

Connected

4th Sunday After Trinity

Sunday 13th July 2025



Evening Prayer Service: Sunday 20th July at 6pm



Starting on Thursday 24th July at Christ Church, we'll be starting our 'Families Together Summer Special'.

It's aimed at the younger end of Primary School, representing the families we're in touch with. This year, Nicky is getting us all to be pirates – so look out for eye patches, Somerset accents, and Polly the Pirate Parrot!

The point is, we won't be looking for standard pirate treasure of gold and silver but for the best treasure of all contained in the gospel...

With that in mind, please come and pray with us **next Sunday, 20th July, at 6pm**. Yes, we pray for fun and safety but, most of all, that the children would begin to grasp the amazing love God has for each of them.

Tom

TREASURE CHEST

A Joyful 'toon by Mike Waters



Sermon Snippets

Christ Church 2 Samuel 11: 1-27

So far, in our story of King David, things have been going so well. He has truly been "a man after God's own heart"... that is until it all seems to fall down.

In one short chapter of 2 Samuel we find he becomes an adulterer and a murderer. It's a tough passage to face.



The danger is to think that, because we may not have committed a capital offence, this doesn't apply to us... but, in truth, temptation and sin are a real part of all of our lives.

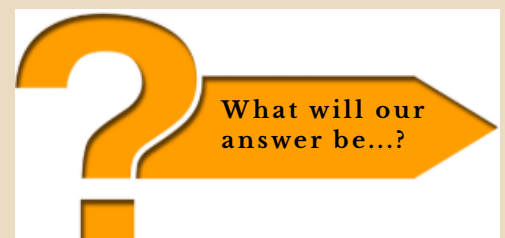
Emmanuel

1 Chronicles 17: 16-27
& Luke 1: 26-38

In this week's readings, we see two of the Bible's main protagonists wrestling with some of life's big questions.

All the way through the Old Testament we're called to remember who we are and whose we are.

David and Mary give their responses to God and invite us to consider how we might answer.



What's On This Week

Saturday 12th July

Repair Cafe from 10am-12:30pm at Christ Church

Sunday 13th July

Deaf Church at 3pm at Emmanuel

Monday 14th July

Ladies Together at 2:30pm in The Spire Centre

Tuesday 15th July

Parish Prayers at 9:30am at Emmanuel

The Beacon at 12noon at Emmanuel

Wednesday 16th July

No Seedlings Toddler Group this week

Thursday 17th July

Craft & Chat at 2:30pm in The Spire Centre

Welcome Group at 2:30pm at Emmanuel

Saturday 19th July

Ambassadors' Walk / Coffee at 10am in Uphill

Open Garden at 2:30pm (*see programme for details*)

Sunday 20th July

Evening Prayer Service at 6pm at Christ Church

(*Theme: Families Together Summer Special*)

Notices

Tom Unavailable

Please note that Tom will be unavailable from Monday 14th July til Thursday 17th July inclusive.

Car Parking At Christ Church

Could we please remind people that, on a Sunday morning, the car park should be reserved for those who have a disability or mobility problems. And, for those who do park in the car park, can you please ensure that enough room is left between cars for wheelchairs, pushchairs, etc. to both enter and exit the building safely. Thank you!

Verse For The Week

"There is no one like you, Lord, and there is no God but you, as we have heard with our own ears. And who is like your people Israel - the one nation on earth whose God went out to redeem a people for himself and to make a name for yourself, and to perform great and awesome wonders by driving out nations from before your people, whom you redeemed from Egypt? You made your people Israel your very own for ever, and you, Lord, have become their God. "

1 Chronicles 17: 20-22

Prayer Pointers

Monday:

Pray by name for either a couple or one person who are prevented from coming to church through age or infirmity.

Tuesday:

Pray for stability and love within the marriages of those within our immediate families and those who sit near us in church.

Wednesday:

Pray for wisdom and integrity for our Prime Minister and our MP, Dan Aldridge.

Thursday:

May we pray for our Vicar, Tom Webber, for the Church Wardens, Treasurers, and Church Secretaries both at Christ Church and Emmanuel.

Friday:

May we give thanks for those who clean, polish, dust, and move furniture across our two churches.

Saturday:

May we pray for tomorrow's preachers across all of Weston's churches but especially at Emmanuel and Christ Church.

Sunday:

May we pray for our own walk with Jesus and for our families as they live their lives this week.

Watch the Morning Service

at www.ccwsm.org.uk

Go to the 'Church Life' menu and click on the 'Sunday Services' page

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Coffee after the Service...

Thank you

Thank you to everyone who sent cards and expressed sympathy to me after Geoff's passing. It has been a great comfort.

The kindness, understanding, words, and prayers during Geoff's ill health, and over this sad time, from my wonderful Christ Church family have been such a blessing.

Thank you for holding me in your thoughts and prayers.

Alwyn

Some Church Family News...

Many of you know Anna Jones (Tracy & Steve's younger daughter) who was part of our church family until she moved away for university and work. We're delighted to announce that Anna has recently become engaged to David. We wish them well as they plan their wedding, and pray for God's blessing on their lives together.



Ambassadors Women's Group

**Saturday 19th July
at 10am... meeting at
Uphill Boatyard for a
walk &/or coffee.**

**If you would like to
attend, please pop your
name on the sign-up
sheet at the back of
church or, for those at
Emmanuel who would
like to come along,
please speak to Kathy
Hinchliffe or Anne
Jones (or Emma in the
Church Office).**



NOTICE FOR

**Families Together
Summer Special**

There will be a team briefing after the service on Sunday 20th July (see email from Nicky for details!).

If you are unable to make this date, please let Nicky know.



Did you know that we have a Christ Church Facebook page...? You can find links to our Daily Prayers and weekly online services as well as posts about things going on in our church family (e.g. Seedlings, Families Together, and Open Gardens) and things happening in our community (e.g. at our school, pre-school, and Repair Café). You'll also see prayers and advertised events from our Diocese (Bath & Wells) as well as things from the national Church of England. We'd love to include posts about Ambassadors, Active Men's Group, Ladies Together, and Craft & Chat so do let Dawn Halstead or Angeline White know what you've been up to.

It's a great way of keeping in touch with what's happening in our church family and sharing that with others.

Follow us online -

<https://www.facebook.com/ccwsm>

Parentalk THE PRIMARY YEARS

A course for parents of under 12s



**Tuesday evenings: 7pm-9pm
Starting 16th September
in the Spire Centre**

For more information see last week's Connected, email: family.ministry@ccwsm.org.uk, or call: 01934 641016

To register for the course, please fill out the form on the events page of our website: (<https://ccwsm.org.uk/events/>) and look out for a confirmation email. Places are limited....!!

REPAIR CAFE

**This Saturday, 12th July
from 10am-12:30pm
at Christ Church**