

ST ALBANS PROJECT

Are you interested in helping the homeless and doing Charity work in you local area ? Lisa Pickavance is looking for volunteers from Holy Trinity to set up a new team to help out at the St Albans project. The project is run by St John's, Dukinfield and opens twice a month on Saturday mornings to provide breakfast and lunch for the homeless. If you would like to help or just find out more, please see Lisa or contact her on 07789 879280 or 1pick@hotmail.co.uk

COLLECTION

We do not pass a collection plate during our services - instead we have a basket near the church entrance where we ask people to place their gifts towards God's work. The work of the church depends upon the regular faithful giving of God's people and we encourage all who consider themselves members of Holy Trinity to give using envelopes or by standing order so that we can reclaim Gift Aid on their donations.



FOOD BANK

Thank you to all those who give items to support the foodbank. At present they are low on the following;

*Tinned fish, tinned fruit, tinned tomatoes, tinned rice pudding
fruit drinks and toiletries*

If you are able, could you please donate in the foodbank box in Tesco, as whatever is donated, Tesco add more for free. Thank you



HOUSEHOLD DONATIONS AND PRAY FOR ME

If you have any household donations please send details to:
holy.trinity.donations@gmail.com

If you have any prayer requests please email them to:
prayformeht@gmail.com

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The church office is open Monday, Tuesday and Friday from 9.00am to 3.00pm
and Wednesday 10.00am to 3.00pm



April 8th 2018

Sunday 8th April
9.15am and 11.15am Morning Praise
'Conquering through Covenant'
Deuteronomy 6:

Wednesday 11th April
10.00am Bridge Coffee Shop

Thursday 12th April
7.30pm Worship group

Friday 13th April
10.30am Bible Study
7.30pm Interns fundraising meal

Saturday 14th April
Bishop Graham Dow
Training day in St Matthews

Sunday 15th April
9.15am & 11.15am Communion and
children's groups
Ephesians 1: 1-6
'Transformed Life - Brand New'

WELCOME !!

We are delighted that you are here for our services this morning. If you are visiting or new to Holy Trinity it's great to have you with us - we hope that you feel at home. Please make yourself known to one of the welcome team (wearing white badges) after the service - they would love to get you a cup of coffee and tell you a bit about the church.



SRI LANKA - INTERNS TRIP

As part of their New Wine Discipleship training, our interns (Stephen and Llewelyn) will be doing a mission trip to Sri Lanka. They will work with the charity Child Action Lanka, an organisation that is working to break the cycle of poverty in Sri Lanka by investing in the city's street children, providing them with care and education.

During the trip, they will be sharing their faith and stepping out into street ministry to bring the hope of Jesus to the deprived areas of the city.

Any donations to support the interns in their mission will be welcomed.



FUNDRAISING DINNER ANNOUNCEMENT

To raise money for the mission trip to Sri Lanka, our interns will be holding a fundraiser dinner at St Matthews on **this Friday 13th April**. The event will include a three-course meal, a presentation on the work that they will be doing and an optional raffle prize draw. Tickets are priced at £15 and are available to buy from the interns after the services, or from Cris Trueman during the week in the office.



Alternatively, if you would like to make a donation, or have any odd jobs that our interns can do in exchange for money, please speak to either Stephen or Llewelyn.

ANNUAL CHURCH MEETING

Our Annual Parochial Church Meeting this year will be on **Monday 23rd April at 7.30pm**. This is the meeting where we elect if necessary our churchwardens, PCC members, Deanery Synod reps and welcome team for the coming year and our financial accounts for the year are presented. We review and give thanks for all that God has done amongst us.

To take part in this meeting you must be on the Electoral Roll which is essentially a church membership list. Please speak to John Haslam to get an application form if you are not already on the roll.

REPORTS There are still one or two reports not yet received can we please have them asap before it's too late to put them in.

LEARNING TO HEAR GOD AND PRAY FOR OTHERS



Bishop Graham Dow will be coming to Holy Trinity **next Saturday 14th April** to deliver a day of teaching on 'Learning to hear God and Pray for others'. The day will have a mixture of teaching sessions along with the opportunity to engage in group exercises.

Prayer is foundational in our lives and we want to really encourage you to come along to take the opportunity to receive some great teaching and spend time together practising the way of Jesus. The day is open to all and costs £5 (payable on the day). You will also need to provide your own lunch. For more information speak to Chris Gascoigne, Paul or Adele.

NEW WINE

New Wine's week-long summer conference kicks off again at Royal Bath & West Country Showground in Shepton Mallet and we'd LOVE you to come with us! We're attending Week 1 this year (Saturday 28th July - Friday 3rd August). Tickets will definitely sell out sooner rather than later and if you book before April 3rd, you'll get a small discount for an early-bird booking. We'll have a New Wine preparation evening at St Matthew's in the Spring. In the meantime, please book your tickets at www.united.new-wine.org/week-1

BIG CHURCH DAY OUT

The Big Church Day Out takes place at Capesthorpe Hall on Friday 1st and Saturday 2nd June 2018. The line up already includes top artists including Matt Redman, Kari Jobe and LZ7 - and there are even more activities and events for children.

We had an ace time there last year with a lovely, welcoming atmosphere of worship and family fun! Once again, we get an incredible discount if we book through the Chester Diocese website. Full weekend tickets for adults are £28 (should be £62) and £22 for 5-16 year olds (should be £56). Under 4's are £4. Camping is extra; all details are on the site.

Come and let your hair down and worship with thousands! Visit www.chester.anglican.org/mission/the-big-church-day-out to book your tickets. Speak to Lou Mitchell for more information.

