoon Tea Party** 

**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> 9.30am Midweek Eucharist** 

(followed by tea & coffee)

1.30pm Chatterbox

7.00pm Cantar Community Choir

(see notices)

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> Wedding of Sarah and James

2.00pm Messy Church

## Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> July - Mary Magdalene

8.00am Holy Eucharist

10.00am Parish Eucharist, Funky Church & J-Walkers

& Baptism

6.00pm Evening Service

6.30pm J-Walkers

## 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity

#### Collect

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: graft in our hearts the love of your name, increase in us true religion, nourish us with all goodness, and of your great mercy keep us in the sameL through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

## The first reading is from the Book of Ephesians

Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in the heavenly realms with every spiritual blessing in Christ. For he chose us in him before the creation of the world to be holy and blameless in his sight. In love he predestined us for adoption to sonship through Jesus Christ, in accordance with his pleasure and will . to the praise of his glorious grace, which he has freely given us in the One he loves. In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, in accordance with the riches of Gods grace that he lavished on us. With all wisdom and understanding, he made known to us the mystery of his will according to his good pleasure, which he purposed in Christ, to be put into effect when the times reach their fulfilment. to bring unity to all things in heaven and on earth under Christ.

(Ephesians 1: 3-10)

This is the Word of the Lord Thanks be to God

Psalm 85: 8-13 (*Pg.561*)

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

King Herod heard about this, for Jesusquame had become well known. Some were saying, ±John the Baptist has been raised from the dead, and that is why miraculous powers are at work in him. Others said, He is Elijah. QAnd still others claimed, He is a prophet, like one of the prophets of long ago.

But when Herod heard this, he said, ±lohn, whom I beheaded, has been raised from the dead!qFor Herod himself had given orders to have John arrested, and he had him bound and put in prison. He did this because of Herodias, his brother Philips wife, whom he had married. For John had been saying to Herod, ±t is not lawful for you to have your brotheres wife.g So Herodias nursed a grudge against John and wanted to kill him. But she was not able to, because Herod feared John and protected him, knowing him to be a righteous and holy man. When Herod heard John, he was greatly puzzledLyet he liked to listen to him. Finally the opportune time came. On his birthday Herod gave a banquet for his high officials and military commanders and the leading men of Galilee. When the daughter of Herodias came in and danced, she pleased Herod and his dinner guests. The king said to the girl, Ask me for anything you want, and Idl give it to you.qAnd he promised her with an oath, \(\frac{1}{2}\)Vhatever you ask I will give you, up to half my kingdom.qShe went out and said to her mother, \(\frac{1}{2}\)What shall I ask for? \(\frac{1}{2}\)The head of John the Baptist, \(\pa\)she answered. At once the girl hurried in to the king with the request: ± want you to give me right now the head of John the Baptist on a dish.qThe king was greatly distressed, but because of his oaths and his dinner guests, he did not want to refuse her. So he immediately sent an executioner with orders to bring Johns head. The man went, beheaded John in the prison, and brought back his head on a dish. He presented it to the girl, and she gave it to her mother. On hearing of this, Johns disciples came and took his body and laid it in a tomb.

(Mark 6: 14-29)

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

## **Post Communion Prayer**

Lord God,
whose Son is the true vine and the source of life,
ever giving himself that the world may live:
may we so receive within ourselves
the power of his death and passion
that, in his saving cup,
we may share his glory and be made perfect in his loveL
for he is alive and reigns, now and for ever. **Amen** 

## Next Sunday's Readings & Rotas

**Eucharist:** Song of Solomon 3: 1-4 & John 20: 1-2, 11-18

**Reader:** Jane Roberts **Intercessor:** Emma Laing

Welcoming Team: Eric Howell, Isabel Santore Coffee: Sui Wan Chan, Angela Foley, Ann Picken

Ministers of Communion: Emma Laing

(Reserve: Howard Kilvington)

#### **WEEKLY PRAYERS**

**Sunday:** Pray for the Anglican Church of Papua New GuineaLfor the Parish of Porth NewyddLfor Funky churchLfor the residents of Crystal Wood Road.

**Thursday:** Pray for Episcopal Church in El Camino RealLfor the Parish of Tonyrefail w Gilfach GochLfor the J-WalkersLfor the residents of Maesy-Coed Road.

**Sunday:** Pray for the Episcopal Church in the PhilippinesLfor the Parish of Cardiff, Dewi SantLfor the Christ Church SocietyLfor the residents of Eton Court.

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

For the prayers for the remaining days of the week please see: <a href="https://www.llandaffchurchinwales.org.uk">www.llandaffchurchinwales.org.uk</a> under Faith Worship & Prayer (the Diocesan Prayer Calendar).

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

## **NOTICES**

**JOINT ECUMENICAL SERVICE:** This evening (15<sup>th</sup>) at 6pm there is a joint ecumenical Holy Communion at Llanishen Methodist Church, Melbourne Road (off Fidlas Road), with guest preacher Revd Dr Craig Gardiner. Please do support this service. All welcome!

**GOOD COMPANIONS SUMMER AFTERNOON TEA:** This Tuesday (17 July) 2-4pm our Good Companions are holding a summer afternoon tea partyPlease do come along! All welcome.

**MESSY CHURCH:** We are running a Messy Church session on the Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> July from 2pm and would love some help on the day. Please get in touch with Linda Alexander on 02920 759704. Thank you.

**COMMUNITY MENTOR AT ST TEILO'S:** St Teilo's High School is looking for volunteers interested in serving for an hour on a weekly basis during term time to support a 13-14 year old. Training is provided, and weekly meetings will include checking the child's progress, attendance, and behaviour, and giving advice that will allow them to maximise their potential. There will be a meeting for anyone interested in becoming a mentor at the school on **18th July 5.30 – 6.30pm**; it will be a chance to find out more about the scheme and meet some of the team. For more information please contact Dr Christine Taylor at: <a href="mailto:c.taylor@stteilos.com">c.taylor@stteilos.com</a>

**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 **19<sup>th</sup> July & 2<sup>nd</sup> August.** Tea and coffee are available afterwards.

**STRATEGIC VISION FOR LLANDAFF DIOCESE:** You may already know that Bishop June is inviting as many people as possible to participate in a consultation about the new Strategic Vision for the Diocese. More about this can be found in the current edition of Croeso and on the Diocesan website by following the link below-

https://llandaff.churchinwales.org.uk/diocesan-strategic-vision/
The consultation includes a survey for individuals to complete so please do take advantage of this if you wish

**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 1<sup>st</sup> of August.

**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.

**FRESH VEGETABLES:** varied allotment produce and homemade preserves etc often available after the 10 am Sunday service in the Church Hall. 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.

**CROSS IN MY POCKET:** These handmade embroidered crosses are ideal to pop in your phone case/purse/wallet or would make ideal gifts to pop in a birthday card. There is a plentiful supply in the church porch in all the colours of the rainbow: a donation of £1 will go towards the hall. Many thanks.

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 <a href="mailto:info@christchurchcardiff.co.uk">info@christchurchcardiff.co.uk</a> 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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# 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

# 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@churchinwales.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
Carol Rudram

#### **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

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

#### 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

#### **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)
Ä I would like to receive a pastoral visit.

Ä I would like to receive Communion at home.

Ä I would like to be prayed for by the Prayer Team.

What is your prayer request? (optional)

# Children's Colouring Page

