



WOODLANDS EVANGELICAL CHURCH

Blenheim Drive Allestree www.woodlandschurch.org.uk

A very warm welcome to our services today.

****Motto for 2019 - Matthew 6:21****

Jesus said: For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

Sunday 21st July 2019 A.D.

- 10.30am** **All age praise, prayer & Bible teaching**
Deborah – ‘a mother in Israel’
Judges 4:1-5:31 (p.245-247) – Warrick Martin
JAM at Portway Juniors
GIG & Impact in their groups
- 4.00pm** **Woodlands PM**
The rejected conqueror
Mark 5:1-20 (p.1006-07) – Mark Loweth
- 7.00pm** **Praise, prayer, communion & Bible teaching**
Heart attitudes: contentment – David Richardson

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.

▶ **Full time Pastors:**

Tim Gunn (01332) 556484 & Warrick Martin (01332) 804714

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

Monday	22 nd	All week until 26 th July – maintenance at church: outside wall to be fixed – please take care if coming to the building
Tuesday	23 rd	Am Oaks
Wednesday	24 th	
Thursday	25 th	9.30am Ladies Bible study; 2-3pm Portway Juniors to use church for end of year assembly
Friday	26 th	
Saturday	27 th	Am Gideons prayer meeting
Sunday	28 th	<p>9.30am Prayer in the Burrow – all welcome 10.30am All age praise, prayer & Bible teaching Gideon – ‘the sword of the Lord’ Judges 6:1-9:57 (p.247-253) – Tim Gunn GIG & Impact in the service</p> <p>4.00pm Woodlands PM Better than any doctor! Mark 5:21-43 (p.1007-08) – George Case</p> <p>7.00pm Praise, prayer, communion & Bible teaching Heart attitudes: hope – Ian Mackervoy</p>

<u>Responsibilities</u>	<u>21/7/19</u>	<u>28/7/19</u>
SEEDS	Amy, Jane M & Charlotte	Susi D, Suzy P & Tim R
Welcome Team:	Tim & Jane	Ian & Dawn
Stewards:	Greg & Behrouz	Craig & Sarah
Stewards pm:	David	Tim G
Duty elder:	Warrick/Mark	Jon/George
Chairs:	Kevin & Sue	Andy, Josh K & Peter R
Refreshments (morning only):	Kay, Becky, Jo S & Jan F	Karin, Linda, Mona & Greg
Flowers:	Christine H	Chris H

Events

2:42 Summer social evenings: There will be 3 midweek meetings rather than one each week. They will start at 7.45pm. It will be a time of fellowship over drinks – all welcome. The venues and dates are as follows:

Wednesday 7th August – Warrick & Esther Martin’s home
 Wednesday 14th August – Tim & Philippa Gunn’s home
 Wednesday 28th August – Jonda & Chrissy Hill’s home.

Summer JAM - Woodlands Sunday School for children aged 3 to 10 years old. Over the school holidays we have a special summer programme called "Treasure Seekers" led by Liz Butler. These sessions are themed around our church motto for 2019 "Jesus said: For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also. Matthew 6v21". The children will be together in the main room downstairs for these activities. Please note that the summer sessions will end at the slightly earlier time of 12 noon.

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

Information

Would you like to be part of the **Children's Ministry at church**? We are looking for people with a passion to pass on the Good News of Jesus to our children to join the JAM team (both JAM teachers and helpers). If you think this could be you Rachel King would love to hear from you).

Training for teaching the Bible to children: Teaching and Training (TnT) Ministries are coming to run a training session in Derby on Saturday 21st September, 10am-4.30pm at St Giles' Church, Normanton, DE23 8DE. There are some leaflets in the foyer if you would like to know more or you can speak to Rachel King or Warrick Martin. The training is aimed at children up to the age of 11 and is a great opportunity to equip us to teach the Bible to children more faithfully, creatively & effectively. Booking is essential & if you would like a ticket please let Colette Patterson know by Friday 16th August & she will arrange a group booking (office@woodlandchurch.org.uk). After this date you will need to order your own ticket. Tickets cost £20 per person. The church will pay for any wishing to attend but only if you request a ticket by the 16th August.

