



Welcome to Tamworth Baptist Church

If this is your first visit here we offer you a very warm welcome.

Please make yourself known to us, and join us for a cuppa and a chat after the service.

Also please do pick up a leaflet that gives more details of all our activities and contact details etc.

Christmas and New Year Services:

Sunday 24th

11am **Sunday celebration** led by Graham at Belgrave

(no 6:15pm service)

11:30pm **midnight communion** led by Graham at Belgrave

Monday 25th

10am **Christmas celebration** led by Graham at Belgrave

Sunday 31st

11am **Sunday celebration** led by the deacons at Belgrave

Our vision is that we will be a church of “whole-life disciples” who treasure every moment as an opportunity to live as fully-committed followers of Jesus Christ.



Hearing loop systems are installed at both our buildings. Please switch hearing aids to 'T' position and let someone know if you have any problems.

For your diary (and for your prayers please):

Mon 25 10am **Christmas celebration** led by Graham at Belgrave

Graham is off after Christmas and back "at work" on Wednesday 3rd January

Sat 30 **night shelter**

Sun 31 see front page

Mon 1 Bank holiday so no **prayer meeting**

Sat 6 8:30am **prayer breakfast** at Belgrave
night shelter

Sun 7 11am **Sunday celebration** led by Graham at Belgrave
6:15pm **communion celebration** led by Graham at Belgrave

Mon 8 7:30pm **prayer meeting** at Dosthill

Graham's day off is Friday 12th

Sat 13 **night shelter**

Sun 14 11am **all-age Church** led by Graham at Belgrave
6:15pm **evening celebration** led by Graham at Belgrave

For our regular weekly events, and our special events,
please see our website: tamworthbaptists.org.uk

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Contact

Following on from the AGM:

At the AGM, Graham presented some views about how we could move forward as a church and a two page document is available summarising this. Please take it, think about the questions it raises, and pray for God's clear guidance and direction.

One of the questions raised at the AGM was about what is involved in being a church treasurer. The best place to get an overview is a Baptist Union document about charity trustees with pages 13-15 specifically talking about the treasurer. To access it do an Internet search for "baptists together leaflet c15". If you don't have access to the Internet and would like a copy please speak to Graham.

You may have heard people talking about **ChurchSuite**.



You may already be a whizz at using it.

Or you may not.

It is an "application" or a computer programme that allows us to keep lots of information about Tamworth Baptist Church in one place. This includes the directory of people and their contact details, information about events and services, rotas, attendance and offerings (only you and the treasurer can see your offerings).

If you are able to access computer stuff in any way, please do take some time to look at the information help on ChurchSuite and see how useful it is.

If you do not use a computer in any way, don't panic, notice sheets will still be printed.

For more information talk to David Thompson or Jo Criddle.

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Christians Against Poverty

is a national debt counselling charity with a network of 306 centres based in local churches. CAP offers hope and a solution to anyone in debt through its unique, in-depth, free and confidential service.

The Tamworth Centre is based at our Belgrave building, Joy Dean is the centre manager, please speak to her for more information.

<http://www.capuk.org/>

REGULAR MEETINGS

SUNDAY

- 11.00am Morning Worship & Sunday School at Belgrave
6.15pm Evening Worship at Belgrave

MONDAY

- 9.30am Playcentre at Dosthill
2.30pm Housegroup - Cringlebrook, Belgrave
3.45pm Messy Church, last Monday in the month at Dosthill
7.30pm Prayer Meeting at Dosthill
8.00pm Men's Fellowship at Belgrave, 2nd Monday each month

TUESDAY

- 9.30am Playcentre at Belgrave
10.00am Craft Sessions at Belgrave
12 noon Playcentre lunch at Belgrave every other Tuesday
6.00pm Boys' Brigade at Belgrave - please ask for start times
7.30pm Housegroups - Lakeside & Torc Avenue

WEDNESDAY

- 10.00am Coffee Mornings at Dosthill, or Druckers or AB's in town
6.00pm Girls' Brigade at Belgrave - please ask for start times

THURSDAY

- 9.30am Playcentre at Belgrave
7.30pm Thursday Fellowship 1st & 3rd at Belgrave
7.30pm Church Meeting at Belgrave - last Thurs in every other month

FRIDAY

- 7.30pm Tamworth Signs for Worship signing group at Belgrave

SATURDAY

- 8.30am Prayer Breakfast 1st Sat in month, at Belgrave

Please ask for more details of any of these if you are interested.

Notices: If you have any items for next week's notice sheet please send them to
Jo Criddle, by 7pm on Thursday
email: jo.criddle61@gmail.com or phone 01827 280471