

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

 MATTHEW CHAPTER 28 THE RESURRECTION OF THE KING	Morning Services 9.15am & 11.15am
	All Over Bar the Shouting Matthew 28:1-20 Brian Edwards
 <i>1 Timothy</i>  Living as the Church of God	Evening Service 6.15pm
	Life that is Truly Life 1 Timothy 6:17-21 Phil Hammersley

CHILDREN'S & YOUTH WORK TODAY

The children in Year 2, Year 6 and Year 9 at school are moving up to their new groups today. All parents and carers should be aware of this already. Please listen out for the announcement if you think this will affect one of your children, thank you.

	Crèche facilities for under 2's are available in the Church Hall.
	2-4's in the Church Hall (beneath the auditorium) Thank you God for my mouth (Psalm 119:9-16) Big Idea: God made our mouths
	4-7's in the Lounge (Church Office) & 8-11's in The Way The King is Coming (Mark 1:1-8) Big Idea: John the Baptist told the people that the Lord himself was coming and that they needed to get ready by turning back to God and being baptised
 	Nano is for 11-14's and Frontline is for 14-18's Nano: Jesus & the Centurion (Matthew 8:5-13) Big Idea: True faith is believing Jesus' powerful words even when life is complicated Frontline: No AfterChurch today – enjoying the service.

Church Family News

THIS WEEK

Mon 28	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 29	10am – 12pm 11am 2:30 – 4:30pm 7 - 9pm	Art: in The Way Thanksgiving Service for the life of Patsy Mowbray: in the Church Building Foodbank: in The Way Poverty Simulation: in the Church Building. See below for more details.
Wed 30	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, Study 2 Wednesday Club: in the Church Building Nano: in the Church Building Table Sports: in The Way
Thur 1	10am – 12pm 7:45pm	Connect: 'Visit the Bluebell Woods', meeting on the church forecourt at 10am 321 Course: session 1, in the Lounge
Fri 2	9:30 – 11:30am 12:30 – 2:30pm	Knit and Natter: in The Way Foodbank & Drop in: in The Way
Sat 3	7:30 – 9:30pm	Frontline: in the Church Building

NEXT SUNDAY – 4th May

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

Poverty Simulation – Tuesday 29th April

On the 29th April, we will be holding a Poverty Simulation event in the Church building at **7pm**. Our Global Mission Partners, Steve and Katey Kenworthy, have been involved in many of these events and found them so helpful to give people an understanding of what it means to live in poverty. Please save the date and come along and share the experience so we can better pray for them.

Safety in the Church Forecourt

As we are now heading towards better weather, our Church forecourt is more popular for people to use to spend time in fellowship on Sundays. We love having so many children at our Sunday services and we want to keep them, as well as everyone else, safe. Please can we remind you of the following, thank you:

- Please be aware of those leaving and arriving who need more time and space to walk through the forecourt and who are therefore more vulnerable.
- Please also be aware of the open gates, main road and of strangers passing through the site.
- Children must be supervised by an adult once they have left their groups. Please do not allow them to play downstairs in the Church Hall, on stairwells or on the balcony.
- And when outside, children should always be in sight of their parents and not climbing on walls, fences, etc. or playing with leather footballs.

Minutes of the Church Members Meeting – 15th April

The minutes of the Church Members Meeting from 15th April are available on request. If you would like a copy, please contact the Church Office or email hello@ccd.church

Needed for the Church Weekend – Saturday 10th May

We will be serving cakes on the Saturday of the Church Weekend. If you are able to make some cakes for this day, please email gemma@ccd.church

Lifts needed for the Church Weekend – Saturday 10th May

There will be a few people who need a lift on the Saturday of the Church Weekend. If you are able to support in this way, please email gemma@ccd.church and say how many car seat spaces you can offer.

'Around the World' – Saturday 17th May

On Saturday 17th May, we will be attending the town council's event which celebrates the cultural diversity of Dunstable. We want to celebrate the diversity of God's church; all one in Christ. We would love to form a team of many nationalities and tongues to help run activities, and to talk to folk at the event. We usually share out the day across the team by running two shifts (am/pm). If you would like to join us this year, please go to **ccd.church/world** to sign up or speak to Steve Neal for further information.

Holiday Bible Club Leaders – 26th – 29th August

Holiday Bible Club will be running from **Tuesday 26th to Friday 29th August**. If you are able to help whether as a leader, in tech, registration or offer other help, please sign up at **ccd.church/hbcleader**

Sharing together

Available

A massage couch in very good condition which folds for travelling and has a carry case – see Roz Kearey 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.