

NEXT WEEK

Sunday 23rd June 2019 ~ 1st Sunday after Trinity
10.00 am ~ Holy Communion

President: Revd Sr. Elizabeth Shearcroft, C.A.,
Preacher: Revd Gareth Davies
Readings: Isaiah 65: 1-9 OT page 705
Galatians 3:23-29 NT page 186
Luke 8: 26-39 NT page 65



For your prayer time ~
Thought for reflection found
in our readings
this week.

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Our weekly newsletter for you to take home



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Immanuel Prays!

Prayer underpins all that we do in faith and we believe it is important to gather regularly to pray and encourage one another in our church life and journey.

The next meetings will be on:

Sunday 16th June

Monday 24th June

We meet in the Chapel at 7:30pm **except** on Sundays when we gather at around 11:30am after the Service. For the time being we are planning to hold the Sunday meetings on the **1st and 3rd Sundays** of each month.

All are welcome! You don't have to pray out loud at the meeting - God hears silent prayer! Weekday meetings last about 45 mins.

If you are unable to attend but would like us to pray for you or someone you know, please contact either Lorraine Thomas or Marion Gray.

TODAY

**Sunday 16th June 2019 ~ Trinity Sunday
10.00 am Holy Communion with Baptism**

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Readings: Proverbs 8.1-4,22-31 OT page 602
Romans 5.1-5 NT page 151
John 16.12-15 NT page 107

Prayer Pointers

- Give thanks for the family of God at Immanuel & St. Andrew and pray for God's continuing guidance
- for our ministry as, we seek to know Jesus, and make him known through our MAP. Give thanks for all who are supporting us in our explorations, enabling us to become a Pentecost people.
- Please pray for May's Dad Alfie who is making a slow but steady recovery from a bleed in his brain. Thank God for his healing so far and patience as he learns how to walk again.
- Pray for your school in this final term of the academic year and for us as we prepare for the 'Moving On Service'
- Pray for Elijah, and Louis who come for Baptism this morning and for their families as they celebrate. Pray too for Willow and Hamish, who's Baptisms have had to be postponed.

Junior Church

Our Junior church is open on 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month, during term time, whenever possible.
Could you help or possibly lead the sessions once in a while ~ if so please talk to Gloria or Rebecca.

Ministry at home

Holy Communion and/or Anointing are available, on request, for those unable to attend church due to illness or frailty.

Diary Dates

Thursday ~ CAIAS ~ Coffee & chat, Knitting and Natter.

Please note that due to personal circumstances Maureen is taking a break from her SPA responsibilities and CAIAS is suspended until further notice.

The group will resume as soon as possible. In the meantime please hold Maureen and Whitbourne in prayer.

Advance Diary Dates

Summer Outing to Southend ~ Saturday 13th July 2019

Great opportunity for a family day out with new friends you have made at church and without having to drive or get the train! We have had great days in Southend before so have chosen it as our destination again this year. Only putting on one coach due to short notice and responding to your requests for that day to go back in our social diary ~

Book with Lorraine or Joyce today!
Adults £22 ~ children £18 (up to year 6) ~
Babes £10 (check car seat requirements)

Can you contribute to the planning for Mission Action here at Immanuel ?

Over the past few weeks you have participated in discussions within our Sunday worship as we have explored
Why we come to church?
What we get from coming to worship?
How what we receive effects how we live by our faith?
and
What we might do live our faith in the wider Community?

Our deliberations will now go towards forming the final versions of our three Mission Action Plan areas and you are invited to join one of the three groups completing this task. (See the flip chart page at back of church listing the people in the groups and chose which to join!).

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