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Worship... Service ... Witness ... in the name of Jesus

## Beckminster Welcomes You

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#### What's On This Week....

Monday 3 February 9.30am - 12.30pm Office Open 9.30am - 12.30pm Art Group 1.00pm Funeral of Mary Tonks 2.00 - 4.00pm Art Group

6.15 - 7.45pm Brownies 6.30 - 8.00pm Cubs 6.30pm Worship & Discipleship Group

### 8.00pm Monday Focus (See Notices)

Tuesday 4 February 9.30am - 12.30pm Office Closed 9.45 - 11.15am Toddlers

2.00 - 4.30pm Art Group 5.15 - 6.15pm Dinky Divas 7.15 - 8.45pm Yoga

## Wednesday 5 February 9.30am - 12.30pm Office Open

11.30am - 3.00pm Luncheon Club

5.45 - 6.45pm Rainbows 7.00 - 9.00 pm Scouts 7.00pm BLT Meeting

7.30 - 9.30pm Happy Feet Dance

#### Thursday 6 February 9.00am - 3.30pm Office Open 9.15am Circuit Staff Meeting

9.45 - 11.15am Toddlers 2.00 - 4.00pm Take a Break

6.15 - 7.15pm Beavers 7.00 - 9.00pm St. Johns Ambulance 7.30pm Church Alive Meeting

## Friday 7 February 9.30am - 12.30pm Office Open

7.00 - 9.00pm Gateway Group

Saturday 8 February

## **Worship and Fellowship** 2 February 2020 **Ordinary 4**

### Collect for the Day

To ponder and pray ..... God of heaven and earth, whose power is made fully known in your pardoning mercy: ever fill us with your grace, that, entering more fully into your promises, we may come to share in the good things of heaven; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Come and join us next Sunday, 9 February 2020 Ordinary 5 10.30am World Mission Sunday led by Mrs Pauline Beattie 1.00 - 3.00pm Charis Generation **International Christian Ministries 6.00pm Holy Communion** led by Rev. Steve Jackson

# 10.30am Morning Worship with Pastoral Visitors Commissioning led by Rev. Dr. Paul Nzacahayo

Welcome and introduction to worship

STF 346 Christ is the world's light,

Prayers

Commissioning of Pastoral Visitors (Worship Book p344 - 346)

Junior Church Leaves

STF 255 The Kingdom of God is justice and joy,

Bible Readings:

Psalm 15 read by Keith Cheetham

Matthew 5: 1 - 12 read by Rita Powell

Sermon

STF 501 Help us, O Lord, to learn

Prayers

Offerings

STF 503 Love divine, all loves excelling,

Blessing

We Welcome You to Worship Today

If you are here for the first time, please make yourself known to those around you, or to one of the Stewards or Minister. You may like to sign the visitors book in the foyer.

Our fellowship will continue after morning worship with tea and coffee served in the Coffee Bar.

Your Refreshments Team today are: June & Ivor Sperring

#### FORTHCOMING MEETINGS AT BECKMINSTER

Monday, 3 February at 6.30pm Worship & Discipleship Group

Wednesday, 5 February at 7.00pm BLT Meeting

Thursday, 6 February at 9.15am Circuit Staff Meeting

Thursday, 6 February at 7.30pm Church Alive Meeting

Sunday, 9 February at 2.00pm Fellowship Meeting for Darlington Street Members

Monday, 10 February at 9.30am District Probationers Presentation

Monday, 10 February at 7.00pm Church Council Meeting

Tuesday, 11 February at 2.00pm District MWinB Committee Meeting

Wednesday, 12 February at 7.00pm
District Resourcing Mission Meeting

Thursday, 13 February at 7.30pm Circuit Meeting

Monday, 17 February at 2.00pm Messy Church Planning Meeting

Wednesday, 19 February at 2.00pm Open Pastoral Meeting with Speaker from Age Concern

Monday, 24 February at 9.30am Luncheon Club Training **WOMBOURNE METHODIST CHURCH.** As part of the 125th Anniversary, there will be a Coffee Morning on Saturday, 15 February from 10.00am - 12noon and then a Quiz Evening at 6.30pm for 7.00pm. On Sunday morning 16 February, Rev. Phil Summers will lead worship at 10.30am. All are welcome.

**ELAINE CHEETHAM** would like to thank the Church for the lovely flowers sent to her recently. She is now in a care home.

**PASTORAL MEETING.** We will be having an open meeting on Wednesday, 19 February 2020 at 2.00pm in the Epworth Room when we will have a speaker from Age Concern who will talk on a range of topics. All are welcome to attend. Sue.

