



Welcome to Christ Church Alsager!

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News for Sunday 3 December

Series: Great Stories

This Week: Murder in the Vineyard (Luke 20: 9-19)

9am Morning Service with Hymns

11am Informal Service with Communion

With activities for children and young people

6pm Prayer at 6

New Series Christmas

Next Week: Mary (Luke 1: 26-36)

9am Communion Service with Hymns

11am Informal Nativity Service messy church style

Followed by a bring and share buffet lunch

6pm Prayer at 6

Refreshments in the Hall 10-11am. Please stay/come early

Toilets are in the Church Hall

Coming Up

Ready to Go?!

Our Christmas & Alpha Invites are eager to be delivered! Please spread some good news around Alsager by taking a bundle or two from the hall or church. Thank you to everyone who helped count and bundle and delivered.

Its nearly Christmas!

We need lots and lots and lots of help for the Carol Services on 17 Dec. Setting up in the morning then welcoming, serving and clearing up to ensure people that come along are welcomed and the social events after all the services run smoothly. Please sign up in the hall.

Wanted for messy church

Empty tin cans, please drop off at the office. We need 40!

Prayer @ 7.14 - tomorrow!

Are you an early bird? If so join us on the first Monday of the month from 7.14am -7.45am in the hall to pray. Monday 4th December.

Our sheep trail is back!

Our sheep and a donkey are playing hide and seek again! All you have to do is find the names of the missing sheep, fill in your entry form and return it to the office by 10 Dec. Forms are in church or www.christchurchalsager.uk

Messy Church Nativity

Interactive Nativity followed by a bring and share lunch, Sun 10 Dec starts in the hall at 11am then join the procession to church.

IcFem Christmas Cards

Packs of 10 for £5 are available from Liz Brown, also available from icfemcharitycards.bigcartel.com

Coffee on Sunday

We all love a drink and a doughnut on a Sunday morning, this is a great ministry where you can get to know lots of people. We would love for a few more people to come on the team, if you would like to try it out please speak to Debbie

Alpha team

We need a team to lead and help with the new Alpha course which will start Wednesday evenings in January. If you are interested in serving on the team please speak to Helen May or the office as soon as possible. Thank you

New Wine 2018

Book now as the price goes up on 3 Dec. Week 2, 5-11 Aug 2018. A great opportunity to spend time with God and each other. Fabulous groups for children. Inspiring talks and worship for adults. More united.new-wine.org/week-2 Leaflets in the porch. Christ Church post code ST7 2HS.

Neighbourhood Plan Household Survey

Alsager residents - please complete the online survey at alsagernelighbourhoodplan.org.uk/survey. Paper copies are available in the church porch. Your views are needed to contribute to the Plan which will protect Alsager's future. Call 01270 884303 (Rachel White) for more details.

There's lots going on at Christ Church...

Something for everyone, of any age.

You would be very welcome at any of our events.

Please complete a welcome card and pop it in a box at the back of church

This week, please pray for: The family and friends of Emma Fryer, her funeral is here on Tues 5 Dec at 11am.

Church

For all the Christmas services and events, that all the planning goes well and people come along.

Community

For all the churches in the area, that we reach out and show God's love to the community,

Far Out

For CRISIS and the work that they do for the homeless - for all who are in poverty.

Coffee & Communion

1st & 3rd Thursdays 10.30am in Hall

7 Dec Contact Pam if you need a lift 879165

14 Dec Contact Adrienne if you need a lift 875072

Oakhanger Services

All services 6.30pm at St Luke's Church, Taylor's Lane (unless shown). Joint Anglican/Methodist

3 Dec Holy Communion

Tues Carols 7pm

19 Dec

Dennis Round Court

2nd Tuesday at 10.30am in Dennis Round Court Lounge, Hall Drive

12 Dec Morning Worship

Prayer at 6

Join us on Sundays 6-7pm (weekly)

Growth Groups

Make friends, have fun and grow in faith! Growth Groups meet during the week (daytime or evening). Please speak to Toby or any church leader if you are interested in joining one.

This Week - Monday 4 Dec

Mon

7.14am Prayer @7.14
8am Big Breakfast
9.30am Alpha
10am Parent Chat with creche
1.30pm Cherubs Toddlers

Tues

1pm Craft group
1.15pm Space
1.30pm Bowling
3.30pm TAG
7.30pm YGG
7.30pm Parenting Teens

Weds

3.45pm Sparks (yrs R-2)

Thurs

10.30am Coffee and Communion
12 noon Job Club
3.30pm Downtime for 11-18's

Fri

6pm Radiate (yrs 3-6)
7.30pm Revive

Diary Dates

4 Dec Prayer @7.14
7 Dec Coffee & Communion
7 Dec Job Club
10 Dec Messy Nativity
14 Dec Coffee & Communion with Pikemere choir
17 Dec Carols 5pm & 7pm

For Young People and Children on Sundays at 11am

Sometimes all ages stay together in the church, but on most weeks...

11-14s Start in church, then ProTeens in the Hall

5-11s Start in church, then Kids for God - fun in the Hall

0-4s You choose! Either stay in the service (don't worry about noise!)
OR use our Tinies Room at the back of church
OR the crèche in the hall from 11am.



There are hearing loops in both the church and the hall

Large print 9am services available. Please ask.

If you would like to support our work financially

Please pick up a 'Giving for Growth' form in the church porch or visit our giving page on our [website](#). There are different ways you can give - by standing order, weekly envelopes or by putting money in the boxes at the rear of church. All gifts are greatly appreciated. Regular giving helps us to plan more effectively. Please gift aid if possible. **Thank you.**

Want to keep in touch?

Please complete a card in church and hand to someone on the door or fill in your details on our [website](#). We will then keep you up to date with events here at Christ Church via email.

You can always choose to unsubscribe.

For more information



Call Debbie in the Parish Office on 01270-872291



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