

Welcome to Coney Hill Baptist Church

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Sunday 12th October 2025 Paul's Portraits of Jesus...

Chosen to be Blessed: - Ephesians 1:3-12

All praise to God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly realms because we are united with Christ. Verse 3



Church Mission Statement:

"Demonstrating the Love of God together.

Making God known through practical service,
relevant witness and the growing of
Committed Followers of Jesus"

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(Please send items to Sue by WEDNESDAY Thank you).

Thank you David & Eileen for making the 'TEA & COFFEE' for us all this morning, it is very much appreciated.

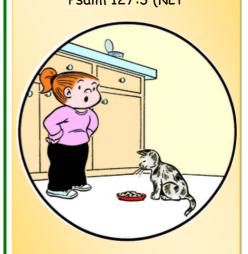
Oct 19th - Henry & Henrietta
Oct 26th - Annette & Ruth
Nov 2nd - Sarah & Chris
Nov 9th - David & Eileen
Nov 16th - Bob & Christine
Nov 23rd - Henry & Henrietta



The Blessing Family!

Children are a gift from the Lord; They are a reward from him.

Psalm 127:3 (NLT



"She hasn't started her dinner yet. She's still sayin' grace."

Autumn Sunday Programme: Paul's Portraits of Jesus...

19th October – A Humble Servant:

Philippians 2:1-11 (communion)

26th October – **Peter Swaffield**

2nd November – **Spitting Image:** Colossians 1.15-20

9th November –

A Seedbed for Flourishing:

Colossians 2:6-15

16th November – **Phil Dyer - (communion)**

23rd November –
The Giver of Life:
1 Thessalonians 4:13- 5:11



New Monthly Autumn
Mid-Week Programme:
For October . . .

Weds 1st - Coffee and Craft

Mon 6th - Men's/Women's

Breakfast

Tues 7th - Tuesday House Group

Weds 8th - Messy Church

Weds 8th - Wednesday House

Group

Mon 13th - Book Club

Weds 15th - Community Lunch

Sat 18th - Games Evening

Sun 19th - 'Listening'

Worship & Prayer

Weds 22nd - Wednesday
House Group

Tues 28th - **Tuesday House Group**



Bring and Share Harvest Lunch.

How we as a church know how to bring and share and enjoy our food! Thank you so much for all that everyone contributed to that occasion including a faithful band of volunteers. We seemed to have masses of food due to everyone's idea of 6-8 being 10-12 and very large and delicious jacket potatoes, but we managed to eat most of it. There certainly was not very much left over. Whilst we had fun we pray that the wonderful harvest gifts reaching out to those who need our help in our community will bring joy, in Jesus's name, to those who need our help.



Just as importantly
we had time
together to chat
and be God's family
in community.
It was one of
the ways we can
celebrate and
strengthen the
church community
and acknowledge
what God is doing
amongst us.

Harvest is an opportunity...







... to remember those who need our help but it is also an opportunity for those of us who enjoy arranging flowers to be creative.



Stay & Play!

Crafts/Games/
Toddler toys/
Refreshments etc.

Monday 27th October

9.30am — 11.30am

Ages 0 - school year 6:

Children must be accompanied by an Adult

FREE EVENT!

(donations are welcome cash or card machine)
'In order to keep everyone safe we have
introduced cups with lids for all hot drinks.

If you'd like to bring your own along to be filled that would be great!'



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SAVE THE CHARTWELL

UNIT - Keep Inpatient Cancer
Care at the PRUH

King's College Hospital has set out early proposals that threaten to close the



Chartwell Inpatient Unit at the PRUH and move haematology cancer inpatients to Denmark Hill.

Please sign and share. https://chng.it/qVRNTYvDJs

Every signature helps keep care safe, specialist and close to home.

Read more: The Chartwell Trust's formal opposition case to the NHS and Council at https://chartwellcancertrust.co.uk/important-update
-on-the-chartwell-opposition/

Leaflets for the **SHOEBOX APPEAL** are on the table at the back of the church, it will explain in easy steps what to do

Or go to www.linktohope.co.uk

Or speak to Annette Wilson

Christmas Wreath and Garland making.

Save the date.

This will be on Thursday 4th December.

There will be more details to follow.

Christine



HAYES VILLAGE ART GROUP – VIRTUAL EXHIBITION OCTOBER 2025 PART OF THE MINISTRY OF CONEY HILL BAPTIST CHURCH.

