

## Welcome to Trinity!

We give a warm welcome to regulars and visitors alike. If you are new among us do make yourself known to us and ask for a copy of our Welcome Pack.

This morning's service will last around an hour and a quarter. We worship together with our children and young people for the first part of the service and then they will leave for their own activities - if you are not sure where to go, follow the crowd out to the Middle Hall and someone will direct you to the right group. Crèche facilities for under-3s are available in the back Hall throughout the service. If your children have not been before, please note that you will need to register them. This can be done in the Middle Hall when you take them out.

Tea and coffee will be served in the Middle Hall after the morning service – everyone is welcome to stay for fellowship.

An audio loop system is installed downstairs, for anyone wearing a suitable hearing aid.

An offering will be collected during the service. Visitors, please do not feel obliged to contribute, this is for regular friends and members to give to the ministry and outreach of the church.

The Point is our evening service which starts at 7.00pm and will last around an hour. The Point is a more informally styled service.

If you would like someone to pray with you after either service, this is available in the chapel – look for the sign near the front by the worship team, or look for people with prayer ministry team badges.

Several small groups meet during the week on various days and in various locations. There is a list of all small groups on the notice board in the welcome area, or speak to Andy Banks.

## Thank You

Bryn Roach and family wish to thank many folk at Trinity for their prayers, care and concern and practical support over past months during Beth's illness. Sincere thanks also for their respect for Beth shown by the impressive number at the Thanksgiving Service and the people who did so much behind the scenes.

Pat Garrett would also like to thank everyone who helped with the catering for Beth's thanksgiving service. Whether you baked, set up, cleared up or washed up, thank you!

## Christmas Choir

We will once again be having a choir at our Carols by Candlelight service on the 18th December. Would you like to be part of it? They will be rehearsing here tomorrow evening and then every fortnight. Do speak to Jon French if you would like to join in.

## Gift to Haiti

We have sent £1000 to Haiti via Hope Health Action. They have been able to help isolated communities in the NW of Haiti where the hospital is, and they are partnering with a hospital in the SW of Haiti to help badly affected communities there and in preventing the spread of cholera.

## Foodbank Needs

Our Foodbank is currently in need of donations of jars of pasta sauce and small jars of coffee. Thank you for your ongoing support.

## Sausages and Sparklers

Families of GodZone and YP are invited to Andy's house, 75a Standard Road, DA6 8DR for Sausages and Sparklers this Friday 4th November from 7–9 pm. Bring a packet of sparklers and wrap up warm! An idea of numbers would be helpful—please RSVP to Alexa, contact details overleaf.

## Deacons Election

Nominations for the Deacon's election can be made between today and the 6th November. Scilla Stirling and Nikki Hall come to the end of their term and are eligible to re election. The Pastors and Deacons would welcome others to the Diaconate who have a heart to serve the whole fellowship and a sense that God is calling them. The election will take place at the church meeting on November 27th. Nomination forms can be found on the stage.

## Update from The Harwoods

We are in another incredibly busy season leading ELCO English for Mission training. We have 15 students from South Korea, Germany, Switzerland, Hungary, Kazakhstan and Italy. We are jointly coordinating the training, with Andrew carrying a heavy English teaching load and Sara also doing personnel and other practical roles on our team. With the departure of many team members due to loss of visas or moving on, our team in Halesowen is very stretched. Our ELCO students have again been placed in multicultural teams linked with local churches to gain ministry experience. Last weekend a small Anglican church plant we are partnering with had a visit from the Archbishop of Canterbury, Justin Welby and we got to chat informally to him. When Andrew asked him if he'd heard of OM, he light-heartedly replied, 'Of course, I wasn't born yesterday' and he spoke admiringly of our ELCO team's involvement in this local church.

Please pray for us for renewed energy and perseverance with the current ELCO programme until it finishes in December.

## Trinity Diary

### Monday 31st October

- 1 pm: Foodbank
- 8 pm: Choir Rehearsal

### Tuesday 1st November - Kerry on Annual Leave

- 10.30 am: Oasis Coffee Shop
- 12.30 pm: Knitting For Africa Group
- 1 pm: Lunchtime Fellowship
- 7 pm: Cornerstone

### Wednesday 2nd November

- 10 am: Baby & Co
- 12.30 pm: Baby SEN & Co.
- 8 pm: It's A Man Thing
- 8 pm: Bible Study and Prayer

### Thursday 3rd November

- 9 - 2 pm: BCU based at Trinity
- 10 am: Koinonia
- 2 - 5 pm: School Pastors based at Trinity
- 8 pm: Worship Band Rehearsal
- 8 pm: Prayer in the lounge

### Friday 4th November

- 9 - 2 pm: BCU based at Trinity
- 10.30 am: Foodbank
- 7 - 9 pm: Sausages and Sparklers, see inside
- 9 pm - 1 am: Street Pastors based at Trinity

### Saturday 5th November

- 9 pm: Street Pastors based at Trinity

### Next Sunday 6th November

- 10.30 am: Baptism Service  
Preacher: Andy Banks
- From Noon: Fellowship Lunch
- 6.45 pm: Alpha Course 7
- 7 pm: The Point with Communion  
Preacher: Terry Griffith



# Trinity Baptist Church

## News Sheet

### Sunday 30th October 2016

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#### 9.45 am Morning Prayer

Join the Prayer Ministry team in praying together before the morning service in the upstairs classroom.

#### 10.30 am Morning Service

Leader: Terry Griffith

Preacher: Andrew Evans

Reading: Isaiah 6 1-13

and Matthew 28: 16-20

'Catch the Vision, Join the Mission'

#### 6.45 pm Alpha Course 6

#### 7 pm The Point

Preacher: Terry Griffith

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### Prayer

The prayer ministry team would be happy to pray with you after the service; at the back under the stairs. Alternatively, you can ask Scilla Stirling to email the prayer chain via [priscillastirling@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:priscillastirling@yahoo.co.uk)

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