



Christ Church
for you!

For Sunday 13th September 2020
We welcome Rev David Barter from Wotton
Baptists

As you come to him, the living Stone – rejected by humans but chosen by God and precious to him – you also, like living stones, are being built into a spiritual house to be a holy priesthood, offering spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ. 1 Peter 2: 4-5.



Service Suggestions for 10.20 am Sunday 13th September:

Supplied by Rev Stuart Radford and Rev David Barter

Welcome

Hymn 563 *O Jesus I have promised*

Sharing Time

Readings Exodus 19: 1-8 Lyn Driscoll
1 Peter 2: 4-12 Jenny Eldridge

Hymn 59 *Shine, Jesus shine*

Reflection Rev David Barter

Prayers of Intercession Steve Robinson

Hymn 690 *The Church's one foundation* [v 1,2,4]

Blessing

Join us on Zoom (respond to the invite or you can join by any telephone) or follow on your own at home or let us know you wish to come to the church building (see separate sheets for instructions).

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Services

The **church building** will be ***open this Sunday*** and subsequent Sundays for those who cannot join us on Zoom at home (we'll review this restriction at the start of October). Instructions are on a separate sheet. Please ***let Margaret know if you intend to come to the church building***. Please note that ***face covering is compulsory*** (if you have medical permission not to do so, please let us know before you come).

The church continues to be open for ***individuals*** for ***private prayer and reflection*** on ***Wednesdays from 10 am to 2 pm***. ***Volunteer stewards are still needed***: if you are willing to help for some time between 10 am and 2 pm on a Wednesday, please ***contact Margaret***. If you don't want to come in, why not just ***chat on the steps***.

Meeting Place on Mondays

Our plans to start ***Meeting Place*** have been put off for a week while we review the latest Government advice and understand what we are allowed to do. We'll hope to start on ***Monday 21st September***: the ***Christ Church Rooms*** will be ***open from 10 am to 12 noon*** for people to ***meet and chat over tea or coffee in a safe space***. This will be a continuation of ***Renew Nailsworth***, but in a slightly different, Covid-19-safe way (so, with masks and guidelines about social distancing as the Government requires).

Zoom Coffee Morning 19th September

Following on from the success of our first Zoom Coffee Morning, do get your cups and biscuits ready for ***10 am – 12 noon on Saturday 19th September*** – see you then (if not before).

Harvest

Harvest Festival Sunday is 27th September (and ***also Church Meeting*** by Zoom after the service). Please bring ***non-perishable items (see the separate poster)*** to the church on ***Wednesdays (10 am – 2 pm)*** or on ***Saturday 26th (10 am – 12 noon)***. All items will be given to the Food Bank.

Please remember in your prayers:



All those who have recently been bereaved, including Zoe, Keira and Owen Hynes.

Harold Butterworth.

Steve Robinson's daughter Katy.

Margaret Marshall's daughter Heather Jones.

Heidi Baker and her family.

Linda's great-niece, Lucy.

Peter Smith is now at home.

Teachers and children back at school.

Those who are lonely, depressed and sad. ***Please continue to phone friends.***

Following Governmental and Denominational advice:

Services and activities are under strict social distancing guidelines.

Please contact us if you are in need of help.

Minister: Stuart Radford

Church Secretaries: Margaret Marshall & Malcolm Brown

Finance: Paul Driscoll & Bryan James

Families Worker: Stella Voaden

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