Ian has been talking to us about Paul's portraits of Jesus so it seems appropriate to think about paintings. Do you enjoy visiting Art Exhibitions or wish you had the time to do so? You may not have the time or energy or enthusiasm to travel up to London to see one so we are bringing one to you - Coney Hill's own unique virtual exhibition. (Helped by our expert friend in IT Steve White) We may not be quite up to the standard of the National Gallery but we are very enthusiastic, try hard and really enjoy our Tuesday afternoons at Hayes Village Hall.

If you enjoyed our last VIRTUAL ART EXHIBITION at the beginning of 2024 we are sure that you won't want to miss this year's one. If you didn't see it, then now is the chance to see something similar to what you missed. All you have to do is press the following link or find it on our church website. If you can't go on line then ask a kind friend to show it to you on their device so that you won't feel left out.

https://coneyhillbaptist.org.uk/art-exhibitions-2025/

(If you click on an individual picture you will see a larger version.)

We have been delighted that four new members have joined us recently bringing our numbers up to 13. We are very grateful that our teacher Ken Murray, continues to help us every three weeks. We were delighted that Ian was able to visit us recently and we would be very welcoming if you would like to 'pop in' to see us at work on a Tuesday afternoon. (Village Hall annex – left hand side of hall)

So please have a look and encourage your family and friends to see it too. The great advantage of this exhibition is that it can be seen anywhere in the world.

Diana Knights (Leader)









SAFEGUARDING:

We want everybody with whom we come into contact with, as a church, to feel welcomed, safe and secure at all

times. Our safeguarding strategy is designed to ensure this, if you have any questions on it, or, especially if you wish to register or report any concerns, please speak to the **Minister** or one of our Safeguarding advocates, they are:

Alison Newell - 020 8249 2129 / 07913 923779 (alison.newalls@ntlworld.com)

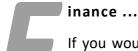
Chris Cordingley - 07446 829345 (cordingley@btinternet.com)

RECORDING & PHOTOGRAPHY ...

Our services are live streamed via **Facebook**. Generally we do not show the faces of members of the congregation, if you wish to ensure that you do not appear in any way you may wish to sit in the back few rows.

Taking photographs in our building should be kept to a minimum and never shared on social media without the consent of all who might appear on them.





If you would like to make a donation to the work of the church, as a gift or worship offering, there is a donation box on the wall by the doors on the way out.

Our church is entirely self-financed, therefore we are very grateful for all donations received. If you'd like to financially support God's work at CHBC, either as a one-off gift or on a regular basis, you can

at: 'Coney Hill Baptist Church'

Account Number: 40247227 — Sort Code: 40-46-20.

We give 10% of our non-restricted gifted income to mission organisations that we support. If you would like more details on this aspect of our work, please contact our treasurer.



Thank you.

Hayes Community Food Bank

basket has been placed at the back of the church for your food donations to the Hayes Community Food Bank. Every item placed in there really does make a difference!

Alternatively, financial donations can be made via our treasurer (cash or cheques made to 'Hayes Community Foodbank'), or the Foodbank's bank details can be provided. In addition to food donations, each week volunteers go shopping to make sure that supported families receive what they need.

Thank you.

Hayes

Community Foodbank

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

Monday to Friday (term time only) Jigsaw Preschool
Monday to Friday - 9.15 to 12.15pm - (5 morning sessions)
Wed, Thurs, and Friday - 12.15 to 3.13pm - (3 afternoon sessions)

MONDAY

Men's Breakfast - 1st Monday every month - 9.00am
Women's Breakfast - 1st Monday every month - 9.00am
House-group - 10:30am at the Church
Youth Group - (11-16) - 7.30 to 9.00pm.
Book Club - 2nd Monday every month 7.30pm

TUESDAY

Stay & Play Cafe - 9.00am - 12.30pm
Under 5's Lunch Club - 12.15pm
Painting group at Hayes Village Hall - 1.15 to 4pm
Women's Fellowship 2.00pm to 4.00pm
House-group - 8.00 to 10.00pm

WEDNESDAY

Coffee and Craft 1st Wednesday every month - 10.30 to noon Community Lunch - 3rd Wednesday every month - 12.30PM Messy church at Hayes Village Hall - 2nd Wednesday every month 3.15 - 4.45pm - Churches Together in Hayes ministry. West Wickham (special needs) Cubs & Scout Group - 6.30 to 8.30pm

House-group - 8.00 to 10.00pm

THURSDAY

Slimming World - 5.30pm & 7.00pm

FRIDAY

Prayer Meeting - 9.30 to 10.30am - in person @ Church 'Pitstop' Table Tennis - 7.30 to 9.30pm

SATURDAY

Pilates 10.00 to 11.00am

Games Evening (3rd Saturday of every month) - 7 to 9pm