

**ADVENT STUDY COURSE.** An Advent study course will be held on Zoom on the four Wednesdays of Advent before Christmas beginning on 1 December. They will start at 7.30pm and will last about an hour. We are very fortunate in that Dr Rachel Starr, Director of Studies, Queen's Foundation, has agreed to lead these. The study chosen is Paula Gooder's, *The Meaning is in the Waiting*, the spirit of Advent. The book can be purchased from Canterbury press or other booksellers. The cost of a new book is around £7.50 - £9.00 but it is obviously much cheaper to purchase a second hand copy. If you want help with this, please get in touch. Janet Anderson.

**You are invited to Prayer in the City.** Join Deacon Linda and others @ Zuri's (37 Lichfield Street WV1 1DG) on Saturday, 13 November at 4.00pm for prayer and conversation about city work. For an idea of numbers, please let Linda know in advance on 07941 354958 or linda.gilson@methodist.org.uk or just turn up! All Welcome!

**WOLVERHAMPTON FAIR TRAD** is excited to tell you that we are opening a pop up shop in the Mander Centre on Monday, 15 November and will remain open until Christmas Eve.

**Where:** lower level, 2 doors up from Bon Marche as you walk into the square from the Beatties end.

**When:** 10.00 am - 5.00 pm Mondays to Saturdays.

We will be taking a wide selection of chocolate treats, socks (of course) and gift and craft items. The unit we have is quite 'cosy' so we will not have room for basic grocery items.

We will continue to operate on Wednesdays 10.00am - 12noon at our Beckminster hub. We look forward to seeing you!

**CHURCHES TOGETHER IN GRAISELEY & PENN FIELDS.** Childrens Annual Christmas Card Competition. Entries to be received by 12 November 2021 for those aged between 5 - 15 years. Entries to be emailed to info@jccuk.org The winner will get a gift voucher and their drawing will feature on the CTinG&PF Christmas Cards.

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## Worship and Fellowship

### 32nd in Ordinary Time

### 7 November 2021

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

**Monday 8 November**  
9.30am - 12.30pm Office Open  
9.30am - 12.30pm Art Group  
1.00 - 3.15pm Take a Break  
2.00pm Pastoral Meeting on Zoom  
4.15 - 8.00pm Dinky Divas

**Tuesday 9 November**  
Office Closed  
4.45 - 6.45pm Dinky Divas  
7.15 - 8.45pm Yoga Group

**Wednesday 10 November**  
10.00am - 1.00pm Office Open  
9.00am Zoom Prayer Group (See Notices)  
12noon Funeral of Mr Ngoni Mukai  
7.30 - 8.30pm Costley Dance Group

**Thursday 11 November**  
9.30am - 3.30pm Office Open  
10.00am Circuit Staff Meeting  
7.00 - 9.00pm St Johns Ambulance

**Friday 12 November**  
9.30am - 12.30pm Office Open  
9.45 - 10.45am Move It or Lose It with Vanessa  
3.30 - 5.45pm Messy Church  
7.00 - 9.00pm Gateway Group

**Saturday 13 November**

#### Collect for the Day

**To ponder and pray** .....  
Eternal God, in whose perfect realm no sword is drawn but the sword of justice, and no strength known but the strength of love: guide and inspire all who seek your kingdom, that peoples and nations may find their security in the love which casts out fear; through Jesus Christ our Saviour. **Amen.**

**Come and join us on  
Sunday, 14 November 2021**

**Remembrance Sunday  
33rd in Ordinary Time  
in Church and Live-Streamed**

**10.30am Morning Worship  
led by Dr Janet Anderson**  
**1.00 - 4.30pm Hope City Church**

**10.30am Morning Worship  
led by Rev Dr Paul Nzacahayo**

Welcome and Call to Worship

**StF 117 Sing praise to God who reigns above,**

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

Bible Reading:

1 Kings 17: 8 - 16 read by Chris Reed

**StF 243 A rich young man came seeking**

Gospel Reading:

Mark 12: 38 - 44 read by Wendy Bate

Sermon

**StF 705 It is God who holds the nations**

Prayer of Intercession and Lord's Prayer

Prayer for our Giving

**StF 79 I'll praise my Maker while I've breath;**

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.

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

**Mrs Gillian Whilton.  
Mr David Griffiths.  
Mr Bill Wilkes and daughter-  
in-law Mrs Susan Wilkes.  
Mr Rob Harris.**

**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.

**LEWIS COWAN.** Our thoughts and prayers are with Dot, Sandra and the family following the death of Lewis on Tuesday, 26 October 2021.

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

**PASTORAL MEETING.** The next Pastoral Meeting will take place on Zoom on Monday, 8 November 2021 at 2.00pm. Zoom details have been sent out. Sue.

**IVOR SPERRING.** Thank you for all the expressions of concern and support during our 4 weeks "house arrest" and my recent hospitalisation. June and I are also grateful for the beautiful plants delivered this afternoon. I am now experimenting with my new battery powered heart!!

**GORDON NICKLIN.** Many thanks to friends at Beckminster for the plant I have received. It will cheer me up on what seems to be a long recovery process from Covid. Also thanks for the messages which have been received.

**EMMAUS/OPEN WAY.** The next meeting of this house group is on Tuesday, 16 November 2021 at 2.30pm at 32 Church hill. Tom Stuckey' book 'Covid-19 God's Wakeup Call?' will be studied. Tom Stuckey is a past president of the Methodist conference and speaks with prophesy, passion and challenge to help us move forward. All are welcome.

**WOLVERHAMPTON & SHREWSBURY DISTRICT METHODIST WOMEN IN BRITAIN.** We have resumed our monthly gatherings on Zoom and warmly invite you to join us. Our next gathering is on Thursday morning, 18 November 2021 at 10.30am. Our speaker is Dr Janet Anderson from our Wolverhampton Circuit, who will tell us about the work of Compton Care and her involvement there. We will finish by 11.30am. We look forward to seeing you, either on the day, or later on YouTube. For zoom details please contact Sue in the Church Office.