

**Sunday morning**

**Bible reading**

Exodus 20:13 "You shall not murder."

*For your notes...*

Notes for further study can be found on the church website ([www.testwoodbaptist.org](http://www.testwoodbaptist.org)) under "Downloads".

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**9th July '17**

**Welcome to Testwood Baptist Church**  
We want to reach people for Jesus,  
and help His followers grow to be like Him.

Welcome to church today! May God bless you as you come here to meet with Him today. Please ask at the Welcome Desk, or check the church website, for any information you may require. There are groups for children up to Year 9. Please ask if you are not sure which group your child is in. Tea & coffee will be served after the service. There will also be an opportunity to ask for prayer at the end of the service.

**This morning** - Brian Coward will be speaking in the 9:30am & 11:15am services on "Let there be life" in our series called "Building Strong Communities" on the 10 commandments. In the 11:15am service Vicky & Neil Chapman will be dedicating their daughter Shania Rose.

**This evening** - We look forward to an Ignite event - led by our Life Groups for 14s-18s. Do come along to hear more detail about the group who'll be leaving for South Korea on July 15<sup>th</sup> so that you can pray for them specifically, and to say "farewell" to Won Young. This will be his last Sunday with us. We've so appreciated the hard work he's put into his intern year here.

**Next Sunday morning, July 16<sup>th</sup>** - Matt Huckle will be speaking in the morning on "Be honest". We will be taking communion in the 9:30am service and welcoming some people into church membership. In the 11:15am service Mike & Kezi Hones will be dedicating their son Elmer.

**Next Sunday evening, July 16<sup>th</sup>** - At 7pm we meet for worship and Bible teaching. Colin Clarke will be continuing our series going through 2 Timothy.

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**Prayer requests** – Gordon & Janice would appreciate your prayers as they have the final session this morning of a teaching / camping weekend for Victoria Baptist Church, Eastbourne. Dave and Becky Waterman are leading the service at North Baddesley Baptist Church this morning.

**Sunday, July 23<sup>rd</sup>** – Gordon Tuck will be speaking in the morning, and Chris Davis in the evening.

**Welcome Evening** – Each term we host an evening for people who have recently started coming along to Testwood. If this is you, please do help yourself to an invitation from the Welcome Desk. The Welcome Evening is this Friday, July 14th from 7:30pm.

**Baptism** – We love having baptisms here – they're opportunities for people who've dedicated their lives to following Jesus to do what He's asked us to do and get baptised to let others know about our commitment to Him. We have a baptism planned for Sunday, August 27th in the 10:30am service. Please talk to one of the pastoral staff if you'd like to know more.

**Summer Sundays** – Please note that on the 5 Sundays from July 30th to August 27th we'll be having one Sunday morning service at 10:30am (instead of the 2), and that there will be no Sunday evening services on those Sundays. The "River" will be postponed for a re-launch on the 10th September.

**Church Members Meeting** – the next meeting for church members will be held on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July at 7.30pm in the auditorium. Jon Frowd is willing to stand again as a deacon, and there will be an opportunity to show your support. If you are a church member, please make every effort to be there.

**Interns** - "Thank you" to our three interns this year, Lizi, Won Young, and David. We have so appreciated allb they have contributed to church life and mission.

**Church Camp** - We had just over 100 people attend the church camp last weekend. The weekend was a great chance to relax, enjoy a good water fight, share a BBQ and worship together in a family friendly environment.

Many thanks to those that helped in any way particularly the cleaning and tidying at the end of the camp. Please put 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2018 in your calendars for next year's camp! Belinda & Phil

### **YFM Summer Playscheme**

Spaces are filling up fast so don't forget to book. This popular week of activities, craft, games and entertainment is taking place from Monday 7<sup>th</sup> – Friday 11<sup>th</sup> August. Aimed at children aged 5-11 at a cost of £10 a day it provides lots of fun in a safe and supportive environment. For more information or to request a registration form email [alli@youthandfamiliesmatter.org.uk](mailto:alli@youthandfamiliesmatter.org.uk)

**Any queries?** - If you require any assistance please ask at the Welcome Desk. The duty deacons are on hand to help, in the Hub or Reception.

**Pastoral Support** - If anyone has any pastoral needs then please speak to your Small Group leader in the first instance or telephone 023 8086 0320 or 07555 984530 to speak to one of the Pastoral Team.

**Items for Newsletter and Welcome PowerPoint** - Can be emailed to [notices@testwoodbaptist.org](mailto:notices@testwoodbaptist.org) or [katrina@testwoodbaptist.org](mailto:katrina@testwoodbaptist.org) by midday on Thursday. Please put the word 'newsletter' in the subject line.

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