

- **Bank Standing Order** – This is not always easy in Thailand! Please speak with your bank to arrange this and, if you have difficulty in arranging it, please speak with Howard Bryant who may be able to give advice.

People in Today's Services

7.30 am

Preacher: Manik Corea
 Celebrant: Rev Peter Cook
 Leader: Rev Peter Cook
 Music:
 Reader: Lance Woodruff
 Comm. Asst: Mary Vongsuly
 Chalice: Manik Corea
 Sound: David Eastgate
 Usher: Joan Bull

10.00 am

Preacher:	Manik Corea	Music:	Noreen Sathanpornavit
Celebrant:	Rev Peter Cook	Sound	Naveed Pervez
Leader:	Bob Gosling	Welcome	Gary Walthall
Readers:	Angela Fowles		Ann Warren
	Mark Kelly		Antonio Warren
Intercessor:	Claudia Walthall		John Agu-Uke
Comm. Asst	Roderick Turner	Ushers	Howard Bryant
Bread:	Manik Corea		Irene Candy
Chalice:	Bob Gosling		Paul Juma
	Maria McMillan		Christine Kelly
	Elizabeth Prinyamusom	PCC Rep	Peter Wiinter
	Nares Swasdikulavath		

At Christ Church Next Sunday – 20th May

7.30am Holy Communion. Followed by breakfast in the hall.
 9.00am Sunday-morning small group meets in the office meeting room.
 10.00am Holy Communion with Children in the church.
 12.00 noon Sunday-noon small groups meet.
 1.30pm Thai-Language service.

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CHRIST CHURCH BANGKOK

13th May 2012

A spiritual oasis
 of living water
 flowing into the
 community
 and out to the nations

Welcome

We hope you will feel at home with us. To find out more about us, please take a 'welcome pack' from a seat near you. You will find more information about our various ministries at the 'Information Table' in the church hall, or you can browse our website on www.christchurchbangkok.org. You can also connect through Facebook or contact the 'Women in Touch' Yahoo group on JMGrawburg@aol.com

Our **7.30 am service** has a traditional style Anglican Communion liturgy.

Our **10.00 am worship service** usually begins with all ages gathering together for the first ten minutes or so. The children and teens then go to their own age-specific groups. About once per month they may come back to join the whole church family for Communion. Most weeks we have Communion and use a variety of liturgies. Sung worship styles can vary depending on the musicians.

Today at Christ Church

7.30 am Holy Communion - Followed by a fellowship breakfast in the hall.
 9.00 am Sunday-morning small group meets in the office meeting room.
 10.00 am A Service of Confirmation with Holy Communion - with children and youth groups, followed by a fellowship lunch in the hall.
 12.00 noon Sunday-noon small groups meet

Prayer at Christ Church

If you would like prayer for any need, please make your way to the front communion rail (under the stained glass window) after the service and we will be pleased to pray for you.

Sunday Worship – Singers and Musicians

Do you have gifts in singing? Are you able to play a musical instrument? If so then why not join our team? You do not have to have lots of experience but you will need to be a Christian member of Christ Church, have musical ability and a worshipping heart. Please do let us know and we can talk about how you might fit into our team. Contact Revd Peter in the first instance vicar@christchurchbangkok.org - phone 022343634

Getting to Grips with Revelation – Sundays and Small Groups

Earlier in the year we considered the opening three chapters of Revelation and the letters to the seven churches of Asia. This study looks at the rest of the Revelation of St John and does that in large sections. We shall explore some of the main themes. We will consider the 'signs of the times'. However, we will not be making any claims of special revelation or any predictions!

The sermons are downloadable as mp3 from our website

The small group study booklets are downloadable in pdf format or some printed versions are on the information table.

May

6th Handling Revelation as God's Word
Revelation – the Big Picture

13th The Heavens are Opened chapter 4 - 5
Glimpsing the Throne of God

20th The Seals of the Scroll are Opened chapter 6 - 7
The Redeemed are sealed

27th The Holy Spirit in Revelation chapter 22 ++
(Pentecost Sunday)

June

3rd The Witness of the Gospel chapter 9 - 11
And the Gospel witnesses

10th Cosmic Conflict – Beasts and Dragons chapter 12 ++
All at 6's and 7's

17th The New Creation chapter 21 - 22
Completion and Fulfilment



at Christ Church

Are you in a small group? At Christ Church our small groups allow you to get to know other people in the church in a smaller, more informal setting where there is opportunity to grow through worship, prayer, Bible study, fellowship and fun. We seek to understand and apply the Scriptures to our lives, based typically on the sermons that are preached at our Sunday services.

We have groups that meet at Christ Church and places around Bangkok at various times and days of the week. For more information pick up a leaflet at the *Welcome Table* or contact Manik Corea on 02 234 3634 during office hours or email him at ministries@christchurchbangkok.org or phone him.

PCC at Homeday – 19th May

The PCC (Church Committee) meets Saturday 19th for a part day of planning, preparation and prayer. Please pray for this meeting.

A New Alpha Course Has Started



Alpha is a nine week, once-a-week course that looks at foundational aspects of the Christian faith, tackling questions like 'Did Jesus really rise from the dead?', 'How does God guide us?' and 'Does God heal today?' A typical Alpha session starts with a meal together, followed by a talk and a relaxed, open, group discussion on questions pertaining to the talk

The new Alpha course is on Wednesday nights, 7pm in the Youth Room, beginning with dinner. This week is the last chance to join. If interested, please contact Manik Corea on telephone number 02 234 3634 during office hours or at ministries@christchurchbangkok.org

Team Builder wanted – Parent and Toddler Group



The Parent & Toddler group that has successfully run for the past few years is losing its leaders this June. We are therefore looking for someone to take an oversight of this wonderful ministry and build up a team of leaders & helpers.

This ministry attracts approx 20 - 27 Parents and their Tots every Friday Morning between 10.00 and 11.30, and is a great Outreach that can continue to develop and grow. Please contact Ineke Cook if you are interested or want more details. children.ccb@gmail.com

Summary of the PCC Meeting of Thurs 26 April

The second PCC meeting of the year has held when we discussed the following: Matters arising from the last PCC meeting.

Financial report for March showing a drop in our income from giving that was again offset by well managed expenses.

Discussion of this years objectives and of the team members involved in the various Task Groups.

Updates on construction projects such as the stained glass windows, the resurfacing of the car park and replacement of water drainage pumps.

Peter updated us on his beneficial visit to the International Pastors' conference in Hanoi.

If anyone wishes to discuss any matter relating to the work of the PCC then please do always feel free to talk to any member of the PCC.

How to Give to Our Ministry

- **Special Envelopes** – We can provide you with special, marked envelopes for you to regularly give money. Available from the church office.
- **Cash or Thai-bank cheque** – Place direct into the offerings bag on a Sunday. Please note that foreign-currency cheques are very expensive to exchange in Thailand (at least 60 USD, regardless of the cheque value). Cheques are to be made out to 'Christ Church Bangkok' (PTO)

