

WEEKLY BULLETIN - SUNDAY 20th OCTOBER 2019

Sunday morning (10.30am): Give us today our daily bread (Matthew 7:7-12)

Intimacy with God means we walk by faith, not by sight. Trusting God for our future, we pray, 'Give us TODAY our DAILY bread.'

Sunday evening (6.30pm): Praying in faith (James 5:13-18)

Whether in need or in plenty, prayer takes us deeper into relationship with God. Things happen when we pray.

This week



Worship Group: The next meeting is on Monday 21st October at 7.30pm. Any queries please contact Jenni Beesley.



Disciples' Group will meet on Monday 21st October in the Lounge at 7.45pm. Any queries please contact Mike Miller.



Early Bird Prayer is on Tuesday 22nd October, drop-in anytime between 6.30 - 8am, grab a light breakfast, pray and go!



Lub Tuesday: Our next meeting is on Tuesday 22nd October at 11.30am. Any queries contact Norma Scott.



Luesday Bible Study Group: The next meeting will be on Tuesday 22nd October at 1.45pm. You are very welcome to join us. If you have any questions speak to Edwin.



Midweek Communion is on Wednesday 23rd October at 11.30am.



Job Club at Chester Road is every Thursday 10am-12pm in the Primary. Thank you for your continued support and prayers. Wendy Sharples (Coordinator).



Recruitment update: For 2nd stage, on Tuesday 22nd October a Seniors Worker candidate will be meeting with seniors from the Tuesday Club, Tuesday Small Group, and volunteers who serve Seniors. We will then have an additional Church Meeting after the morning service on Sunday 27th October. In the meantime, we are still recruiting for a Children's & Families Worker, Youth & Young Adults Worker, and an Operations Manager. For details, see ChesterRoadBaptist.org.uk/Jobs.



Help needed: We need to move the pews out of the transept to create space for the new crèche pit and need at least 8 able bodied helpers to assist us. If you can help, please contact Peter.



Contact: The deadline for Contact is **today**. Please pass any articles or information to Julia in the office; **office@chesterroadbc.org.uk** or 0121 350 2779.



Sam Sharpe Lecture 2019: 24th October at 7pm. Hear Verene Shepherd (Professor of Social History & Director of Institute for Gender and Development Studies, University of West Indies) and Prof Robert Beckford on the theme of Reparations. BMS Selly Oak B29 6QX. To book: https://tinyurl.com/yxpckhtu For a lift, see Danny or Judith.

Prayer Points



Please pray for: Sheila Hickingbottom, Cis, Clifford, Thelma, Paul, Mike, Sue, Steve, Joyce, Joy, Amena, Jessie, Carol and Dorothy. See Contact for other prayer needs.



Please pray for the church. If you know of anyone in need of prayer please let Pastoral Care Leaders, Hazel Wilson and Laurel Trench, know.

Looking ahead



Songs and Tales Concert with Jonathan Veira at St John the Evangelist Church, Walmley, B76 1QN on Saturday 9th November at 7pm (for tickets email <u>office@stjw.org.uk</u> or call 0121 313 0413). See poster for more details.



Nourish Women's Conference 2019 is on at Yardley Baptist Church on Saturday 9th November. Follow the link: https://freshstreams.net/events/nourish-2019/. See poster for more details.



United Service: Sunday 24th November at 6pm - United Service with Churches Together in Erdington at Six Ways Baptist Church (B24 8AD). Speaker: Sam Miller from Open Doors "Persecution and dangerous fath" www.ErdingtonChurches.org.uk



Saltmine Theatre Company: Saltmine are performing Rapunzel, their brand new Christmas production, on Friday 29th November here at Chester Road. Get the date in your diary now details to follow.



The Gathering (The Men's Festival): This event takes part from 26-28th June 2020. For more information please see speak to Darren Atkins, see the poster or go to www.TheGatheringForMen.com. Sunday 27th October is last day for early booking.



Next Sunday: 27th October 2019:

10.30am: Celebrate and Respond Service / 6.30pm: General Service

- ❖ Welcome to everyone worshipping with us today. First time visit? Please pick up a Welcome Card from the Connection Point in the foyer.
- ❖ In case of fire, please leave via the nearest Fire Exit. Take a moment to locate them. Please assemble in the car park by the traffic lights.
- **Toilets** are located off the foyer. The disabled toilet includes **baby-changing** facilities.
- \bullet Hearing Loop \mathcal{I} is available. Switch to 'T'. It's best to sit in the middle sections.
- ❖ Worship ♣ Feel free to stand, sit, take part or observe as you feel comfortable.
- Refreshments are free and Fairtrade. Please stay for a cuppa!
- **♦ All room booking** requests & articles for Contact should go directly to Julia in the office either by phone (0121 350 2779) or via email: office@chesterroadbc.org.uk Thank you.
- ❖ Please send items for the Bulletin to the office by Wednesday 23rd October thank you.