

MISSION IN BRITAIN. Any contribution to this fund will be gratefully received over the next few weeks. ENVELOPES AVAILABLE. Boxes can be handed in at church, to Sue in the Office or I can collect (David Jones 762408).

WORLD MISSION. If anyone has a World Mission Collecting Box or would like to give a donation towards this fund which enables Mission Partners to support community projects and individuals around the world, please would you return your boxes or gifts by the beginning of August. Sue Lorimer will receive these if I am not there. Janet Anderson.

PLEASE NOTE that the postponed Tom Elliott event will now take place on Saturday, 24 September 2022 at 7.30pm, Trinity Methodist Church, Codsall. See notice board for further details and please contact Helen Share on codsallmethodist.com or 07766 106615 for tickets.

Dear All,
The Circuit Leadership Team met last weekend. There was a deep sense of the Holy Spirit guiding and moving us forwards in a renewed and courageous future for the Wolverhampton Circuit. The CLT will take time to reflect and discern our shared learning. We will present our discernment to date to the Circuit Meeting on 8 September, and we would encourage all members of the Circuit Meeting to attend. We continue to encourage everyone to participate and pray for the ongoing journey of discernment together in your local context. Change is coming.

God of love, God for all,
your purposes are more beautiful than we can possibly imagine.
Fill us with your Holy Spirit.
Help us let go of all that holds us back.
Guide our leadership team with courageous wisdom.
Help us all to be brave and bold in our discipleship.
Thank you for those who have led us to this place, through hundreds of years of prayerful preaching and service.
May we not fear change.
Open our lives and our churches to new seasons of humility and faith, of change and growth.
Shake us up with the Good News of Jesus and show us the way you are leading us. **Amen**

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Worship and Fellowship

24 July 2022

Ordinary 17

What's On This Week....

Monday 25 July
9.30am - 12.30pm Office Open

Tuesday 26 July
10.00am - 1.00pm Office Open
7.15 - 8.45pm Yoga

Wednesday 27 July
9.30am - 12.30pm Office Open
9.00am Zoom Prayer Group (See Notices)
9.15 - 11.15am Weight Watchers

Thursday 28 July
9.30am - 3.30pm Office Open

Friday 29 July
Office Closed
9.45 - 10.45am Move It or Lose It

Saturday 30 July
2.00pm Wedding Rehearsal

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.

Collect for the Day

To ponder and pray
Gracious God, your Son Jesus Christ fed the hungry with the bread of life and the word of your kingdom. Renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your true and living bread, even Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Come and join us on Sunday, 31 July 2022

Ordinary 18
in Church and Live-Streamed

10.30am Morning Worship
led by Rev Dr Joanne Cox-Darling

1.00 - 4.30pm Hope City Church

**10.30am Holy Communion
led by Rev Glennys Bamford**

Bible Month focusing on Isaiah

Theme for Today: A New World

Holy Communion MWB p211

Grace

StF 55 Immortal, invisible, God only wise,

Adoration, Confession, Collect

StF 365 Jesu, the joy of loving hearts,

Lessons: Isaiah 65: 17 - 25 read by Janette Clough

Revelations 21: 1 - 4 read by Carolyne Hurley

John 3: 16 - 21 read by Phil Healey

Sermon 'A New World.'

STF 701 Heaven shall not wait

Intercessions and Peace

Offering

StF 712 Put peace into each other's hands

Thanksgiving & Lord's Prayer

Breaking Bread

Sharing Bread & Wine

Final Prayers

Blessing

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

**Doug and Ruby Peterson
Dianne Ellis (nee Peterson)
John & Muriel Graham
Mr & Mrs Frank Evans
Rev & Mrs Buxton
John Morgan**

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.

JOHN ANDERSON. Our thoughts and prayers are with Mark, Neil and the family following the death of John on Thursday, 14 July 2022. John's funeral will take place here at Beckminster Church on Wednesday, 17 August, 2022 at 12noon followed by refreshments in the Main Hall. All are welcome.

COFFEE MATES. Meet Monday, 1 August 2022 at The Two Greens, Old Hill, Tettenhall, WV6 8BQ from 10.45am - 12noon. Everybody welcome. June Sutton, tel. 07790272865.

JMA. Anyone who has a JMA Box that needs emptying, please pass onto Val Pollard. Many thanks.

Wolverhampton Fair Traid is re-opening this week at our premises in the Mander Centre. We are next to the YMCA shop in Victoria Arcade. Our reduced opening hours: Wednesday - Saturday, 10.00am - 5.00pm.

AFTERNOON TEA WORSHIP. Do join us for tea and cake and an informal service of worship and witness on Saturday, 6 August 2022 from 4.00 - 5.30pm in the Coffee Bar. This is a new venture which we hope you can support. Anyone needing a lift, please let me know. Please see separate sheet. Janet Anderson.

SUNDAY CLUB. As is our normal practice, Sunday Club will not operate over the school summer holidays. This includes Sunday, 24 July, throughout August and 4 September. We will be back on 11 September 2022.

Conference 2021 committed us all to celebration of diversity and to eradicating discrimination within the Methodist Church. There's a new support service for anybody experiencing discrimination or harm and it's available within this District. This is called the **DARS, the Discrimination and Abuse Response Service.** The phone number is **020 7467 5131** or email **dars@methodistchurch.org.uk** These details can be found next to the safeguarding poster which is in the Coffee Bar. Please feel free to use this service yourself if you need it and remember to tell others about it if you think it might help them to get the support they need. Thank you.