



Christchurch  
The Grove, ILKLEY  
West Yorkshire

## Welcome to Worship Sunday 31st January 2010

A warm welcome to worship at Christchurch, especially if you are a visitor, or worshipping with us for the first time. We invite you to join us for coffee after the service.

### Sunday 31st January

9:00am Online@9 - *All-age interactive worship*  
10:30am Morning Worship led by Rev Rob Hilton  
6.30pm Ecumenical worship in the style of Taize

### Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> February

9:00am Online@9 - *All-age interactive worship*  
10:30am Morning Worship with Holy Communion  
led by the Rev Rob Hilton and Rev Stephen Dye  
6.30pm Evening worship led by Rev Rob Hilton

Friday Shoppers Service 10:30am 5th February  
A 20-minute time of reflection led by Rev Dick Watson

### HOMELESSNESS SUNDAY 7<sup>th</sup> February

Visiting Preacher: The Rev Steve Dye, Chaplain at St George's Crypt,  
Following the service there will be a "Hunger lunch" (*a simple meal of soup, cheese and a roll for which you are invited to donate the equivalent cost of your Sunday lunch to the work of St George's Crypt*) and Steve will give a brief presentation about their valuable work. If you intend coming, please collect a ticket from the Church Office, Ruth Hilton, Avril Benson or Peter Stockdale.

### FAIRTRADE STALL SUNDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY:

NEW LINES: Decaff instant coffee, cocoa and strawberry jam.  
See you there, John and Judith Bray.

## CHRISTCHURCH PRAYER CALENDAR

*Great and gracious God, whose love has been made real in Jesus Christ, inspire my prayers by the power of your Spirit. May your love flow into the world and the people and situations for which we pray, through our thoughts, words and actions. In the name of Jesus. Amen.*

You are invited to include the following suggestions of local and broader concern in your private prayer during the year.

### Week commencing 31st January 2010. EDUCATION SUNDAY

The work of the Christchurch Resources Committee and all who work in education here and abroad, that they may retain their vision and enthusiasm for all the pupils who may respond to their opportunities.

Every Thursday morning: 9:30am - 10:00am in the Fellowship Room,  
*a time of shared prayer open to all.*

Our Prayer Table at the entrance to the Sanctuary offers helpful leaflets for private prayer.

The Red Book in the foyer is always available for written prayer requests.

Please contact the Prayer Chain for urgent or special prayer needs:

Ann Taylor (01943 600904) or Pauline Mudge (01943 816376)

### CHURCH FAMILY PARTY

#### SATURDAY 6<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 6pm

with the Follow-Spot Theatre Company and our own  
Emily Cade and Tony Pitcairn

Tickets - £3.00 adults, £1.50 children

(including food and games for all ages)

available now from Avril Benson, Rachel Prentice,  
Malcolm Atkinson Coffee Centre or Church Office

### Women's World Day of Prayer

Any ladies wishing to come to the Quiet Day at the Briery on

Tues 16<sup>th</sup> February,  
£11, (includes lunch).

please let Irene Burns have your money as soon as possible, please.

### FRIDAY FREE-AND-EASY at Christchurch

7.30 - 9.30pm every Friday from 15<sup>th</sup>

January. Never heard of it? Not surprising, it's a new initiative! It will be an opportunity for us to get to know each other informally.

\* No agenda \* No committee \* No minutes \*

No pressure Come on your own, in two's or three's, we'll just put the kettle on and relax.

Find out more from Stan Loach or Margo Atkinson.

### MATUGGA UPDATE

Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> February

7.30pm St. John's Church Hall. Come and enjoy an evening of feedback,

including news of crucial farm and dormitory projects. Exciting trips to the Revival Centre by Debbie Walker and Sue Boerrigter in September and by Chris and Kate Raybould in November.

**DEADLINE FOR MARCH EDITION of WIDER HORIZONS is 1<sup>st</sup> FEBRUARY.**

Maximum of 300 words per item, preferably by email, please, as a Word attachment to both [mcarthur59@blueyonder.co.uk](mailto:mcarthur59@blueyonder.co.uk) and [office@christchurchilkley.org.uk](mailto:office@christchurchilkley.org.uk)

**THE IMPOSSIBLE DREAM TOUR Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> February 7.30pm Bridge St. Pentecostal Church, Leeds, Tickets £7.**

Jeff Lucas, Spring Harvest speaker, explores poverty, injustice, oppression and exploitation. Contact Ruth Jones: 608985.

**Jonathan Logan is looking to rent a property in Ilkley, 4 bedroom preferably.**

If you are able to help please contact him at the office: 603209

If you have any spare warm children's clothing - hats, gloves, scarves, coats, and so on - BEACON (working with Asylum Seekers in Bradford) could make use of them **NOW!** Simply pass them on to Ruth Hilton asap and she will deliver them. Many thanks.

**Church Meeting – Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> February at 7.30pm**

Everyone is invited to come and hear what is going on in and around Christchurch. It is your opportunity to have your say so if you have any matters which you wish to raise, then please let Chris Mannall or Rob Hilton know. A full agenda is available on the notice board to the left of the Coffee Centre entrance but the meeting will include an update and opportunity for discussion on our Church finances led by our Treasurer, Tom Collins.

**SCOPE: ages 11+**  
7.30 - 9pm every Sunday at Christchurch in the Middleton Room.

**The Funeral of Keith Ellum** will be held at Christchurch at 11.15am on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> February. Our sincere condolences to the family.

**CIRCUIT QUIET DAY**  
Saturday, 13 March 10 am to 3.30pm at Emsay Methodist Church. Leaders: Chris & Marian Sharp. **Details on a combined flyer/booking form available in the foyer.** Cost (*inc. coffee on arrival, soup, sandwich and cake lunch, and tea at the end*): £7.50. Everyone welcome.

**HAITI APPEAL**  
The amount collected at Christchurch was £867. Grateful thanks to all who contributed.

**THIS WEEK AT CHRISTCHURCH**

Further details available from the Church Office and on the website at [www.christchurchilkley.org.uk](http://www.christchurchilkley.org.uk)

Monday 1st February	09:00	Meditation
	10:00	Parents And Toddlers
	19:30	Water Colour Painting
Tuesday 2nd February	09:25	Music Movers
	14:00	Listening Ear
	19:30	Church Meeting
Wednesday 3rd February	08:30	Wednesday Wizards
	14:30	Christchurch Guild
Thursday 4th February	09:30	Prayer Fellowship
	10:00	Listening Ear
	14:00	Listening Ear
Friday 5th February	10:30	Shoppers Service
	19:30	Badminton
	19:30	Friday Free and Easy
Saturday 6th February	18:00	Church Family Party
	19:30	Matugga Update Evening

Christchurch is fitted with an induction loop system. Hearing aids should be set to Telephone. You may need to adjust the volume.

**Large print and Braille hymn books are available. Please ask a Steward.**

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