



Christ Church Monthly News

...what's on and when, how to join in and what to pray for...

July 2025



Worship & Prayer

Coming Up...

TALES OF THE UNEXPECTED...

Seeing God in

Unexpected places and people

Summer Series 27th July – 31 August

No children or youth groups.

Activities for children and families in the Garden Room.



Sunday 6th July: All-age Cafe Church, led by Youth

Sunday 6th July: Bubble Church, QR, 4pm

Sunday 13th July: Mission Sunday

(including news of an opportunity to join a short term mission trip to Kumi, Uganda in Summer 2026)

Sunday 20th July: Celtic service, 6.30pm

Tuesday 29th July: Vintage Adventure Holiday at Home, 10.30am - 3pm



Learning to Live the *Jesus* Life
CHRIST CHURCH DOWNEND

Weekend

at home
Always

SAVE THE DATE

17th - 19th October 2025

Going Deeper

with Ven Dr. Adrian Youings

A white poster for neurodivergence training with colorful abstract shapes. It features the logo for 'Learning to Live the Jesus Life CHRIST CHURCH DOWNEND' at the top. A green banner with the word 'Free' is on the left. The main title 'Neurodivergence Training' is in large black font. Below it, the text reads 'For volunteers, staff and the congregation', '16th July', 'Tea/Coffee 12.45pm', and 'Starts 1pm - 2.30pm'. A paragraph explains the training is run by the Diocese of Bristol and aims to make churches more inclusive. At the bottom, it says 'Email julie.gardner@christchurchdownend.com to sign up'.

Join us for our

CELTIC SERVICE

SUNDAY 20TH JULY

6.30PM

CHRIST CHURCH

Traditional meditative worship

WE'RE HIRING!

Position:

RELIEF CLEANER

To undertake cleaning duties on an
'as required' basis at our 4 premises

Salary: £12.21 an hour

**Please apply enclosing a covering letter, CV
and details of 2 referees**

For more information and a job pack, please
email:

parishadmin@christchurchdownend.com





We're anticipating being able to run an Alpha course on Monday evenings in the autumn term. If you're interested in coming along and discovering more about the Christian faith in a relaxed environment do let Paul Peterson know.



A quiz afternoon, bring and buy table.

Plus tea and cakes!

Weds 2nd July 2pm
Parish Hall



Can you help volunteer for CAP on a Friday morning?

Resound are hoping to start signposting people who visit their Foodbank to other services in the area that might be helpful to them.

It would be great if we could provide a rota of people willing to be there on Friday mornings to let people know about our CAP Debt service and Warm Space.

Please speak to Rosie or email rosiebrydon@capuk.org for more information.

VINTAGE

Adventure

HOLIDAY AT HOME

A COMMUNITY EVENT FOR OLDER PEOPLE

TUESDAY, JULY 29TH 10:30AM - 3PM

THE CHURCH CENTRE, QUAKERS ROAD BS16 6JG

Quizzes, games, songs from the musicals sung by a professional singer, bingo and chat.

Tickets £5 includes 2 course lunch with Italian wine and grape juice.

Tickets available from 1st-22nd July

parishadmin@christchurchdownend.com or 0117 9089867



RISE UP

against
domestic
abuse



We are pleased to announce that our branch of the Mothers' Union here at Christ Church, have achieved the **Rise Up Bronze Award.**

As a Mothers' Union branch, we have committed, with the support of the Church, to:

1. Raise awareness about domestic abuse.
2. Pray for those affected by domestic abuse, including the victims, survivors, perpetrators, and those who work in the field of domestic abuse.
3. Support our local domestic abuse victims organisation.

COME AND JOIN US!

AFTERNOON CREAM TEA

**3PM THURSDAY 28TH AUGUST
CHRIST CHURCH DOWNEND**

Including Songs of Praise!

Tickets £10 per person

available from Maggie Nichols:

maggie.nichols@christchurchdownend.com

07790250853



**We would be grateful for any
donations of pretty teapots and/or
3 tier cake plates for the above event.
Please give any donations to Maggie.**

