



Christ Church Ewell

Christ Church Ewell are seeking to appoint a pastor who can provide leadership for the church, and who has a heart for the Christian gospel and the growth of God's kingdom. We are an independent evangelical church in Surrey with our own premises and have around 40 regular attenders (adults and children). At present, the church is led by a team of seven men and women. We are seeking our first pastor as part of our vision, which is summarised in our vision statement...

'We are an informal and friendly community of ordinary, flawed people who are committed to worshipping God together and sharing His love. Our vision is to grow in numbers as we engage with our community and demonstrate that the good news of Jesus is for everyone. No matter where we are on our journey of faith, we want to help and encourage each other to know God better and to become more like Jesus.'

Although a small church, we have a big vision and heart for our community. Over recent years we have emphasised:

Outreach- through such events as quiz nights, Macmillan events and Easter and Christmas train station hand-outs. We also have a regular luncheon club and toddler club, as well as several groups who use our premises. In the past we have run Christianity Explored as an introductory course to Christianity and we are hoping to repeat this soon.

Discipleship and Growth Groups: In the last few years we have run two series on discipleship across the whole church, as well as reconfiguring our Growth Groups so that all groups are growing and have capacity to grow. Over 80% of our adult congregation are now involved in a growth group.

Youth and Kids: We run a Sunday club for the children who attend on Sundays as well as hosting Urban Saints on a Friday night. We run an outreach holiday club in the summer and Easter and Christmas craft mornings.

Prayer and Teaching: Prayer is an important part of each Growth Group meeting, as well as a commitment to pray for each other in between. As a whole church we meet for breakfast and prayer monthly, and we offer individual prayer after the Sunday service. Our preaching programme has been a priority for us, with a coordinated preaching plan delivered by a mix of in-house and external preachers.

We are praying for all who may consider working with us as a pastor. If you would like more information please call Ann Barnes (tel 020 8393 6414) or Tony Neal (020 8393 5256) or email them and ask for our Pastor Appointment pack. (annbarnes456@btinternet.com or tonyandvalneal@gmail.com)