MARY TONKS. Our thoughts and prayers are with George, Julie and family following the death of Mary on Christmas Day. There will be a Thanksgiving Service here at Beckminster for Mary on Monday, 3 February 2020 at 1.00pm followed by refreshments. All are welcome.

**COFFEE MATES** next meeting at 11.00am on Monday, 3 February 2020 at Farmer and Friends, Garden Village, Bridgnorth Road WV6 7EZ. Come along for excellent company and good coffee. June.

PAINTING FOR PLEASURE. Remember those fine days when we come together in groups for a few hours to look after our grounds? Remember the fun of it? Sadly, we need better weather for such times. BUT we have decided to have a fun day on Friday, 7 February when we shall re-paint two walls of our Youth Room prior to the installation of the Circuit Office here at Beckminster. We are really pleased to welcome the Circuit Office here and want them to feel welcome. So come and join us and bring your paint brush (only if you have one, we will provide). Do let Phil Healey, Roy Evans or John Ashwood know you are coming, because we can accommodate only 6 or so at any one time. Rev. Paul has promised to lead from the front, starting around 9am in the morning. Should you be unable to manage the Friday morning, then please do not despair: a second coat will have to be applied on the following day. More fun for all.

**MONDAY FOCUS** - 3 February at 8.00pm in the Coffee Bar. We welcome Rachel Starr who will be talking about her experiences of the church in Latin America. Do come along to hear this interesting talk.

The flowers in Church are in loving memory of: Mr & Mrs Collins;

Your Welcome Team on the door next Sunday are: John Holt & Stephanie Wilkes **WORLD MISSION SUNDAY, 9 February.** Pauline Beattie will lead our morning service and she has recently been to visit the Methodist Church in Ghana. There will be a retiring collection for All We Can Do. Please do come and join us. Janet Anderson.

The **ANNUAL CHRISTIAN AID QUIZ NIGHT** will be held at the Goodyear Pavilion on Friday, 7 February 2020 at 7.00pm for 7.30pm. Tickets £4.00 pp. Teams of up to 6 people. Refreshments available. Please contact John Bate on Monday, 3 February for any last minute tickets tel. 750663.

**THE BECKMINSTER YOUTH GROUP** will continue to run throughout the year on a monthly basis and the next one is on Sunday, 9 February 2020 at 6.00pm at 3 Pentland Gardens.

**THANK YOU.** I would just like to say thank you very much for the lovely flowers I received last Sunday from Beckminster. It is very rare that I get any flowers and it was delightful to receive some when Wendy and Phil came knocking at the door! I won't be at church today to say thank you personally so thought I would drop an email with my regards. Thanks again. Beth.

**VOLUNTEERS FOR METHODIST CONFERENCE 2020** in Telford are needed. This will be held from 25 June - 2 July at Telford International Centre, St. Quentin Gate, Telford TF3 4JH. Help is needed for Stewards, Help desk, Drivers, Collators and Creche (DBS essential). For further information speak to Richard Lockwood in the District Office - 01902 658383.



PANCAKE PARTY. On Shrove Tuesday, 25 February, there will be a Pancake Party in Beckminster Coffee Bar to which all are invited. From 10.30am until 12 midday, pancakes with a choice of topping, along with tea and coffee, will be served. Do come along for this time of fellowship together. Donations will be welcome for All We Can (Methodist Relief and Development). This supports self help projects in the very poorest countries. Please make a note of the date in your diary. Sue Reed.

**DATE FOR YOUR DIARY.** The Church Alive Group are planning a "Pancakes and Poetry" evening on Tuesday, 25 February 2020. It will begin at 7pm and cost £2 per person - supplemented by donations for charity. More details later.

CODSALL DRAMATIC SOCIETY. Our next play, Joking Apart by Alan Ayckbourn, is being staged as part of the Codsall Community Arts Festival. See posters on the notice boards which gives details of how you can obtain tickets which are priced at £8.50 and £9.00 or tickets can be ordered via the Codsall Community Arts Festival website at <a href="https://www.codsallartsfestival.org.uk/2020-festival-events/">https://www.codsallartsfestival.org.uk/2020-festival-events/</a> The play is being performed at Codsall Village Hall on Wed, 18 March - Friday, 20 March at 7.30pm and on Saturday, 21 March at 2.30pm and we very much hope that you will support us once more and come along to this very funny production with all the twists and turns that Alan Ayckbourn writes so well.

**NOTICE BOARDS.** Please look at the notice boards for further details of events happening around the District and Circuit. Sue.

**VACANCIES.** The District has vacancies for a District Grants Officer and District Property Consultant. For further details speak to the District Office. Tel. 01902 658383.