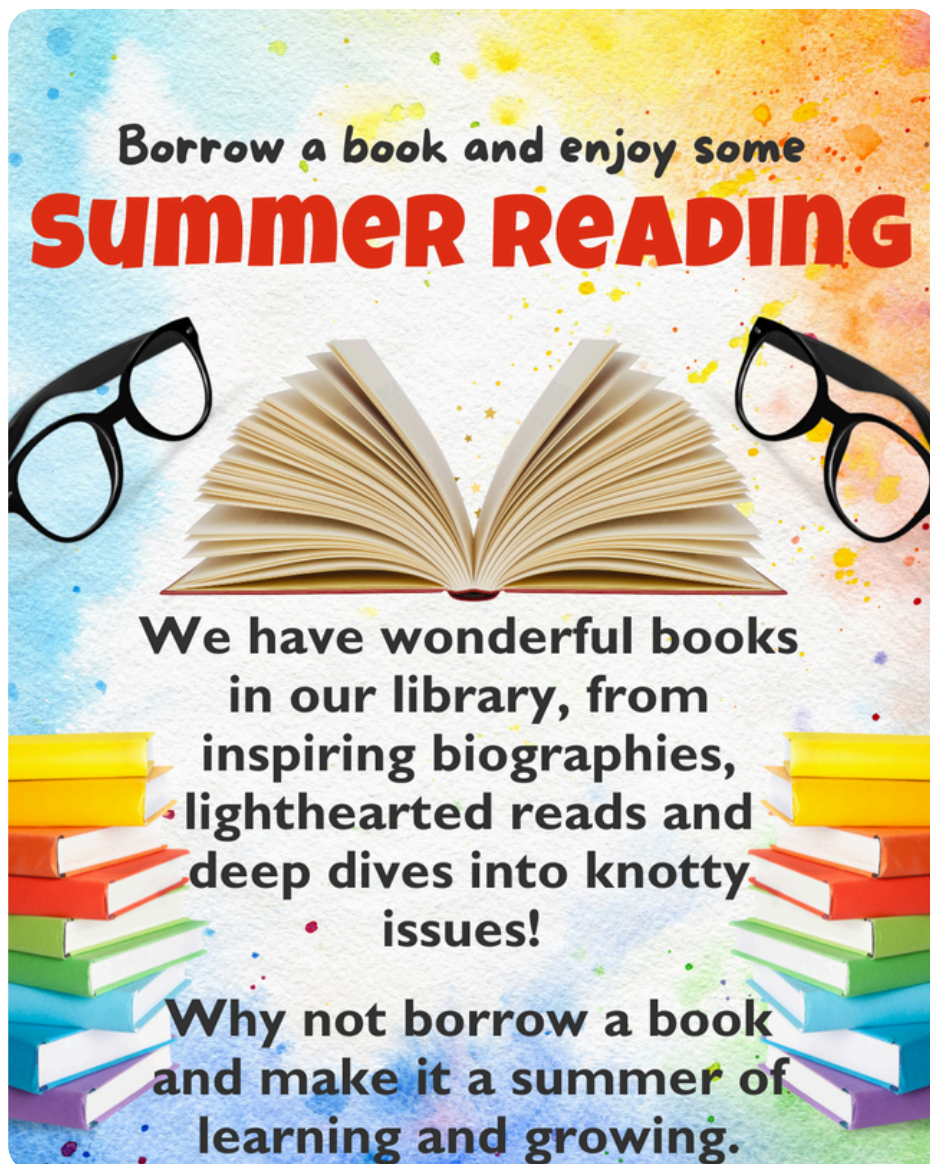


Could you help to host families during the sermon time at our summer Sunday services?

You would go with families to the Garden Room during the sermon and support them with prayer activities and other activities that will be pre-prepared for you.

Sundays needed: July 27th, August 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th and 31st.

If you can help, contact Anita.





CHILDREN YOUTH & SCHOOLS VOLUNTEERS BBQ – WITH YOUR FAMILY

SUN 29 JUNE
AFTER CHURCH AT THE VICARAGE

 Learning to Live the Jesus Life
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BUBBLE CHURCH

Sunday 6th July
4pm Quakers Road Church Centre

30 minute Church service for little ones every month!
It's puppet-packed, Jesus-centred and fuelled with food
join us for a children's tea afterwards.

Book NOW! 



11 JULY 11.30AM
@ THE YOUTH HUB

Coffee, Support & Prayer

For parents/ grandparents of children with additional needs/ concerns. Everyone welcome.



NOAH'S ARK ZOO

Join us for our Church families trip

Wed 20th August

See Ali Rowe for details

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How uplifting it was to see Eloise confirmed and Dan and Adam baptised last month - do continue to pray for our young people as they explore and grow in faith.

July programme

Rooted on Sundays

10.30-12midday

For all in Y6-Y13 : Discipleship and discussion. Meet in church. Then in the Youth Hub followed by refreshments back in church.

6th July Rooted does Café Church

13th July The Nature of God - GRACIOUS

20th July Story Sunday

Rooted on Thursdays

7-8.30pm

For all those Y6-Y13 Games, tuck, community, discussion and prayer.

3rd July Youth Service: practice

4th July THE MIX

10th July Quiz Nite

17th July BBQ @ 15 Glendale



Do you have a pastoral need?

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