

Children & Youth @ 3C Community Church

Kidz Church	Every Sunday during the morning service at church (0 - 12yr olds) Lots of fun
3C Totz	Monday 10am-11.30am Contact: Dawn Salmon at church (Parents & tots up to pre-school age)
3C Toddlers	Friday 9.30am-11.30am Contact: Kyle Aldridge at church (Carers & children up to 3 years)
Supertroopers	Friday 6pm-7.30pm Contact: Christine Sawyer at church (Children up to & including school year 6 (10.11 yrs))
The Pulse	Sunday 7pm-9pm Contact: Laurence & Hazel at Woodfield Youth & Community Centre (School years 7 - 13 (age 11 - 18)) Davis

Supertroopers, 3C Totz, 3C Toddlers, & Pulse normally meet during term-time only. For further details, please contact the leaders.

Keeping children safe at 3C

If you're a parent, please make sure your children don't go out of the front door unless accompanied by an adult. It's a particularly dangerous pedestrian exit, with no pavement on the 3C side of Church Road.



To help keep children safe, this exit will now be locked at 12 o'clock following each Sunday morning service. Please leave by the door leading to the car park. (If you need the Church Road door to be unlocked for any reason, please speak to a member of the Welcome Team.)

Lent groups

Details of this year's Churches Together Lent groups are displayed on the notice board in the car park entrance lobby.

- Contributions for next week's newsletter should be sent to Paul Herbert by 5pm on Wednesday
- Back copies of the newsletter are available on request from the Welcome Team or can be downloaded from the website
- Contact Paul on 01453 842260 or familyvonherbert@googlemail.com

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Newsletter - Sunday 21st February 2010

Welcome we're glad to see you.

Welcome to 3C Community Church. We hope you enjoy being with us today and want to come again. Hot drinks are served at the end of the meeting.

Activities take place during the meeting for children aged 0 to 12 years.

There is also a varied programme of activities throughout the week for adults, young people and children.

Feeling lost? Please ask one of our Welcome Team if you need help.

To help us serve you, please spend a few moments filling in the Welcome Card. Thanks.

For further information visit : www.3Ccommunitychurch.org

Community Groups – time to choose!

If you are part of 3C and do not yet belong to a community group, now's the time to join! Community groups in many ways represent the life of the church, offering care, friendship, prayer and opportunities to reach out to friends and neighbours.

Each group is different: some like to hold Bible studies; some prefer to spend time praying or holding social events together. Some have lots of children and some have none. Most groups usually meet on weekday evenings, although some may also get together at weekends.

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If you are a visitor here today, please make sure you pick up a Welcome Pack from a member of the Welcome Team

'Come with us and we will do you good!' - Num 10 : 29



Dates for your Diary - Special Events

Feb 2010

27th	William Tyndale - 'his words : HIS WORD' <i>(see below for details)</i>	7.30pm	3C building
28th	Xplore evening <i>No morning service today</i>	6.00pm	3C building

Mar 2010

10th	Ed & Sue's Skittle Evening <i>(£6 each, includes supper)</i>	7.00pm	Fox & Hounds Coaley
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Advance Notice

July 2010

Thursday to Sunday	15th to 18th	The Big Tent Event , run by 3C, in partnership with Dursley Festival	Dursley Rec
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William Tyndale drama @ 3C next Saturday

Please think and pray about who you are going to invite to **His Word**, the professional drama about local hero William Tyndale being hosted by 3C on Saturday 27th February at 7.30pm.



Tyndale translated the Bible into English so that ordinary people could read it. He grew up near Dursley, was hounded abroad by the English authorities and was eventually burned at the stake.

The drama, **His Word**, is presented by Maranatha Productions, a non-profit ministry based in Pennsylvania, USA., and features three professional actors. The play was written and directed by Dan Neidermyer, the ministry's late executive producer. It tells the story of Tyndale's struggle in the 1500s to translate the Scriptures against the power of King Henry VIII, Cardinal Wolsey and the Pope.

Tyndale was both a great Christian martyr and a linguist of genius. When the famous Authorised Version of the Bible was published under King James 75 years after Tyndale's death, 90% of the wording was in fact his. Phrases such as 'flowing with milk and honey', 'to fall by the sword', 'the powers that be' and 'the apple of his eye' are all Tyndale's.

This will be a free event – perfect for friends who are interested in history and the local area.

For more info, check out 3C's press release for this event on www.3Ccommunitychurch.org



The Big Tent Event – keep it free!

If you are part of 3C and are planning your holidays for this summer, if possible please avoid going away from Thursday **15th July to Sunday 18th July**, when 3C will be running The Big Tent Event, in partnership with Dursley Festival.

If you can book some time off work to help out during this period, that would be even better! The tent will be put up on Wednesday 14th July and taken down on Monday 19th July, so help on those days will also be very useful.

Administrator needed

3C Community Church would like to recruit an additional part-time volunteer administrator to work six hours each week at the 3C building. If you are PC-literate and would like to be considered, please speak to Noel Fellowes.



Pray without ceasing! Women's World Day of Prayer

This year's local event for the Women's World Day of Prayer takes place at St Bartholomew's Church, Coaley, at 2.30pm on Friday 5th March 2010. All are welcome.



Community Groups time to choose

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Existing groups

Not sure which group to join? Take time to speak to the community group leaders and perhaps some of the members near you. You can join any group you want, regardless of where you live.

The existing leaders and groups are:

- Paul & Jan Herbert Wotton under Edge Tel: 01453 842260
- Greg & Nic Steer Gloucester Tel: 07909 612780 (Nic)
- Tim & Tracy Fletcher
- Beryl Gleich Cam Green Tel: 01453 546928
- Ed & Sue Humphreys Cambridge Tel: 01453 890474

New groups

Steve & Karen Peers, who live in Cam, are leading a new group, which will meet on Wednesdays – 01453 542732. In Dursley, Dave and Tina Ebbs will also lead a new group, which is intended for those following an Alpha course – 01453 548891

Please make your choice soon!

