



Welcome to Christ Church Dunstable!





We're delighted you're here and trust you feel at home amongst us. If you are new here, we would love to get to know you better. Please visit ccd.church/welcome or use the QR code to provide your contact details.



OUR SERVICES TODAY

	Morning Services 9.15am & 11.15am
	Partnership in Giving Philippians 4:10-19 Mark Lawrence (Lead Pastor)
	Evening Service 6:15pm
	We warmly welcome Johnny Prime , FIEC's Director for London, who will be preaching God's Word.

CHILDREN'S & YOUTH WORK TODAY

	Crèche facilities for under 2's are available in the Church Hall.
	2-4's in the Church Hall (beneath the auditorium) Jesus Feeds 5000 (John 6:1-15) BIG IDEA: Jesus fed lots of people with just a small bit of food – because He is God!
	4-7's in the Lounge (Aletheia House) & 8-11's in The Way Spies in the Land (Numbers 13 and 14) BIG IDEA: God is more kind to us because Jesus makes it possible for us to know God's forgiveness and presence all the time.
	Nano is for 11-14's and Frontline is for 14-18's Nano: Jonah 1:1-2 Frontline: Afterchurch at Katie's home.

Church Family News

ALSO TODAY

Sunday Lunch, served in The Way, will be **Sausages and Mashed Potato**.

Hub: 4pm, at the home of Brian & Rosie Edwards (53 Cartmel Drive).

THIS WEEK

Mon 16	7:15am	Praying for Gospel Mission: online
	9:30 – 11am	Tiddlers & Toddlers: in The Way
	12:15pm	Praying for our World: in the Church Foyer. Food available from midday.
	5:30-6:45pm	All-Age Prayer & Praise: in the Church Building
Tue 17	7:15am	Praying for our Nation: in the Church Foyer. Food available from 7am.
	10am – 12pm	Art: in The Way
	12:15pm	Praying for the Local Church: online. Also meeting in the Lounge for an in-person option.
	2:30 – 4:30pm	Foodbank: in The Way
	7:45pm	Praying for our Local Communities: in the Church Building
Wed 18	9:30 – 11am	Workshop Wednesdays: ‘Creating a “Plumber’s Mate” game board part 1’, in the Cabin
	9:45 – 11am	W@CC: Daniel, Study 2, in the Church building
	5:30 – 6:45pm	Wednesday Club: in the Church Building
	7:15 – 8:45pm	Nano: in the Church Building
	7:30 – 9pm	Quiz Night: in The Way Coffee House
Thur 19	10:30 – 11:45am	Connect: ‘Sing-a-long-a-Steve’, in the Way
	10:30am	Thanksgiving Service for the life of Lucy Heard, at The Vale Crematorium, Luton
Fri 20	9:30 – 11am	Tiddlers & Toddlers: in The Way
	10am – 12pm	Knit & Natter: in the Church Building
	12:30 – 2:30pm	Foodbank & Drop In: in The Way
Sat 21	7.30pm	Frontline: ‘Wide Games’, in the Church Building

NEXT SUNDAY – 22nd September

Please join us for our **Morning Services at 9:15am & 11:15am** and our **Youth Service at 6:15pm**.

Sunday Lunch, served in The Way, will be **Jacket Potatoes**.

Global Mission Update

Tiago & Melisa Bugalho, Ramada Baptist Church, Portugal



Beloved brothers,

In July, we had 3 weeks of intense but very blessed camp. Thanks to God, 95 campers were in the camp that our church organises with the collaboration of the Baptist Church of Miratejo. We had a weekend for Youth +17, a week for children and a week for teenagers. There were campers who received Jesus as Saviour and others are attending our church after the camp. Our prayer is that God will continue to work in their hearts and that they will be faithful Christians. Pray especially for Bianca, a girl who came for the first time and really enjoyed being with us; she is not yet saved but has come to our church several times since the camp ended.

As a couple, the Lord has allowed us to counsel 3 couples who will be getting married in the next 2 months, we are studying a pre-nuptial book and it has been a blessing to see the desire of these couples to want to start this union in Christ well.

Our family is doing well; we enjoy serving together. Our children are a blessing and despite the tiredness, they were always willing to participate and serve during the weeks of camp. In August, we had a 2 week holiday to rest and spend time as a family. We thank God that in December we will have a family holiday in Chile!

Pray for the ministerial start of the year 2024/2025 at the end of September. We thank God for your lives; you are a huge blessing to us!

ChurchSuite Data

You will have received an email asking you to make sure your contact details are up to date. Please log in and edit anything as needed. Remember that you can also add a photo to your profile. If you cannot log in or have any trouble updating your information, please see Jonny or Gemma.

Azalea

Following on from our Hot Topics event last Sunday evening, Azalea in Luton will be having an Open House on **Friday 27th September**. It will run from 10am-12pm. Please see our Community Worker, Sarah Curtis, for more details.

Dunstable Foodbank

Items most in need this month are: Long-life fruit juice; tinned meat meals; tinned potatoes; jars of jam; tinned fruit; tinned solid meat

Half Week of Prayer – 15th-17th September

We're excited to share further details of our Half week of Prayer starting this Sunday evening.

	Morning	Lunchtime	Evening
Sunday 15th Sept			6:15pm Service <i>Johnny Prime - Preaching on Prayer</i>
Monday 16th Sept	Praying for Global Mission <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Online ● 7:15am (link to be emailed on Sunday afternoon)	Praying for our World <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Foyer ● 12:15pm ● Food available from Midday 	All-Age Prayer & Praise <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Church Building ● 5:30-6:45pm
Tuesday 17th Sept	Praying for our Nation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Foyer ● 7:15am ● Food available from 7am 	Praying for the Local Church <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Online* *Meeting in Lounge for in-person option <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 12.15pm (link to be emailed on Tuesday morning)	Praying for our Local Communities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Church Building ● 7:45pm

All the information above and more can be found by going to: ccd.church/hwop