Happy Hens: An email was sent round earlier in the week but some of you are not on email and there may be others who have not heard about this. Roger and Beryl Hosking who run Happy Hens have asked the churches in Derby to send this information out. (This is a shortened version of the full message).

Happy Hens is a refuge and place of love and teaching for struggling young people however in recent years it has got into debt for different reasons e.g. buried in paper work, the free range egg market became destroyed by huge units producing cheap eggs. Roger & Beryl have now decided to sell land, equipment and stock or raise money in other ways to pay off their debts and then look at what they have left, debt free, to provide a future with them remaining in the house they built and love. They realise there are people in Derby and beyond who know their story and reputation built up over 40 years who would be sad to hear what is happening and may want to help them – they have waited too long to ask for help as it is an admission of failure, and debt is a bad place to be.

The shop, tea room and farm are open – please support Happy Hens as everyone seems to think they have gone! Roger and Beryl are very thankful for everyone's support over the years.

**If you would like to give to the work of Happy Hens there is a giving page online: <https://www.gofundme.com/f/save-happy-hens>

Please read: The owner of Rally Motors (next to the Co-op on Blenheim Parade) has raised a concern. Some parents and carers approaching the church from the shops are taking a short cut through the garage forecourt, walking between cars that are coming and going for repairs and MOT. This is dangerous and the owner does not wish to see children injured or worse. Sadly, parents have become abusive when staff have spoken to them about the matter. Jesus calls us to 'love our neighbour as ourselves'. May we faithfully live that out and be good witnesses, not entering the garage premises to take a short cut, but staying on the pavements, so that we can respect the owner and his staff - and keep children safe. (We're also notifying the local schools to warn parents in case that's where the problem is coming from).

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Derby City Mission (DCM) are celebrating 30 years since they were founded and would like to invite members of Woodlands Evangelical Church to celebrate with them. The event will take place on Sunday 22nd September, 6.30-8pm at REACH Church Derby, Riverside Centre, DE24 8HY. If you would like to attend they are asking people to RSVP by email or post by 31st July (email comms@derbycitymission.org.uk or post 25 Charnwood St, Derby, DE1 2GU). The service will be taken by Lou Fellingham & Roy Crowne and there will be refreshments served afterwards. There will be no evening service at Woodlands that evening to allow people to attend this event.

East Midlands Women's Convention: This will be held on Saturday 5th October 10am-4.30pm at Cornerstone Church, Nottingham. The title of the convention is 'The Lord our rock – trusting God in a stormy world' based on 1 Samuel 2 & 2 Samuel 22. The speaker for the main sessions is Hannah Fox and there will be two seminars which you need to choose. Tickets are £18 full price, £14 for concessions (full time students, those on benefits, pensions) & £10 for 14-17 year olds. There is a sign-up sheet out in the foyer for you to pick your seminars as well as leaflets giving you more information – we cannot book you a place without your seminar choices. Tickets will be ordered on the 9th September.

Church family news

Two week notice sheet: Due to annual leave, next weeks' notice sheet will cover two weeks: 28th July & 4th August. Please let Colette Patterson have any contributions for it by this Wednesday 24th July. Thank you kindly ☺.

Annual Leave (all dates inclusive)

Tim Gunn - Thursday 4th - Sunday 21st July.

Warrick Martin – Saturday 27th July – Saturday 3rd August

Colette Patterson – Saturday 27th July – Sunday 4th August.

OUR VISION: "Growing Together – we will care for, value and love each other and carry each other's burdens."

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.

Large-print song books: Large-print word copies of "Songs of Fellowship" are available on request from the door stewards if you have any difficulty reading from the screen.

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, you can ring the office (01332 551336) where there is an answer phone or email: office@woodlandschurch.org.uk.

Giving to Woodlands: If you would like to make a money 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 or there are forms in the main foyer for you to fill in and return.

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