

THE THESSALONIANS
ARE SUFFERING!

TIMOTHY!

ON ITS

THE DAY OF
THE LORD WILL
BRING THEIR
SUDDEN RUIN...

HOPE

1 THESSALONIANS

INCREASE
YOUR LOVE,
HOLINESS,
HOPE!

Holiness

Future Hope

WE'RE GOING
STRONG!

NEW YEAR SERMON SERIES 2019



HOLY APOSTLES - CHELTENHAM

HOLINESS AND HOPE IN A HOSTILE WORLD

Paul's first letter to the Thessalonian church will be our theme for Sunday talks and Small Groups for the first weeks of the new year.

Paul wrote to a young and active church in Thessalonica (Greece), a bustling seaport city. Writing about 51AD Paul encouraged new converts to live as Christians in an indifferent and even hostile environment. And he reaffirmed the basic Christian truths of the gospel - Christ crucified, risen and coming again.



PRAYING FOR OUR CHURCH

Please join us in praying for our church and community particularly at this time of vacancy. Each week there are two opportunities to meet with others to pray:

Tuesday Prayer

Every Tuesday at 10am a group gather in church to pray for the life of our church and community. Please speak to Lucille Lean if you would like some more information.

Sundays at 9:45am

Praying before the Sunday morning service.

JANUARY

6th	10am Morning Worship Grace, Peace and Thanks Speaking: Tim Watson	1 Thessalonians 1: 1-3	6:30pm Communion Speaking: Tim Watson
13th	10am Communion Christian Mission - Passing it on Speaking: Mike Schorah	1 Thessalonians 1: 1-10	6:30pm Evening Prayer Speaking: Mike Schorah
20th	10am All Age A Gift for Everyone Guest Speaker: Amanda Thiselton		6:30pm Service of Christian Unity
27th	10am Communion Christian Imitation - Pleasing to God Speaking: James White	1 Thessalonians 2: 1-16	6:30pm Communion Speaking: James White

FEBRUARY

3rd	10am Morning Worship Christian Friendship - Longing to Share Speaking: Emma Taylor	1 Thessalonians 2: 17 - 3: 13	6:30pm Communion Speaking: Tim Watson
10th	10am Communion Christian Holiness - Living it Out Speaking: Mike Schorah	1 Thessalonians 4: 1-12	6:30pm Evening Prayer Speaking: Mike Schorah
17th	10am All Age with Baptism Love for Everyone Speaking: Beanie Farrimond/Miriam Lawrence		6:30pm Healing Prayer Service Speaking: Martin Turner
24th	10am Communion Christian Hope - Waiting with Confidence Speaking : Martin Turner	1 Thessalonians 4: 13 - 5: 11	6:30pm Communion Speaking: Martin Turner

MARCH

3rd	10am Morning Worship Christian Community - Walking with Others Speaking: Tim Watson	1 Thessalonians 5: 12-28	6:30pm Communion Speaking: Tim Watson
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SMALL GROUPS

Holy Apostles small groups are an excellent place to learn together, share together, support and be supported. We recommend joining one if you possibly can. Some groups do take a summer break, but this is a good time to be thinking about joining in September, and perhaps a chance to get to know people at a summer social. If you are interested in joining a small group or just finding out more, please contact John Lawrence at:

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