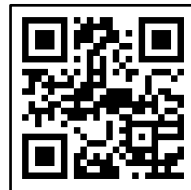




Welcome to Christ Church Dunstable!





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

 <p>MATTHEW CHAPTERS 24-25 THE RETURN OF THE KING</p>	<p>Morning Services 9.15am & 11.15am</p> <p>How to Live Ready for Jesus' Return Matthew 25:14-46 Phil Hammersley</p>
	<p>Evening Service 6.15pm</p> <p>The Unexpected Guest Luke 7:36-50 Steve Neal</p>
	

CHILDREN'S & YOUTH WORK TODAY

	<p>Crèche facilities for under 2's are available in the Church Hall.</p>
	<p>2-4's in the Church Hall (beneath the auditorium) God Made Me! (Genesis 1:1-2:4) Big Idea: God made and loves me</p>
	<p>4-7's in the Lounge (Church Office) & 8-11's in The Way The Powerful King (Acts 2:1-41) Big Idea: Even though many reject Jesus, God has chosen him to forgive sins and restore those who trust him</p>
	<p>Nano is for 11-14's and Frontline is for 14-18's</p> <p>Nano: Enjoying the Service: there are question sheets available in the Foyer to help you follow the sermon.</p> <p>Frontline: After the Evening Service at Grace & James Crook's</p>

Church Family News

THIS WEEK

Mon 24	9:30 – 11am 9:45am – 12:15pm 7:45pm	Tiddlers & Toddlers: in The Way Needle & Thread: in the Church Building English Classes: in The Way
Tue 25	10am – 12pm 2:30 – 4:30pm 7:45pm 7:45pm	Art: in The Way Foodbank: in The Way Home Groups: An Anchor for the Soul: 1: Finding our way to Calvary Gateway: Meeting in The Lounge
Wed 26	9:30 – 11am 9:45 – 11am 5:30 – 6:45pm 7:15 – 8:45pm 7:30pm	Workshop Wednesdays: in The Cabin W@CC: in the Church Building Wednesday Club: in the Church Building Nano: in the Church Building Puddings Night: in The Way
Thur 27	10:30 – 11:45am	Connect: Relax Together with Art Table in The Way
Fri 28	9:30 – 11:30am 12:30 – 2:30pm 7:00pm	Knit & Natter: in The Way Foodbank & Drop In: in The Way Hub: ‘Ladies Pudding Night’, at The Waffle House, Harpenden; see the Hub WhatsApp group or speak to Beth for further details
Sat 1	9am – 12:30pm 7:30 – 9:30pm	Four Counties Gospel Partnership Event – Mental Health and Church, at King’s Church, Flitwick; see opposite for more details. Frontline: <i>What the Bible says about Abortion</i> ; Classic Games in the Church Building.

NEXT SUNDAY – 2nd March

Please join us for our **Morning Services at 9:15am & 11:15am** and our **Evening Service at 6:15pm**, including the Lord’s Supper.

Sunday Lunch, served in The Way, will be Pork Steak with Bechamel Sauce.

Hub: Pancakes after the Evening Service, in The Way.

Global Mission

David & Debbie Woodard

Serving with ABWE in the USA



Dear fellowship at Christ Church, Deb and I are looking forward to our trip back to England in a few weeks and to reuniting with you all! It's been too long! We also will visit our ABWE workers around the country. It is always a joy to meet back up with faithful church planters.

Thank you for the precious and generous gift you have given to help make this trip possible. We are grateful for the gospel partnership and friendships that we have had with the church in Dunstable over the years. Your prayers, financial support and friendship has been a constant source of encouragement.

Last week was the annual 8 day missions conference at our sending church in Springfield, Tennessee. Deb and I assisted with multiple events, including a men's barbecue, ladies brunch, cottage prayer, meetings and a Friday night international missions banquet. I had the joy of being the keynote speaker for the conference to encourage our people to be more involved in going, praying and giving! The annual missions conference is the biggest event in our church and Christian school calendar! Much of that week for the Christian school, centres around the missionaries.

Pray for us as we continue to minister through our local church, Bible College, and continued assignments with our mission board, ABWE! Joyfully in Christ, David and Debbie.

Risk Is Right : Better to Lose Your Life Than to Waste It

In his sermon this morning, Phil referred to the above book. Use the link: ccd.church/risk to access a free, downloadable copy or scan the QR code.



Four Counties Gospel Partnership



On **Saturday the 1st March**, it is the next meeting of the Four Counties Gospel Partnership. This event is hosted by King's Church Flitwick and Steve Midgley has been invited to speak on the subject of **Mental Health & Church**. The event will run

from **8.45am – 12.30pm**. The cost is **£5 per ticket, which includes Brunch**. You can sign up by using the link in the email sent out to you, or by scanning this QR code. Flyers are in the Foyer to take away with these details on them too.

BOOKINGS CLOSE: Midday Thursday 27th February.



Nano Day

Our NANO DAY is coming up on **Saturday 15th March!** It will be a wonderful opportunity to look at God's Word together and get stuck into some great activities. We hope as many of our Nanoers can join us as possible. The cost is £5 per Nanoer and dinner will be provided. Sign up at ccd.church/nanoday or use the booking email sent to Nanoers.

Easter quiz – A Cracking Good Quiz

We are holding an Easter Quiz Night on Friday 21st March. We would love you to come along! It will run from 7pm. The quiz will include a variety of rounds and styles. There will be refreshments, prizes for the winners and a talk that points us to the true meaning of Easter. If you can get a team together of 4-8 people, that's great, please register as a team. If you want to come, and have less than 4 people, please register anyway and we'll get you put into a team. Sign up at ccd.church/quiz or scan the QR code.



Sharing Together: Available

A jungle-themed jumperoo for a baby. Please contact the church office for further details.

In need of the T-loop for better hearing?



We have a hearing loop installed in the auditorium and the Foyer for use by people with hearing aids. There are many places around the auditorium ground floor that you can pick it up well, but it is best to avoid the first 3 rows for the best reception.

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