

# Holy Trinity News

for the 28th February 2010

A warm welcome to our services today



Today's Bible readings;  
Ezekiel 36: 22-28 (p822) & John 3:1-21 (p1006)

## Celebrating 100 years of the Trinity church building

### Passion for Life, February - April 2010

\* **Colin Buchanan concert**, Colin is a Christian singer/entertainer, who is very popular with children in the 3yr - 9yr age range. A Colin concert is one for families and their friends. Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> March 2010, 3pm. At The Octagon, Edgbaston High School For Girls, Westbourne Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham B15 3TS. Tickets £3.50 per person (Family bundle: £15.00 for 2 adults and 3 children).

\* **Pub Games & True Stories—an evening for men**, Friday 12th March, 8pm. At The Black Horse pub, Upper Bond Street (*function room at the back*).

**For more information and sign up sheets please see the Passion for Life table.**

## Centenary Celebration Day

Saturday 6th March, 2pm - 5pm

- ⇒ an open afternoon in the church with displays of past & present life at Trinity
- ⇒ a chance to meet and chat to folk with fascinating memories & tales to tell
- ⇒ free cream tea!
- ⇒ come along and bring your own memories & memorabilia!

### CMS Trip

**Tickets are now to be booked, please confirm whether you are going by today.**

The CMS church group are arranging a trip on Saturday 22nd May to the CMS in Oxford for Pentecost; to celebrate, recommit, & dedicate. The main speaker will be the Archbishop of York, the most Rev. Dr. John Sentamu. Tickets cost £5, and we will need to book early. If enough people want to go, we will arrange a coach. Please speak to Joy Craythorne, Sheila Ashley or Barbara Virgo.

### Women's World Day of Prayer

At the Methodist Church, Hinckley

Friday 5th March

Services at 1.30pm & 7.30pm

A reminder about the away-day  
on...Saturday 5 June.

A leaflet & booking form will be available in  
March.



## ONLINE ARTICLES

**"But hasn't the Bible been changed over the years? How can you trust it?"**

People often ask Christians that, so we've got to get ourselves well-informed with the historical facts about the Bible's amazing reliability. See this 30-minute film: [www.thejesusaccounts.tv/wp/](http://www.thejesusaccounts.tv/wp/).

### Two talks on bringing up children

Raising Boys to be Godly Men in a Confused and Conflicted Culture, by Ian Fry  
Raising Girls to be Godly Women in a Confused and Conflicted Culture, by Nina Fry  
<http://www.childrensiringgod.org/resources/youth.php>

A small down-side: the communication isn't as snappy as it could be. A major up-side: superb material, well researched and thought through, by two real experts in the field. *Thanks to Lauri Oglesby for tracking these down.*

### Getting Sorted on basic Christian beliefs

There is a superb collection of talks to listen to and things to read on fundamental Christian beliefs here: <http://www.theologynetwork.org/christian-beliefs/>

Why is the Trinity important? What does the Holy Spirit do? All this, and a lot more.

### Great answer to every-day questions...

Here <http://www.apassionforlife.org.uk/resources/videos/faqs> you'll find 3-minute videos giving answers to the questions people ask you about Christian faith: Why does God allow suffering? Isn't the Bible just made up stories? etc. Watch and learn for yourself what the good answers to these questions are, so you're not fumbling for something to say the next time someone asks you. You could pass the link on to a friend who has ever asked you one of these questions. *(And check out the rest of the Passion for Life website - testimonies, resources and other good things.)*

### PRAYER DIARY

Please pray for Sammi Batchellor as she prepares for her full emersion baptism on Sunday 7th March at Waterfront Church in Plymouth, 2 Cor 5v17-20, and for her in the months to come as she continues to witness to other students about Jesus. Continue to pray for all those who are unwell, receiving treatment or finding it difficult getting out & about. If you would like someone to pray for you, please go up to the front rows of church after the 11am service.

### TODAY—Chalet Holiday Funds

Refreshments will be sold in aid of the Mothers' Union Chalet Holidays when two gardens in Burbage, open their gardens (NGS) for snowdrops & Hellebores on Sunday 28th February, 11am—5pm. Entrance to both gardens is £3. Garden Details;

1. Don & Mary Baker, 7 Hall Road, Burbage (635616).
2. Mr & Mrs Dawkins, 6 Denis Road, Burbage.

The gardens are signposted 'National Garden Society'.

### COMMUNITY

**St Francis Community Centre** requires a Sessional Youth Worker to work at a successful youth club. 3 1/2 Hours per week, Friday nights. Closing date: 19<sup>th</sup> March 2010. For more information please contact Jane Neale at St Francis Community Centre, Tudor Road, Hinckley, 01455 617185 [koolklub@btconnect.com](mailto:koolklub@btconnect.com)

### Weekly Events

Tues 10.00am-12noon Pop-In — Welcome Area

Thurs 9.45 –11.15am Trinity Toddlers (term time) - Welcome Area.

Fri 7.30 pm Choir—rehearsals in the church building.

There are also Home groups meeting regularly throughout the week, for more details speak to Tim.

### Mother's Union—in the Welcome Area

Tuesday 2nd March, 7.30pm—Keith Griffiths speaks about, 'Work Link'.

Tuesday 16th March, 2pm—Richard Cotton with, 'Animal, vegetable & mineral'.

### Mixers—7.45pm at St Johns Church

Monday 22nd March —Matthew Hulbert with his work in journalism.

### Who to contact

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