



# **WOODLANDS EVANGELICAL CHURCH**

**Blenheim Drive Allestree** [www.woodlandschurch.org.uk](http://www.woodlandschurch.org.uk)  
(Partner church at Springwood Drive, Oakwood)

**A warm welcome to our services today.  
Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> June 2018 A.D.**

**Refreshments are served after the morning service and before the evening service. Do please join us.**

- 10.30am**      **All age praise, prayer & Bible teaching**  
Jesus - the greatest Teacher  
John 7:1-24 (p.1071-72)  
Warrick Martin  
GIG/IMPACT & MIX in their groups
- 4.00pm**      **Woodlands PM at the church building**  
Be clean  
Mark 1:10-45 (p.1003)  
Phil Butcher
- 7.00pm**      **Praise, prayer, communion & Bible teaching**  
Marriage 'pit stop' - communication  
Tim Gunn

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**Visiting? Please do take a moment to give us a record of your visit by filling in one of the "Welcome Cards" which can be found on the tables as you came in.**

If you are thinking about regularly worshipping with us, do take a WELCOME PACK, giving more details about ourselves and our activities – see one of the Stewards.

**Stewards can help you find your way around our building if you need assistance.**

Toy bags are available to borrow from the sideboard in the front foyer if you feel your children would appreciate them during the service. **Children & Young People have their own groups part way through the morning service. Crèche facilities are available.**

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Youth & Young adult worker: Thiago Holanda (01332) 405345

**Please be praying - this week at Woodlands – in the church & community**

Monday	11 <sup>th</sup>	Am Acorns; 4-5 External hire
Tuesday	12 <sup>th</sup>	10am Oaks; aft WI downstairs; 7.30pm GIG
Wednesday	13 <sup>th</sup>	Am Acorns
Thursday	14 <sup>th</sup>	Am Ladies Bible study
Friday	15 <sup>th</sup>	Am Acorns; pm set up for Ladies breakfast
Saturday	16 <sup>th</sup>	8.30am Ladies Breakfast; 3-7pm Party hire
Sunday	17 <sup>th</sup>	<p><b>9.30am Prayer in the Burrow – all welcome!</b>  <b>10.30am All age praise, prayer &amp; Bible teaching</b>            Jesus – sent from the Father John 7:25-36 (p.1070-71) Phil Butcher            GIG/IMPACT in their groups &amp; MIX in the service</p> <p><b>4.00pm Woodlands PM at the church building</b>            Our greatest need Mark 2:1-12 (p.1003) George Case</p> <p><b>7.00pm Prayer evening with communion</b> Thiago Holanda</p>

<b><u>Responsibilities</u></b>	<b><u>10/6/18</u></b>	<b><u>17/6/18</u></b>
<b>SEEDS</b>	Tim R, Amy & Chrissy	Esther, Anna & Tim D
<b>Welcome Team:</b>	George & Mona	Philippa & Phyllis
<b>Stewards:</b>	Greg & Behrouz	Mona & Ros J
<b>Stewards pm:</b>	Tim Gunn	
<b>Duty elder:</b>	Jon	Phil
<b>Chairs:</b>	Steve, Graham & Dave	Matt C, Richard S & Thiago
<b>Refreshments:</b>	Angela, Colleen, Jane & Carole W	Philippa, Ros J, Christine & Sue D
<b>Refreshments pm</b>	Sharon	Jonathan
<b>Flowers:</b>	Jo S	Jeanette

**Events**

**Marriage "pit-stop":** How's communication going in your marriage? All 'fine and dandy'? If we're really honest, it can be a hard slog at times with lots of miscommunication and misunderstanding. Tim Gunn will be trying to tackle this 'hot potato ' at another marriage pit-stop this Sunday at 7.00pm. Might just be worth popping in.....!

To All Church Ladies....There will be a '**Testimony' Breakfast** next Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> June at 8.30am in the church building. It will be an opportunity to spend time together over food, followed by a short time in which to share recent testimony about how God is working in your lives. In addition, we will have a chance to hear of an exciting project among the women of the church in Peja, Kosovo. If you would like to come, please sign up on the list at the back of the church building. A donation on the day of £3 will cover the cost of breakfast. If you would like to share testimony during the morning please let Philippa Gunn know.

**BoB Breakfast:** The next men's breakfast is taking place at church on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> June at 8.15am. There will be a full English breakfast and a short 'after breakfast talk' by Jon Butler on the theme of success. The cost is £5. If you would like to come then please let Andy Brown know by texting, calling or emailing. This is a great opportunity to get to know some of the other men in the church better and to discuss a significant issue. We will aim to finish by 10am.

