

This week at Christ Church

22nd

6.30pm Evening Service at Christ church

Wednesday

7.30pm Prayer and Praise at the Vicarage

Thursday

9.45am Holy Communion followed by lunch club
outing to Bistro 55

Saturday 28th Church groups travel to New Wine
and Keswick Conventions

Sunday 29th July

9.30 Holy Communion

11.00 Morning service

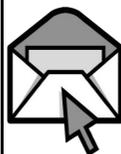
Some dates to put in your diary:

Next worship forum 13th September

Next PCC 20th September

Harvest Sunday 30th September

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Message from Sharon

"I want to thank everyone who is supporting Bernard. This time is difficult for the both of us but we do appreciate all the love and support from the church. We pray

to God and ask him to give Bernard leave to remain and to keep us all together. It's lovely to know people are there xxx"

Bernard has been in detention in Manchester nearly two weeks. It is hoped that the judicial review planned for August 9th takes place successfully before there is another attempt to deport him.

Please pass this newsletter on when you have read it

We END our Africa appeal last week. There are TEAR FUND donation envelopes at the back (Niger) and also an open basket if you would like to donate to Southern Sudan and the desperate needs there.

AFTER EIGHT BBQ ON TUESDAY AT NOTTINGHAM REC. EVERYONE WELCOME TO ATTEND. 7P.M. PLEASE BRING A CONTRIBUTION



Over the holiday period we will be following themes relating to the Olympics. We are really excited that a couple of the church groups will be taking services. 29th July– Carrying the torch of the Gospel, 5th August Getting into

training for godliness 12th August Keeping going to the end 19th August Team building 26th August Passing on the baton. The services are all-age so please expect some different seating and some fresh ideas to encourage us to worship and learn together.

Reading the Bible regularly

should be like our daily food

One helpful guide is Word for Today.. again these are sponsored so that we can give them freely to those who may not have enough to pay for daily notes so please take them to try yourself and a regular user, sponsor others to receive them. If you want other sources of Bible notes please ask. (CLC have a good selection to browse through and the summer holidays may be a good time to try this if it is a new discipline for you.

A very warm welcome to our baptism families this morning:

Robert and Jenni Wilson and 1 year old Jessica

And James and Michelle Wilson with 10 month old Heidi

Laura

A warm welcome also to Anthony Stevens who has just begun as the new youth worker at Christ church. Anthony will be spending the quieter weeks over the summer holidays settling in and getting to know the area.

A large group of us enjoyed a beautiful day out along Burbage Brook and up on to Higger Tor yesterday. We parked up at Fox House, paddled through some boggy bits, and then walked along to Ringinglow Road. A superb Karen/Indonesian cuisine was served alfresco. We then turned south and climbed up onto Higger Tor and then Carl Wark. It was a great time of fellowship and laughter helped by the warm sunshine and superb views. The next walk will be in September.

This will be the last full news sheet before the Summer holidays. I intend to produce a single sheet every couple of weeks with service times and any urgent information. The service this evening at Christ Church, Prayer and Praise on Wednesday will be the last before the break. Let's hope we see the sun!

This is an advance notice that we will be running an **ALPHA** course on Wednesday evenings starting 19th September. This will run alongside Prayer and Praise in the Vicarage. A number of people have already indicated that they would be interested in this ten week course which is one of the best introductions/refresher course on Christianity.