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Sunday 22nd November 2020

2020 Church Text

"I lift up my eyes to the mountains –
where does my help come from?
My help comes from the Lord, the
Maker of heaven and earth"
Psalm 121 v 1 & 2

Dronfield Baptist Church
YouTube Channel



A pre-recorded
service is available
on the Dronfield
Baptist Church
YouTube channel.

**Due to the Lockdown, there will be
no Services held in Church for the
rest of this month. The next
possible service in Church could be
Sunday December 6th.**

**Services for November will
be available on You Tube**

Sunday 22nd November 2020

10.30am Rev Andy Gore

'Living the *life* of the Spirit

Filled with Faithfulness'

Romans 8: 18 - 25

Sunday 29th November 2020

10.30am Rev Andy Gore

'Living the *life* of the Spirit

Filled with Goodness'

Romans 8: 26 – 30

Advent Sunday

Gospel for the week

Monday 23rd November:

Matthew 9: 18 – 34

Tuesday 24th November:

Matthew 9: 35 – 10: 15

Wednesday 25th November:

Matthew 10: 16 – 33

Thursday 26th November:

Matthew 10: 34 – 11: 1

Friday 27th November:

Matthew 11: 2 – 19

Saturday 28th November:

Matthew 11: 20 – 30

"Eat this book"

"What do you think of the
Gospel reading for today?"

Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday to **Brenda Jones** who celebrates her birthday on Wednesday November 25th. Brenda contributes to the BMS Birthday Scheme. This helps people such as those living in Kafka e Remes in Albania particularly the children. BMS Wolrd Mission change lives by providing the means for them to attend school.

If you are interested in joining this Scheme please contact Wendy Temple
Tel: 07769686853.

Email: wendy@temple03.info



Website/Facebook links



Links to activities and material for the all our children's groups continue to be available through our website and Facebook page.

www.dronfieldbaptist.co.uk

[@dronfieldbaptist](https://www.facebook.com/dronfieldbaptist)

**The notices for November will be typed by David Lax:
david-lax@hotmail.com
Please forward by Wednesday**

The Pastoral Team:

The pastoral team are here for you and are happy to help. Please make sure that we are aware of your needs. Please tell us, we don't mind if more than one person tells us, tell us.

Pastoral Telephone Numbers:

Gill Smith	Tel: 413470
Sharon Taylor	Tel: 463512
Anne Armstrong	Tel: 411519
Richard Armstrong	Tel: 411519
Jill Lang	Tel: 768299
Yvonne Norbron	Tel: 290521
Arlene Thompson	Tel: 498526
Wendy Temple	Tel: 414267



Our website is regularly updated with details about services and online activities.

www.dronfieldbaptist.co.uk

I am pleased to let you know that our DBC website has been successfully migrated to its new host. You need to be aware however that you will have to renew any bookmarks or favourites which you might have saved on your computers, tablets, smartphones etc. You simply need to do a fresh search for DBC then follow link and once on the site bookmark it again. Please let me know if you encounter any problems.
Ed Tomlinson

Angel Tree

The guys at the prisons have suddenly woken to the fact Christmas is a few weeks away, so I have received a bumper load of names. If anyone would like to be part of Angel Tree and has not said so already, please get in touch. If you think you've asked for names and not heard from me it would be an idea to contact me as I can't be sure my records are correct in light of recent events. I am particularly looking for those who'd be happy buying for teenagers. I am always overwhelmed with your generosity.

Linda Brennan

Prayer Chain Contacts:

If you have a request which you would like us to pray for, please contact any of the following so that the message can be passed on and prayer chain members.

Alison Bygrave Tel: 419454
alisonbygrave@hotmail.com
Gill Smith Tel: 413470
smith4rom@talktalk.net

Sunday November 22nd

Welcome to Sunday morning worship. 'I never knew that about why we have Christmas Trees' has been a familiar comment I've heard this last week, but I am sure that more of you will know about this story I'm going to tell this week. Last year approximately 900 million Christmas cards were sent last year in the UK by post and one of the familiar characters on them are robins. The question therefore is, why is the robin part of our Christmas card traditions – you can find out on Sunday. I don't know who writes the cards in your family or how many you send but they are an important way we connect with and remind people of how much they mean to us. I know it is easy for the sending of cards can be just because we always do, but the heart behind them is because we want those who receive our cards to be blessed by the one the season celebrates. As you write your cards, think of it as an act of prayer for all those names you write, that they may all know the peace of Jesus this year. Please follow the order of service below in this week's notice sheet that has been either emailed to you or mailed through your door.