Administrator: Colette Patterson (01332) 551336, email [office@woodlandschurch.org.uk](mailto:office@woodlandschurch.org.uk)

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Term time office hours: Monday 9.30-12.30, Tuesday 9.30-14.00 and Friday 10-13.30

**Guest service 'Can I ever be happy?' followed by BBQ at Portway Juniors:** This will take place on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> July at 10.30am with the BBQ starting at 12.30pm in the grounds of the Junior school. If the weather is wet the food will be served inside at church. There are bright yellow flyers available for you to use to invite guests.

**OAKS Summer Outing:** This year we are going to Lincoln on Tuesday, 3rd July, leaving the church at 9.20am (or Park Farm at 9.30am), and arriving back around 4.30pm. The cost will be about £20.00 per person, and this will include admission to the Castle, and a guided tour of the Cathedral (which are both on the same level, plus shops and eating places). You don't have to fit the OAKS age criteria (!), but there are some spaces if you would like to join us. Please let Malcolm Brown know as soon as possible if you would like to come, plus at least a £5.00 deposit, with the balance to be paid by the 26th June, at the very latest.

## **Training and Information**

**Tim Gunn and Warrick Martin** will be away at a **national pastors' conference** for three days next week. Please do pray for them as they have the opportunity to sit and learn, and to reconnect with many friends and acquaintances for mutual edification and encouragement.

**General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR):** In line with the new Data Protection regulations, Woodlands Evangelical Church (WEC) has produced a Privacy Notice which outlines how your data will be handled. Electronic copies have been sent to all those on the church distribution list. If you are not on email or haven't received a copy there will be additional copies available on the table at the back of the church over the next few weeks. New policies and guidance documents have also been produced. These provide further information and helpful advice if you are involved in collecting and processing personal information on behalf of WEC. A folder containing a copy of these documents is located on the desk in the entrance foyer of the Church building (Blenheim Road entrance). Additional copies of these documents can be obtained by contacting Colette Patterson, the Church Administrator. If you have any questions about GDPR then please speak to Tim Dumbleton. Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

**Talk it over pregnancy options and loss support:** There is an information evening this Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> June, 7.30-9pm at the Hope Centre, DE1 1LL. They are looking to recruit volunteer support workers. There is a flyer on the noticeboard in the main foyer.

## **Church family news**

**BBQ after the guest service:** Jess Hemstock is organising the food/drinks for the BBQ on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> July at Portway Juniors at 12.30pm. Please could you seek her out and let her know what you are able to bring to the BBQ. There is a lot to organise so we appreciate your promptness in letting her know so we can plan accordingly. Many thanks.

**Moxon's House:** If anyone would be free to help with some DIY/painting/decorating at the Moxon's house any time between 29<sup>th</sup> June - 7<sup>th</sup> July, then please contact Andy Brown. The work to be done and times available will be clarified nearer the time, but an indication of willingness to help would be useful. Thank you.

**Children's clothes:** Amy Rees has various children's clothes & some maternity clothes available free to a good home. Girls clothes from new-born to 9 months and boys clothes between age 3-6. Please contact Amy if you would like them.

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**Thank you:** Philippa Gunn would like to thank everyone for their kind wishes and offers of help and support following the death of her father. She is really very grateful.

## **Mission Support**

This week we are focussing on **China**. Here are some prayer points:

- Pray for boldness and joy for all Christians in China, but especially those who are under more restrictions and pressure from the authorities.
- Pray for the many expatriate workers forced to leave China in recent months, and pray for local Christians to pick up the baton and continue to plant churches and disciple young believers.
- Thank God for that his kingdom work cannot be stopped, and praise him for the growth of the church and hunger for the gospel amongst many people.
- Pray especially for ethnic minority groups who suffer many injustices, and pray for reconciliation between all the cultures God has made in China.

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**QUOTE, UNQUOTE:** "The truth that your spouse desperately needs - and the truth that only you can give - is the truth about yourself"  
~ Winston Smith, "Marriage matters" (see our 'marriage pit-stop' this Sunday!)  
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**Communion service:** We use non-alcoholic wine and gluten free bread in our communion services.

**Hearing Aid users:** The church is fitted with an induction loop and hearing aid users should switch to the 'T' setting to benefit.

**Church Notice Sheet:** Items for the next notice sheet must be passed to Colette Patterson by Wednesday evening. Details can be left in her pigeonhole, ring her on 01332 987957 or you can ring the office, 551336, where there is an answer phone or email: [office@woodlandschurch.org.uk](mailto:office@woodlandschurch.org.uk).

**Giving to Woodlands:** If you would like to make a gift on a Sunday to Woodlands, there are collection boxes fixed to the walls as you come into the Church Hall. For regular giving please speak to Sue Smith, the church treasurer.