

8 September 2019



“The Son is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation.”

(Colossians 1:15, NIV)

Welcome all who have come to Abbey today. We hope you enjoy and find the service helpful - please let us know if we can help in any way.

Morning Service

10:30- noon

Series: Colossians

Subject: “The Supremacy of Christ”
(Colossians 1:15-23)

Speaker: Chris Wintle

Tea and coffee will be served after the service.

For the CHILDREN

Up to 3 years Creche
Age 3 - School Year 6 FROG Squad
School Years 7-11 Faith

If you would like someone to pray with you after the service, then members of the Prayer Team are available (wearing blue lanyards)

Visitors from Armonía

We look forward to hearing from Saul Cruz (Jr) and Pilar Cruz next Sunday as they come to share with us up to date encouragements and needs of the work of Armonía, Mexico. Please pray for them as they travel to visit us and other supporters in the UK.

If you would like to find out more about the background to this amazing work, then there is information on the World Vision Table and at <http://www.armoniamx.org/>

Ladies’ Lunch, Saturday 21st September, Prinknash

Norah Bradford will be the speaker. Please use the sign-up sheet on the table for menu choices, and see Liz Davies for more details.

This coming week...

Wed	10.30am	Prayer for Abbey Church	Member’s home
Weds	10.15am	Coffee & Chat: Speaker— David Bradford	Hillview
Thur	10am	Abbey Tots	Christchurch
Fri	6.15pm	Friday Fun Football	Heron

Next Sunday...

Morning Service (10:30-12 noon)

Series: Colossians

Subject: “Labouring for Christ (Colossians 1:24—2:5)

Speaker: Graham Dancy

Worship & Communion

(6pm) Barnwood Reading Room

All welcome to this open time which will be introduced by Peter Godfrey.

What’s coming up...

Day	Time	Activity	Venue
21 Sept	12.30 pm	Ladies’ Lunch	Prinknash
22 Sept	6pm	Going Deeper: “Steadfast”	Barnwood Reading Room
29 Sept	6pm	WVT Prayer Café	Barnwood Reading Room
2 Oct	7.30pm	Life Matters: Gender	Hillview
27 Oct	6pm	Going Deeper: Tim Chilvers speaking	Barnwood Reading Room

Special notices contd.

Going Deeper, Sun 22nd September at 6pm

Ben Bradford will be speaking on “Steadfast: How the Church can respond to issues surrounding gender and sexuality”.

Abbey Church Charitable Incorporated Organisation

The trustees (Mark Bashford, Andrew Conlan, Phil Ricketts and Chris Wintle) are approaching others to join them so please continue to pray for wisdom in this matter. **New bank accounts are being opened, and details for standing orders to start in October should be available soon.**

Third Age/ Neighbourhood Team

Please pray for Tricia Murphy and team, that God would give them wisdom about how to reach out to some of the many lonely older people in our community and also about the Daytime Home Group’s continuing involvement with Manor House Gardens residents.



Special notices contd.

Things to pray for this week ...

Sun Please see printed copy of bulletin

Mon •

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If you have any specific prayer requests for the church to be praying for, or any updates/answers to prayer please email them to prayer@abbeychurch.net

Or put a note for the Prayer Team in the Prayer Box on the Information Table



Bookings have been open for a while now so don't miss out!

Prices: £20 Adults
£15 Unemployed/Retired/Students
£5 Children

More details on Churchsuite
or at cotswoldbiblefestival.com.

Meeting needs...

The Elders are always pleased to help with any practical or spiritual issue. Please contact Andrew Conlan if you would like to see an Elder. Darren Chandler is currently on sabbatical so please do not contact him on Elder matters.



If you have any items for inclusion in next week's bulletin, please let Abby Brook know by email or phone by noon Thursday - thank you.

Abbey Church CIO information ...

Place of Worship

Heron School, Heron Way, Abbeydale
Gloucester. GL4 4BN

Tel: 07788 110602

Web: abbeychurch.net

Church Office

15 The Chase
Abbeydale
Gloucester, GL4 4WP

Charity Information

Charity No : 1184604
Registered Office : 15 The Chase,
Abbeydale, Gloucester, GL4 4WP

Banking arrangements

Cheques for Abbey Church to be made out to: 'Hillview EC - Abbey 1'

The Elders of Abbey Church are:

Mark Bashford
Darren Chandler
Andrew Conlan
Graham Dancy
Chris Wintle

Any elders can be emailed directly by using their first name before '@abbeychurch.net' e.g. andrew@abbeychurch.net