

## Welcome to Trinity!

We give a warm welcome to regulars and visitors alike. If you are new among us do make yourself known to us and ask for a copy of our Welcome Pack.

This morning's service will last around an hour and a quarter. We worship together with our children and young people for the first part of the service and then they will leave for their own activities - if you are not sure where to go, follow the crowd out to the middle hall and someone will direct you to the right group. Crèche facilities for under-3s are available in the back hall throughout the service. If your children have not been before, please note that you will need to register them. This can be done in the middle hall when you take them out.

Tea and coffee will be served in the middle hall after the morning service - everyone is welcome to stay for fellowship.

An audio loop system is installed downstairs, for anyone wearing a suitable hearing aid.

An offering will be collected during the service. Visitors, please do not feel obliged to contribute, this is for regular friends and members to give to the ministry and outreach of the church.

The Point is our evening service which starts at 7.00pm and will last around an hour. The Point is a more informally styled service.

If you would like someone to pray with you after either service, this is available in the chapel - look for the sign near the front by the worship team, or look for people with prayer ministry team badges.

Several small groups meet during the week on various days and in various locations. There is a list of all small groups on the notice board in the welcome area, or speak to Andy Banks.

## Finance Update

In September giving to the General Fund amounted to £18,021 which is £261 over our budget for the month. This puts the Church about £585 in excess of the budget for income for the first 6 months of the financial year. A very good offering of praise and worship to our God!

## Thank You

Brian Hildick writes: Joan and I thank all who prayed for me and sent cards which were a great support and encouragement in my illness. Also for the cards sent for my 90th birthday. It has all spurred me on to work towards a complete recovery. Thank you all very much.

Irene Woosnam writes: I wish to say a sincere thank you to all who have helped me since my hip replacement. Thank you for your prayers, visits, phone calls and practical help with food and transport. Truly you have been my family. God bless you, Irene.

## Deacons Election

Nominations for the Deacon's election can be made between today and the 8th November. Martin Andrews comes to the end of his term and is eligible to re election. The Pastors and Deacons would welcome others to the Diaconate who have a heart to serve the whole fellowship and a sense that God is calling them. The election will take place at the church meeting on November 24th. Nomination forms can be found on the stage.

## Foodbank

Current needs are: custard, tinned fruit, jam and sugar please Thank you for your ongoing support.

## Alpha Course Holy Spirit Day

The Alpha Course are holding their Holy Spirit Day next Saturday; this is often a pivotal part of the course so please remember the group in your prayers. They have asked if we could provide them with cakes; If you can help in this way, please contact Jackie Lyon on 07808 810388 or let Kerry know. Thank you.

## New Daytime Small Group

A new fortnightly home group will start this Thursday, November 5th at the Manse starting at 10 am led by Terry. The first meeting will start with coffee and nice biscuits, catch-up, deciding on a name and programme, ending with prayer for one another. No fireworks please! Parking available at both manses.

## Scrapbooking Day

Jo Shadbolt and other crafters will be meeting in the middle hall, on Saturday from 10 am to 4 pm for a craft or scrapbooking session, all welcome. Please let Jo know if you are coming.

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## Trinity Diary

*Andy will be on study leave this week.*

### Monday 2nd November

1 pm: Foodbank

8 pm: Deacons Meeting at the Manse

### Tuesday 3rd November

10.30 am: Oasis Coffee Shop

12.30 pm: Knitting for Africa Group

1 pm: Lunchtime Fellowship

7 pm: Cornerstone

### Wednesday 4th November

10 am: Baby & Co

7.30 pm: Just Women

8 pm: Bible Study and Prayer

### Thursday 5th November

9 - 2 pm: BCU based at Trinity

10 am: NEW! Terry's Home Group

2 - 5 pm: School Pastors based at Trinity

8 pm: Worship Band Rehearsal

### Friday 6th November

9 - 2 pm: BCU based at Trinity

6.30 pm: GodZone Sausage Sizzle

8 pm: Prayer in the chapel

8 pm: YP, see Facebook for details

9 pm - 1 am: Street Pastors based at Trinity

### Saturday 7th November

10-4: Alpha Course Holy Spirit Day

10 - 4 pm: Scrapbooking

9 pm: Street Pastors based at Trinity

### Next Sunday 8th November

10.30 am: Service of Remembrance

Preacher: Terry Griffith

6.30 pm: Alpha Course

7 pm: Evening Celebration

Preacher: Ian Moody

### Prayer

The prayer ministry team would be happy to pray with you after the service; near the front, by the worship team. Alternatively, you can ask Scilla Stirling to email the prayer chain.



# Trinity Baptist Church

## News Sheet

### Sunday 1st November 2015

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#### 9.45 am Morning Prayer

Join the Prayer Ministry team in praying together before the morning service in the upstairs classroom.

#### 10.30 am Morning Service

Preacher: Andy Banks

Reading: Mark 2: 1-12

'Which is easier?'

#### 6.30 pm Alpha Recovery Course

Why and how should I read the Bible?

#### 7 pm The Point with Communion

Preacher: Stuart Campbell

'Living a life of worship'

All who know and love the Lord Jesus Christ are invited to share with us at the Lord's table. There will be an opportunity to receive prayer for healing during communion.

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