

THANK YOU. Many have expressed a sincere thanks for the Harvest Tea Boxes that went out recently which were very much appreciated. Thanks also to the people who prepared and put the beautiful boxes together ready for distribution and to those who delivered them.

WOLVERHAMPTON FAIR TRAITD thanks everyone who supported our 'market place' last Saturday; it was a very successful event. If you would like a catalogue to browse through, please take one from the table in the Coffee Bar after the service. As last year you may place orders from the catalogue and collect from Phil or Brenda. Samples of the range of Christmas cards that are available to order will be on display in the Coffee Bar on Sundays until the end of October. We will open the 'shop' in the Creche each Wednesday in October and possibly beyond from 10.00am till 12 noon. Do pop in if you are looking for Christmas food and gift items or Christmas cards. Thank you for your support. Phil & Brenda, 01902 330002

MANY THANKS for your generous donations of food and toiletries on Harvest Sunday. Your gifts have been gratefully received by "The Well" and by the Good Shepherd Ministry. As you are aware, life is a continuing struggle for many in our community and the needs are ongoing so if you are able to continue with weekly support, please leave all items in the church entrance hall. Wendy and John Bate

THANK YOU to those members who responded to our **Gift Day** appeal by offering a one-off gift or agreeing to increase their regular giving (or both). The response forms have not yet been scrutinised, but we shall let you know in next week's notices the results so far. Of course, your gifts and response forms are welcome at any stage.

FAIR TRAITD. Anyone wanting to order Fair Traid tea or coffee, please contact Barbara Bennett.

MISSION IN BRITAIN. Thank you to all who have supported the Mission in Britain Fund via donations or boxes. £254.91 has been sent to head office. If anyone would like a box or make a donation, please contact me. David Jones.

TAKE A BREAK. The carpet bowling will recommence on Monday, 1 November 2021 at 1.15pm in the Main Hall.

Join us for a time of **CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP** at Fallings Park Methodist Church on Sunday, 24 October 2021 at 6.00pm. A time of praise and prayer as we deepen our discipleship Worship which will be led by St John's Methodist Church Worship Band.

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Worship and Fellowship

28th in Ordinary Time

10 October 2021

What's On This Week....

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| Monday 11 October 9.30am - 12.30pm Office Open 9.30am - 12.30pm Art Group 4.15 - 8.00pm Dinky Divas 7.00pm Church Council on Zoom (See Notices) |
| Tuesday 12 October Office Closed 4.45 - 6.45pm Dinky Divas 7.30pm Hope in Israel Palestine (See Notices) |
| Wednesday 13 October 10.00am - 1.00pm Office Open 9.00am Zoom Prayer Group (See Notices) 7.30 - 8.30pm Costley Dance Group |
| Thursday 14 October 9.30am - 3.30pm Office Open 7.00 - 9.00pm St Johns Ambulance |
| Friday 15 October 9.30am - 12.30pm Office Open 9.30 - 11.00am Move It or Lose It with Vanessa 7.00 - 9.00pm Gateway Group |
| Saturday 16 October |

Collect for the Day

To ponder and pray
 Lord in your goodness, open our eyes to your light, and so fill our hearts with your glory that we may always acknowledge Jesus as Saviour, and hold fast to his word in sincerity and truth. We make our prayer through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Come and join us on Sunday, 17 October 2021

*29th in Ordinary Time
in Church and Live-Streamed*

**9.00am Holy Communion
led by Rev Glennys Bamford
10.30am Morning Worship
led by Miss Rosie Bryant**

1.00 - 4.30pm Hope City Church

**10.30am Morning Worship - What is Life
led by Mrs Christine Pearson**

Welcome

Hymn - Life and light and joy are found

Life and light and joy are found
In the presence of the lord:
Life with richest blessing crowned,
Light from many fountains poured—
Life and light and holy joy,
None can darken or destroy.

Bring to him life's brightest hours,
He will make them still more bright;
Give to him your noblest powers,
He will hallow all your might;
Come to him with eager quest,
You shall hear his high behest.

All your questions large and deep,
All the open thoughts of youth,
Bring to him, and you shall reap
All the harvest of his truth;
You shall find in that great store
Largest love and wisest lore.

Then when comes life's wider sphere
And its busier enterprise,
You shall find him ever near,
Looking, with approving eyes,
On all honest work and true
His dear servants' hands can do.

Charles Edward Mudie, 1818-90

Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

What is Life?

Song - Imagine

Acknowledgements

Readings: Ecclesiastes 3: 1 - 12 read by Keith Cheetham

John 10: 7 - 11 read by Pam Wilkes

STF 370 Breath on me, Breath of God;

Talk

Sermon - "Simple Truth"

Prayer - Intercessions

"Praying with My Life"

STF 198 Take my life and let it be

The Grace

SUNDAY MORNING SERVICE. The service this morning will be live streamed. The camera focuses only on those taking part but the back of your head might be seen. If you wish to remain out of sight of the camera, please sit at the back of the church.

ZOOM PRAYER MEETING on a Wednesday at 9.00am. All are welcome and for further details please contact Sue.

CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING. All members are cordially invited to join us at our next Church Council Meeting which will be on zoom at 7.00pm on Monday, 11 October. Zoom details will be made available to Church Council Members. Others wishing to join us, please contact Sue Lorimer or John Ashwood.

HOPE IN ISRAEL PALESTINE. Revd. John Howard will be visiting Beckminster on Tuesday, 12 October 2021 @ 7.30pm to share his experiences of his time working in Jerusalem. He has written a book which will be available on the evening and says, "I hope that the book sets out the grounds for hope for a solution to the conflict that has gone on for so long. The first thing that those who look for peace in the land called Holy need, is the belief that a just peace is attainable."

Come and have a chat with your friends, enjoy a cup of tea and a cake and some musical entertainment in the Coffee Bar/Main Hall on Wednesday, 20 October from 2.45 - 4.15pm. Everyone is welcome. If you would like to come, please ring Sue in the office (344910) or let Wendy B or Wendy A know by Friday, 15 October.

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.

**The Plants in Church
for October
are in Loving Memory of:**

**Parents and Sister of
Pete & Tricia Prescott**