Sunday Morning Worship 22nd November 'Living the life of the Spirit filled with Faithfulness'

**Welcome – ritual of Christmas Cards
And Robins**

MP 200 'Great is thy faithfulness'

Prayers of Thanksgiving

MP 1151 'Amazing Grace'

Song 'I am not alone / Our God reigns'

**Reading Romans 8 : 12 – 25
(Marilyn Fenn)**

Sermon

Prayers of Intercession

MP 1259 '10,000 Reasons'

Blessing: 'To him who is able to keep you from falling, to Christ our King and Saviour, be praise and glory, majesty and power, forever and ever.'

CALLING ALL CRISP LOVERS

Did you know it takes 80 years for a crisp packet to decompose?



Did you know that 150 of them can be ironed together and turned into a survival blanket for a homeless person and will help to keep their sleeping bag dry and insulated?

The iron man company are collecting crisp packets and will be making these blankets.

If you can collect them between now and Christmas, they would be happy to take them off your hands! (Preferably washed first in warm soapy water)

Batches of ten or more can be put through the church letterbox. Marilyn Fenn will collect from church and send them off.

Let's try get as many in by the 3rd of December.



LIFE DRONFIELD is a community charity based in Dronfield
(www.lifedronfield.org)

This year Life would like to put together care packages to support those in our community who will be isolated over the Christmas period. This year more than ever we want those that are alone to know that someone is thinking of them and cares for them. We are therefore asking for donations to enable us to deliver as many boxes as possible. We need items such as tea, coffee, jams, biscuits, chocolates, jigsaws, puzzle books, cosy socks and toiletries. We would really appreciate any donation that you are able to make. **Items can be dropped off at DBC on a Friday morning between 10.00 and 1.00, or at McColl's in Greendale Centre any time they are open.** If you would like any further information on this project please feel free to contact me at beckytaylor@lifedronfield.org Becky Taylor

Monday Prayers and Sunday Coffee

A big thank you to all who joined in the coffee and prayers this week. I was asked if the direct link can be sent out and I have sent them both to Heather. I have changed the Zoom ID and passcode for Monday prayers as we ran out of time and so I was left blessing everyone by myself!! For Monday prayers t I will be using the church Zoom account which will leave us time to say goodbye properly. The Sunday Zoom ID has been changed to a recurring meeting.

We as a church limited ourselves to morning worship on a Sunday using YouTube, a limited time of monthly worship on a Sunday afternoon using Zoom, of some home groups meeting Zoom and the ukulele group doing too. In some sense we missed out on some opportunities to meet and so we have started Monday prayers, and coffee after worship using zoom.



Monday Prayers

Monday November 23rd

From 7-15pm to 8pm

The Zoom meeting ID for Monday prayers is: **894 7320 1448** and the code is **027609** Andy will be hosting and leading this and others will be asked to lead on different weeks.

After Worship Coffee

Sunday November 22nd

From 11-30am to 12-10pm

The zoom meeting ID for After service Coffee is: **965 4654 9262** and the code is **2WzG0v**

Coffee Pot

Coffee Pot is to be confirmed as to date and times

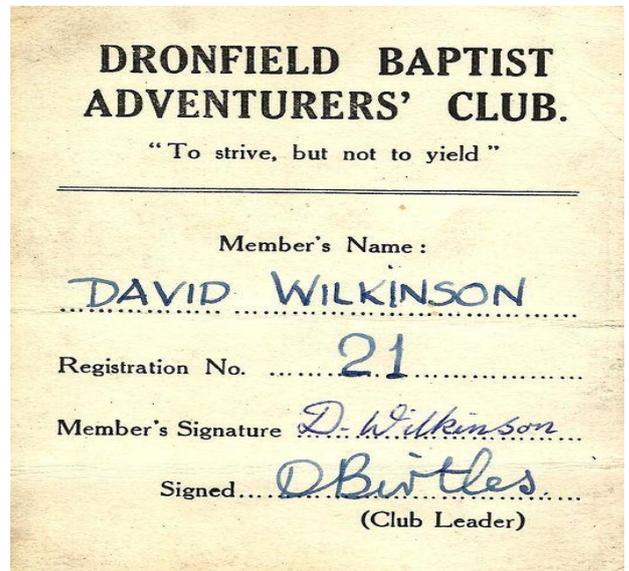
I look forward to seeing you on screen soon



Our Christingle for 2020 will be an interactive extravaganza with songs, crafts and loads of fun. So, this year it will be delivered through YouTube and you will need to provide your own party tea and an orange.

The YouTube video will be going live on our YouTube channel on Saturday 28th November at 8am. We originally had some craft packs to distribute as well but we are sorry that there are no more left now. We know it won't be quite the same, but we intend to have a lot of fun making the Christingles and getting fully into the festive spirit

Memory Lane



A reminder of DBC history! This image was posted on the Dronfield History facebook page.

Does it trigger memories for anyone? Please let us know.

Heather