



Welcome!

Sunday 19 January 2025

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity *

Worship in Ashbourne

10.30am Church with Choices with Pulpit Swap
at Hilltop School & at home  
led by Revd Nigel Rode, Jeff Ffoulkes,
Stuart Green & Anne Payne

Today we welcome Revd Nigel Rode from St Oswald's to preach as part of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. In Seek & Share worship, Anne & Stuart will be thinking about belief with a game of 'What's in the bag?', interactive Bible readings & creating a display

6.30pm Praise at St Oswald's Hall
led by Lorraine Hawkins

6.30pm Mustard Youth Fellowship in Cornerstone

Worship around the Circuit

10am Muddy Church near Biggin by Hartington *

10.30am Worship at Brailsford
led by Tom Parkinson

10.30am Covenant Service at Tissington
led by Revd Nicola Briggs

Private Prayer

Tissington & Milldale Chapels are open daily for private prayer.

Worship at Home

The service from Ashbourne is live streamed on Facebook & YouTube.

The week ahead...

Sunday 26 January 2025

Monday 20 January

2-4pm Craft & Chat in Cornerstone
12pm Midday Prayers at Elim *
7.30pm Housegroup at Clare & Robert's

Tuesday 21 January

9.30-11am Welly Club at Ashbourne Town Hall
9.30-11.30am Brailsford Coffee Shop in the Chapel
10am Housegroup at Chatsworth Court
12pm Midday Prayers at All Saints Ashbourne *
2.30pm Housegroup at Susan & David's

Wednesday 22 January

12pm Midday Prayers at Tissington Chapel *

Thursday 23 January

9.30am Time for Prayer
in St Oswald's small meeting room
12pm Midday Prayers at St Oswald's *
7.30pm Housegroup at Sue & Jeff's

Friday 24 January



12pm Midday Prayers at St John's *
7.30pm Housegroup at Jen's

Saturday 25 January

Tuesday to Saturday

8.30am-4pm Cornerstone Coffee House open

* see reverse for more details

10.30am Church with Choices
at Hilltop School & at home  
led by Fiona Green Ruth Barratt,
Tim Dutton & Becky Dutton

10.45am Worship at Brailsford All Saints

11am Covenant Service at Kniveton
led by Revd Nicola Briggs

1.45pm Songs of Praise at Dove House *

6.30pm Worship at Kirk Ireton
led by Peter Dawson

6.30pm United Service at Elim *

Everyone is Welcome!

Are you new to this Church or just visiting?

We are very pleased to see you.

Please make yourself known to a Steward & take this sheet home with you to learn more about our activities. To receive this notice sheet electronically, please contact us at noticesamc@gmail.com

Prayer for the week

We pray for everyone who is taking the Advanced Safeguarding Training. May God guide us all to keep our families, our church family & community safe from harm in every area of life, & be brave enough to act if needs arise.

"With God's Help We Will".

Please Pray for

Please remember David & Margaret H & Chris D in your prayers.

We also pray for the family of Revd Mair Bradley who died on 13 December. Many will remember her fondly from her ministry in the Ashbourne area.

Thanks

Thank you for the flowers. It's a year since Alan died. They make a lovely splash of colour in my sitting room.

Margaret W

Connections

The February edition is now available.

The Circuit Leadership Team have requested an earlier publication date and therefore the deadline for the March edition will be 9 February - thank you.

Cliff Lewer

Muddy Church

10am-12pm on Sunday 19 January. Games, crafts & challenges for children from reception to school year 6 in a barn near Biggin by Hartington.

muddychurch@ashbournemethodist.org.uk

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

Ashbourne Churches Together are joining Christians of all denominations worldwide for this week. Please come along and join us.

Sunday 19 January – 10.30am Pulpit Swap at Hilltop

Midday prayers as follows:

Monday 20 January – at Elim Church

Tuesday 21 January – at All Saints Ashbourne

Wednesday 22 January – at Tissington Chapel (led by AMC)

Thursday 23 January – at St Oswald's

Friday 24 January – at St John's

Sunday 26 January – 6. 30pm Joint service at Elim Church

Dove House Songs of Praise

We begin 2025 with our visit to Dove House Residential Home on 26 January at 1.45pm. Please pray for the team and let me know if you are interested to join.

Joyce O

Parwich Covenant Service

This postponed service will now be held on Sunday 2 March at 2.30pm.

Link Development – update

We are very pleased to report that on Friday 20 December a significant milestone was achieved with the signing of the contract with the main contractor, Messenger Construction Ltd, for the full package of the Link project work. This is following a considerable amount of work from our operations managers Ian & Richard working together with our project managers & quantity surveyors, Greenwood Projects Ltd, to clarify & negotiate costs & specifications. These negotiations have resulted in construction costs within the budget limits we set for the main contract & also have confirmed main contract completion for early 2026. Signing the contract at this time was well within our schedule & practically means that Messenger will continue working on site, as they are already, without any risk of interruption.

Tony Walker

If you receive this by email you will also have received a photographic update of progress following a site visit on 14 January. Paper copies are also available, please ask.

Prayer Squares

Thank you to everyone who is knitting or who has knitted Prayer Squares for Chaplaincy to give to specific patients on the wards at the Royal Derby hospital. Special thanks to Craft & Chat. If anyone would like to knit Prayer Squares & does not have a knitting pattern, please contact me & I can get one to you. (Please note, patterns can be collected from & completed squares can be delivered to Craft & Chat too.)

Many thanks on behalf of Chaplaincy.

Liz Spencer

Foodbank

Wishing all our generous supporters a very Happy New Year. Thank you for all you have given in 2024, unfortunately donations are still required at donation points in Sainsburys, Aldi & the Co-op. We are extremely short of breakfast cereals (not porridge!), tinned corned beef, tinned stew, nappies size 5 & 6 & bottles of tomato sauce. As always this valuable resource is open to all in need, whatever age, & emergency parcels can always be collected as a one off, if in need. We are open Monday, Wednesday & Friday mornings at Elim church.

Anne Payne

Notices for the next Notice Sheet:

Please e-mail items to noticesamc@gmail.com, or phone Clare on 01335 342321 by noon on Thursday. Thank you.

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