

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 half. We worship together with our children 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.

Please do not go through to the back halls while our children's work is taking place; there are toilet facilities at the back of the chapel area and drinking water there too, should you need it.

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.

Cornerstone @ The Point is our evening service which starts at 7 pm and will last around an hour and a half. It 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 at the back near the stairs, 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 Terry Griffith.

Baptism

We especially welcome the family and friends of George Sydee, Boaz Moody and Charlotte Kemp who are being baptised this morning.

Fellowship Lunch

After this morning's service we will be having a fellowship lunch which everyone is invited to stay for. Don't worry if you haven't brought anything, there should be enough food for everyone! Please be aware that all the chairs need to be moved around and tables will be brought into the chapel. Please keep children safely out of the way and help out where you can. Thank you.

NEW Trinity Directory

The 2018 version of the Trinity Directory of Members and Friends has been published today. Please pick up your named copy from the table in the Chapel. Please destroy your old directories responsibly. Large print copies are available on request.

Sabbatical

Andy Banks will start his sabbatical from tomorrow, 15th January until the 15th April. He intends to do a course in Hebrew at Spurgeon's, to visit other churches, do some script writing and to spending time reading, thinking and praying. Nikki Hall will be overseeing GodZone while he is off and any other queries should be directed to Terry or the church office while Andy is off.

Guest Speaker at Cornerstone @ The Point

We look forward to welcoming Canon Andrew White here to speak at Cornerstone @ The Point next Sunday evening, 21st January. Andrew, grew up in Bexley and is the former Vicar of St George's Church Baghdad, the only Anglican church in Iraq. Andrew will be speaking on 'The Glory of the Persecuted Church'.

Freedom In Christ

The next Freedom In Christ course starts on Sunday 4th February. It will run for 10 weeks each Sunday evening from 7 - 9pm. It is a proven and effective way for Christians to become more fruitful disciples. There are still spaces so talk to Jackie Lyon or Eileen Jones if you would like to join in.

Start The Year With Prayer 2018

Trinity Baptist Church

*Let's start our 150th year together in prayer;
for each other, our relationships,
our community and our world.*



Wednesday 3rd January

8 pm

Personal Focus

Wednesday 10th January

8 pm

Community Focus

Wednesday 17th January

8 pm

Global/Mission Focus

Wednesday 24th January

8 pm

Family/Relationships Focus

Matthew 18:19-20

'Again, truly I tell you that if two of you on earth agree about anything they ask for, it will be done for them by my Father in heaven. For where two or three gather in my name, there am I with them.'

Scrapbooking/Craft Day

Irene Woosnam 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 Irene know if you are coming.

Trinity Diary

Monday 15th January

1 pm: Foodbank

Tuesday 16th January

10.30 am: Oasis Coffee Shop

7 pm: Cornerstone

Wednesday 17th January

10 am: Baby & Co

8 pm: Start The Year With Prayer

Thursday 18th January

9 - 2 pm: BCU based at Trinity

2 - 5 pm: School Pastors based at Trinity

6 pm onwards: Bexley Winter Shelter

Friday 19th January

9 - 2 pm: BCU based at Trinity

10.30 am: Foodbank

6.30 pm: Omega Club

8 pm: YP, see Facebook for details

9 pm - 1 am: Street Pastors based at Trinity

Saturday 20th January

10 - 4 pm: Craft Day, see inside

Next Sunday 21st January

10.30 am: Communion Service

Preacher: Terry Griffith

6 pm: CTIB Unity Service @ Bexleyheath Methodist

7 pm: Cornerstone @ The Point

Speaker: Canon Andrew White



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News Sheet

Sunday 14th January 2018

9.45 am Morning Prayer

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

10.30 am Baptism Service

Including the baptism of Charlotte Kemp, George Sydee and Boaz Moody. YP and Delta Zone will stay in for the whole service.

Preacher: Andy Banks

From Noon Fellowship Lunch

7 pm Cornerstone @ The Point

Speaker: Terry Griffith

'What does Jesus say about: Money'

Prayer

The prayer ministry team would be happy to pray with you after the service; at the back under the stairs. Alternatively, you can ask Scilla Stirling to email the prayer chain via priscillastirling@yahoo.co.uk.

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