

# Newslink

# CHRIST CHURCH PURLEY

## 19<sup>th</sup> May 2019

**THEME: WHO IS GOD? – PERSONAL**  
Exodus 33:12-23, 34:29-35; John 13:31-35

**9.00am** Holy Communion with hymns *Doug McHardie*

**10.30am** Contemporary service *Doug McHardie*  
With Explosive, Rooted and RiSE

### The week ahead at Christ Church 20<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup> May 2019

Mon	9.00am	Foyer coffee shop
	8.00pm	Youth Team meeting
Tue	9.30am	Carousel – parent and toddler group (Hebron)
	8.00pm	Finance, Administration and Resources
Wed		
Thu		
Fri	3.45pm	Extravaganza
Sat	9.00am	Alpha course
Sun	THEME:	WHO IS GOD? – FATHER Exodus 3:1-15; John 5:17-20
	9.00am	Holy Communion with hymns
	10.30am	Contemporary service including Thanksgiving and Dedication for Grace With Explosive, Rooted and RiSE
	7.00pm	Worship Night

**New to Christ Church? A very warm welcome!** To find out more, please speak to one of the Stewards or Welcomers who greeted you as you came in, or speak to the Service Leader. Programme, Information and Newcomers' cards are available in the Foyer.

**Praying For Transformation In Our Parish.** It is time to change the atmosphere in our parish, so we are inviting you to pray for Purley road by road. This week we are praying for **Purley Park Road** and all who dwell, work or travel there.



**Extravaganza: Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May 3.45pm.** Fun, games, craft and

God! Bookings now open on the Church website. Book early to avoid disappointment.



**Bereavement Support Group Bank Holiday Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May**

**1.00-2.00pm.** This month one of our members has kindly offered to provide some Indian food for us.



**Quiz Night For Christian Aid: Friday**

**14<sup>th</sup> June** cost £10 including a Fish and Chip Supper. Judy will be collecting money after the 10.30 service on 2<sup>nd</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> June. Info / booking: Judy Strawson



**Listening Workshop Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> June 9.30am-12.30pm.**

Session for all coffee shop listeners and anyone else who would like to come and sharpen their listening skills. It will be facilitated by Rev Hilary Fife, recently retired as Head Chaplain of Croydon University Hospital. She is extremely experienced and this promises to be an excellent morning. Info: Jenny



**Cheer Are you parenting alone? – come to**

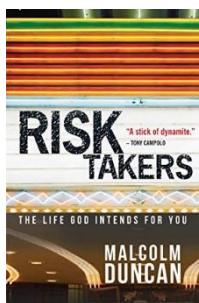
**Sunday lunch! 19<sup>th</sup> May 1.00pm - 2.45pm Philippi.**

Your children and teenagers are welcome. Info or book your place: Elle 020 8763 8291/[office@christchurchpurley.org.uk](mailto:office@christchurchpurley.org.uk)/ Christ Church Pastoral Team.

**Wonderworld workshop Holiday Club 17<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> August:**

We are so excited to be entering into the wonderworld workshop this summer. Jude will be in touch with the team members soon and booking lines will open in June. Thank you for your prayers and support.

## Seeds bookstall - book of the month:



Risk Takers - The Life God Intends for You by Malcom Duncan. £8.99. The early church tried, failed, and tried again. They did not know what was coming next - but they learned to depend on the Spirit, who was always one step ahead. The unpredictable Spirit invites us to an adventure of faith. The road is not straight, but the compass is sure. Malcolm calls Christians to become risk takers, not shackled to legacy, willing to do the right rather than the easy thing. This is the only way that the world will be changed.



### **Abbeyfield Southern Oaks Concert Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2.30pm.**

Admission £5. Including tea and raffle.

### **Missed a service / want to listen again?**

Listen on the website  
<https://christchurchpurley.org.uk/Media/AllMedia.aspx>

**Lee Duckett:** Information from the St Mary the Virgin, Battle website: The Churchwardens are happy to announce that the Queen has approved the appointment of the Reverend Lee Christopher James Duckett to the Deanery and Vicarage of Battle in the County of East Sussex and in the Diocese of Chichester. He currently is the vicar of Christ Church Ore. He and his family will join in the autumn.

### **Have you seen the photographs of the Collation and induction service for Doug?**

<https://christchurchpurley.org.uk/Media/AllMedia.aspx>



**Purley and Kenley  
Churches Together  
Scones and Songs  
of Praise with Thy Kingdom  
Come theme Sunday 9<sup>th</sup>  
June. 4.15pm for scones  
5.00pm for songs St Barnabas  
CR8 2HR**



Events in diary so far are:

30<sup>th</sup> May TBC  
31<sup>st</sup> May TBC  
1<sup>st</sup> June TBC  
2<sup>nd</sup> June 6.30pm Croydon  
South Deanery service with  
prayer stations at St Marks  
Purley  
3<sup>rd</sup> June TBC  
4<sup>th</sup> June 8.00pm Prayer walk  
5<sup>th</sup> June 9.00-9.15pm  
Bow Down. Purley and Kenley  
Churches Together praying  
together at Purley URC  
6<sup>th</sup> June TBC  
7<sup>th</sup> June TBC  
8<sup>th</sup> June TBC  
9<sup>th</sup> June Pentecost services  
morning and evening  
ANY SIMPLE IDEAS INSIDE OR  
OUTSIDE THE CHURCH  
BUILDING TO FILL IN THE TBC's  
ABOVE PLEASE SPEAK TO DOUG.  
**LET'S HAVE SOMETHING  
EVERY DAY** AND CATCH THAT  
WAVE OF PRAYER!

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