

SUMMER 2024



Sunday Mornings 9.15am and 11.15am

Our post-Easter series 'The Paths we take' looks at some of the pathways a life following Jesus will inevitably lead. 'Undivided' links with our FORM course (see back panel). With so many distractions, opportunities and things to do, how do we live the intentional, focused, whole-hearted life that Jesus calls us to?

At most services, we take the opportunity to pray for those who wish to respond in any way. Prayer ministry is available after the services for healing or other specific needs. The 11.15am Service is live-streamed each week. Watch or catch up with previous services on our youtube channel.

April

'The Paths we take'

- 14th By way of the desert, Tim Humphrey (Isaiah 35:1-10)
- 21st Faith and doubt, Rob Byrne (Luke 24:36-48)
- 28th † With Thanksgiving, Gordon Taylor (1 Thessalonians 5:16-22)

May

- 5th 'Beside still waters', Naomi Hutchison (Psalm 23)

'The Blessings of Belonging'

- 12th † Built together, Gordon Taylor (1 Peter 2:1-10)
- 19th Pentecost celebration: 'Revival Fire', Join us at Bennett School at 10.30am for an All Together service!
- 26th Eating together, Tim Humphrey (Matthew 9:9-17)

June

- 2nd Sharing together, Naomi Hutchison (Acts 2:42-47)

'Undivided'

- 9th Undivided Heart, Rob Byrne (Joshua 24:1-15)
- 16th † Undivided Worship, Tim Humphrey (1 Samuel 16:1-13)
- 23rd Undivided Mind, Gordon Taylor (Romans 11:36-12:2)
- 30th Undivided Attention, Naomi Hutchison (Luke 10:38-42)

July

- 7th Undivided Mission, Tim Humphrey (Luke 4:14-22)
- 14th Undivided Service, Rob Byrne (Romans 12:3-13)
- 21st † Undivided Devotion, Gordon Taylor (Psalm 27)

July 28th - September 1st inclusive we meet together for one service at 10.30am

Sunday Evenings at 6pm

'Encounter'

On the 3rd Sunday of each month, 'Encounter' is not just another church service! This is an opportunity to go deeper in worship and ministry in the power of the Spirit, and to hear what the Holy Spirit is saying to the church today. Come ready to get involved in helping develop a kingdom-culture for our church and town.

No meetings in April or May

June 16th

July 21st

Prayer for Healing and Wholeness

Whether it's healing for body mind or spirit, these gatherings are an opportunity to soak in an atmosphere of worship and receive personal prayer. Teams from Christ Church as well as some invited guests and friends will pray. We meet on the first Sunday of each month at 6pm.

May 5th

June 2nd

July 7th

What's on this Summer

As well as Sunday services, midweek Life Groups and other regular events, here are a few other dates you might want to save:

April

Thurs 25th

Mon 29th

Men's Curry Night

New Wine Networks Meeting

May

Fri 3rd

Tues 14th

Wed 15th

Sat 18th

Women's Dinner

'FORM' course starts

APCM - (Annual Parochial Church meeting)

'Sharing Jesus Now' - a Day conference with
Glen Scrivener (St. Katherine's, Halstead)

Sun 19th

Fri 24th

25th & 26th

'All Together' at Bennett school!

Men's Friday Fire Pit

'Big Church Festival'

June

Sun 2nd

Fri 7th - 9th

Fri 21st - 23rd

Newcomer's Welcome Tea

Women's Weekend

'The Gathering' Men's Event

July

Fri 12th

Thur 25th

Men's Friday Fire Pit

New Wine Summer Conference starts with Youth
at 'Luminosity'

Courses and Events

Life groups

Midweek groups meeting in and around Tunbridge wells provide practical care and support for one another and help us to live out our vision and calling. These include WOW – a women's bible study on Wednesday mornings, M3 for men every Monday night and MOLO (Mums of little ones) on Thursday mornings at CC.)

Contact Rita on lifegroups@cctw.org.uk to find a group that meets near you.

'FORM' ('Practicing the Way' - an introduction)

Part of our Minster vision is to create a supportive community based on a shared 'rule of life'. Those committed to FORM are pursuing a deeper, relational life with both God and one another.

Through our commitment to prayer, eating and sharing together, FORM underpins and supports the growing ministry of Christ Church. This course is for those who want to find out more in advance of the formal launch and re-structure of midweek groups in the Autumn.

Starts Tuesday, 14th May at Christ Church for 8 weeks (you will need to be able to attend most if not all the sessions). Further info is available on the website, where you can also book a place.

Sparklers

Our toddler group that meets Tuesday mornings, term time. A popular community group.

Thrive Cafe

A listening ear for anyone needing a friendly chat. Free homemade cake and coffee in Manna Cafe every Thursday 10am - 12pm.

Golden Years

A lunch club for over 60's meeting on the 1st & 3rd Fridays of the month, sharing a meal together.

Heart2Heart

Support for families and carers with children and young adults with neurodiversity. Meets fortnightly on Fridays (10-12pm).

Serving

One of the best ways of getting involved at Christ Church is to serve alongside others in some way, making new friends while serving. Ask for our 'getting involved at Christ Church' booklet for ways to serve.

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Visit our website at www.cctw.org.uk for details of all that's happening and to listen to or download Sunday messages.

Check out our [youtube](#) channel for previous live-streamed services and playlists.