



# CHESTER ROAD

## Baptist Church

### WEEKLY BULLETIN - SUNDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> SEPTEMBER 2018

**Sunday morning (10.30am): I am not but I know I AM** (Exodus 3:11-4:31)

*God called Moses to lead the people from 'here' to 'there' but Moses needed convincing. God said, you may be not but I AM.*

**Sunday evening (6.30pm): Heart and Soul (Romans 2:17-29)**

*Instead of the outward signs of pomp and religion, God calls us respond to Him with our inner heart and soul. Respond to God with our heart and soul, not just with our traditions and labels.*

### This week



**D**isciples' Group: The next meeting will take place on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> September. Any queries please contact Mike Miller.



**H**ousegroups: Tuesday Bible Study Group will meet on 25<sup>th</sup> September at 1.45pm. If you would like to join us please see Edwin for details of our studies up to Christmas.



**C**ontact: The deadline for October's issue of Contact is **today**. Please pass any articles or information to Julia in the office (0121 350 2779 or email: [office@chesterroadbc.org.uk](mailto:office@chesterroadbc.org.uk)).



**A**lpha Course will start with a 'taster evening' on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> September at 7.30pm. To book spaces at the taster evening, contact the Church Office t: 0121 350 2779 or e: [office@ChesterRoadBC.org.uk](mailto:office@ChesterRoadBC.org.uk). Please tell us if you have a special diet needs.



**W**orship Group: The next meeting will be on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> September at 7.30pm. Any queries please contact Jenni Beesley.



**F**inance Meeting will take place on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> September at 7.30pm at the home of Peter Vincent.



**C**offee Morning will be held on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> September at 10.30am at the home of Ron and Val Doolan.



**T**hank You: The Macmillan Coffee Morning (run by Tuesday Club) was a great success and has raised £150.00 so far; there are still donations coming in!

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**F**lowers this week are a provided and arranged by Venicia Fallouh. We still need help with arranging flowers in church. Please see the rota in church if you can help. Many thanks.



**R**otas: The October – December rotas are now ready for those who are preparing Communion, those who are greeters, and those reading either morning or evening. Please get your copy from the desk at the side of church.



**T**hank You: I would like to send my thanks to all my friends in CRBC for all the cards, messages, emails, phone calls and visits following my recent operation. I am truly blessed to belong to such a caring church family. I am making a slow recovery and the pain is receding now so I hope to see you all again soon. Thanks again for your concern and love ~ Carole Turner.

## Prayer Points



**P**lease pray for Mike Bizley, Joyce Norbury, Sue Ashford , Joy (and Steve) Stevenson , Jennifer (aged 10) , Rob, Abdul and Geraldine Hunter. Also for Carole Turner and Edna Jones, recovering from operations, and for Dorothy Langstone who is in hospital. Also for Amena Peterkin who is currently in St Catherines. See Contact for other prayer needs.



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



**P**reaching elsewhere this week: Rev Edwin Boddington will be at Stratford Road Baptist Church this morning. Please pray for him as he reaches out to others.

## Looking ahead



**F**oodbank: Could you please bring contributions for the food bank to one of the services next week, thank you.



**B**aptist Churches Celebration Service will be held at Church of the Redeemer, Edgbaston at 6.30pm on 30<sup>th</sup> September. The speaker is Dr. David Golding who is a founder of the Jubilee Campaign. This is the 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the “Stop the Debt campaign”. Please see poster for more details.



**U**nique opportunity in September to double your donation to Bible Society; please speak to Peter.



**N**ext Sunday: 30<sup>th</sup> September: 10.30am – General Service / 6.30pm – General Service.

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### Notes

- ❖ **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.
  - ❖ **Hearing Loop** ♯ 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](mailto:office@chesterroadbc.org.uk) - Thank you.
  - ❖ **Please send items for the Bulletin to the office by Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> September – thank you.**
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