



Altrincham

BAPTIST CHURCH

Welcome to ABC

Sundays at ABC are the times when we gather together as a whole church, in the presence of God. We pray, sing and read scripture in order that we might follow Jesus. As we do these things we open ourselves to the power and influence of God's Spirit, as he forgives, restores, heals and guides us. In this way, we find purpose and meaning, hope and grace for all that life holds.

New to ABC - If you are visiting ABC for the first time and wish to find out more about us, please fill in one of our 'Welcome Leaflets' (available in the stand in the atrium and landing foyers) or a 'Welcome Card' in the back of the chairs. Please hand it in to one of the stewards.

Can we pray with you? - After each service, there are members of our church who will be happy to pray with you about anything that may be on your heart. Anyone is welcome to come and receive prayer. The team will be in the front left hand corner.

Sunday 4th November 2018

It was a year ago when the New York Post first published accusations about sexual assaults by Harvey Weinstein. Over time this turned into a movement #metoo. This past week employees of Google across the globe have walked out at 11am local time in protest about the \$90million payoff of a former executive, Andy Rubin for a 'credible accusation' of sexual misconduct.

The abuse of women by men in positions of power has a long, and ancient history, as we shall see today in arguably the lowest point of David's life and rule. Let us be thankful for Nathan's response and for a God who loves us too much to let us get away with things. This passage presents a sobering message for every man in ABC

10am "Get out of the bath, Sheba!!"

2 Samuel 11-12

6.30pm "The Essence of Being the Church"

Quote for the week:

"An artist is someone who uses bravery, insight, creativity and boldness to challenge the status quo. And an artist takes it personally"

Seth Godin

What's on

Tuesdays 6th, 13th & 20th November 7.30-9.30pm CAP Money Course -

This free money management course will be running on 3 Tuesday evenings in November at The Hub Community Centre. It will give you the tools, skills and confidence to manage your money well and enjoyably live within a budget. Please contact Mark Dyble to register your interest.



Thursday 8th November Hub 10th anniversary drinks

reception - can you help? We are hosting a drinks reception on Thursday 8th November between 4-6pm at the Hub for local councillors and key stakeholders who we have worked with at the Hub and want to engage more in the future development of the Hub. We would really appreciate some help in the following ways:

- Hub tidy up help on Monday 5th 10am - 3pm
- serving drinks and canapés at the reception
- kitchen help during the event
- clear up team from 8pm

If you think you can help please contact Anna, Lindsay or Sarah Hayes in the Hub, info@ourhub.org, sarahhayes@altrinchambaptist.org or 0161 941 2018.



Thursday 15th November 12.15pm Women Welcome

This month's Women Welcome meeting will take place on Thursday 15th November in The Hub. If there are any women wishing to join us, we meet for intercessory prayer at 12.15pm then we have lunch in the café at 1.00 pm.



Thursday 15th November 8pm Church Meeting @Hale Road

Minutes from September's Church meeting have been emailed out to members who we have email addresses for. Paper copies are available in the leaflet rack in the foyer if you wish to collect one.

Dates for your Diary

Saturday 24th November 9.15am-1pm Christian Vision for Men Au-

tumn Tour - Please note new venue: Christ Church Pennington, Schofield Street, Leigh, WN7 4HT. We're getting men together to worship God, have a laugh together and be inspired from the Bible. Cost: £10 (including food and drinks- bacon rolls, pastries and hot drinks on arrival). A group of men from ABC are planning to go, please contact Mark Dyble .



Tuesday 20th November 8-10pm Christmas Craft Evening

Join us for a relaxed evening creating decoupage decorations, tickets £5 from the Hub office. All materials, soft drinks & nibbles provided. Please feel free to bring your own bottle. Contact info@ourhub.org or 0161 941 2018 for more info.

Life at ABC - news & info

Christmas events being planned include :

9th December:

10am Church service

6:30pm Christmas Carol service

16th December

10am Nativity service

4.30pm Carols In The Park @ John Leigh Park

23rd December

10am Church service

24th December

4pm Christingle

11pm Midnight communion

25th December

10am Christmas Day service

30th December

10am Church service

All at Hale Road unless otherwise stated.



Rewind to Christmas - help needed!

Rewind to Christmas is a multimedia presentation of the Christmas story for Y4's from the local Primary Schools run by some of the local Churches. The dates of these presentations are 26th, 27th, and 29th November. Each session lasts for 1.5 hours consisting of games, quizzes, DVD clips and a craft. For more details and if you would like to get involved either for some or all of the time please speak to Sarah Court. Thank you. Email sarahcourt@altrinchambaptist.org.

Are you receiving this bulletin and other church info via email?

If not... Please fill in a welcome card available in the backs of chairs or from the stewards and hand it to any member of staff.

If you used to receive it but haven't recently please check your spam folder as it is now being sent from a new email address info@altrinchambaptist.org so you may need to add this email address to your safe senders list, or send Kate a message to:

info@altrinchambaptist.org so we can check we have your email address correct.

Lost Property..... The boxes are overflowing at Hale Road! We'd love to reunite some items with their owners there are Child's and adult's jumpers, a black sleeping bag & blue sleeping mat, lunch bag, 3x umbrellas, 2x Bibles, hats, gloves... amongst other items. If you have lost something please check the boxes: on the upper floor foyer near the disabled toilet or in the Byrom Street foyer or ask Kate.

Regular Activities

The following activities take place each week during term-time, mostly at The Hub unless stated.

Sunday		
	Children's Church @ Hale Rd	0-11yrs
10am	Breakfast Club meet @ Hale Rd then go to The Hub	11yrs +
3pm	Au Pairs	
6pm	What's Next @Hale Rd	11yrs +
Monday		
12.30pm	Discovery Lunch (termtime)	
Tuesday		
10am	Toddlers	0-3yrs
	English Class	adult
2pm	Watercolour Class	adult
Wednesday		
10am	Toddlers	0-3yrs
1.30pm	Healthy Hips & Hearts (weekly except 1st week of month)	seniors
2.30pm	'First Wednesday' Meeting Point (3rd Wed)	adults adults
Thursday		
10am	Toddlers	0-3yrs
12.15pm	Women Welcome for prayer & lunch (usually 2nd Thurs)	
2pm	Knit & Natter	
8pm	Church Meeting	
Friday		
10am	Baby & Toddler Café :	0-3yrs
10.00am	Journaling – fortnightly	adults
1.30pm	Healthy Hips & Hearts	seniors
6.30pm	Transformers @ Hale Rd	Rec-Yr 6
Saturday		
9.30am	Contact Centre	Referred places

WW1 Exhibition - At the site of the first local Red Cross WW1 Hospital with war stories relating to our members. Altrincham United Reformed Church at Trinity, Hale. Free Admission. Friday 9th Nov 7-9pm; Sat 10th Nov 10.30-12.30pm; Sun 11th Nov 12.30-2pm; Mon 12th Nov 12.30-2pm.

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