

SUNDAY CLUB would like you to prayerfully think if you are able offer your help and service. A number of you have already kindly agreed and the more offers we receive the better the situation for everyone. Little other than time and commitment is involved although appropriate DBS requirements will be necessary if not already in place. We are asking for volunteers to step in to support the current leaders, nothing else and hopefully you would be allocated one negotiable Sunday morning every 6-8 weeks or so depending on the number of offers we receive just to help out. Please speak to Donna, Sheena or Brian for further information. Thank you.

THE UKRANIAN APPEAL for black tights for children, older girls and adults. Neville collected what had come in so far this week and they are very grateful for the help that we are giving in so many ways. Many thanks. Sue.

THANK YOU to everyone who donated to All We Can or the British Heart Foundation in Stuart's memory. The current online total for All We Can is £603.37 including gift aid plus £20 in cheques, which I sent to their London office. We have raised £1,302.42 including gift aid plus a cheque for £10 which I shall take into the local charity shop for British Heart Foundation. Absolutely fantastic. Christine xx

Forthcoming Meetings During February 2023

6 February	2.00pm Church Alive Meeting
8 February	7.30pm Church Council Meeting on Zoom
16 February	2.00pm Pastoral Meeting

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

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Worship and Fellowship

29 January 2023

Ordinary 4

What's On This Week....

Monday 30 January
9.30am - 12.30pm Office Open
9.30am - 12.30pm Art Group
1.00 - 3.15pm Take a Break
4.15 - 8.00pm Dinky Divas

Tuesday 31 January
Office Closed
4.45 - 6.45pm Dinky Divas
7.15 - 8.45pm Yoga

Wednesday 1 February
9.30am - 12.30pm
9.15 - 11.15am WeightWatchers

Thursday 2 February
9.30am - 3.30pm Office Open
7.00 - 9.00pm St Johns Ambulance

Friday 3 February
9.30am - 12.30pm Office Open
9.45 - 10.45am Move It or Lose It
6.30 - 9.00pm Gateway

Saturday 4 February

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 on
Sunday, 5 February 2023

10.30am Holy Communion
led by Rev Dr Paul Nzacahayo

1.00 - 4.30pm Hope City Church

Beckminster Methodist Church
Birches Barn Road,
Penn Fields,
Wolverhampton WV3 7BQ
Tel. 01902 344910

**10.30am Morning Worship
led by Rev Trevor Pratt**

Welcome

Call to Worship

StF 17 With gladness we worship

Prayers of Adoration & Confession, The Lord's Prayer

StF 136 Morning has broken

Reading: Psalm 15 read by Alan Marriott

Reading: Micah 6: 1 - 8 read by Ann Holt

StF 713 Show me how to stand for justice

Reading: 1 Corinthians 1: 18 - 31 read by Chris Reed

Reading: Matthew 5: 1 - 12 read by Pete Prescott
with Congregational contribution

¹Now when Jesus saw the crowds, he went up on a mountainside and sat down. His disciples came to him, ²and he began to teach them. He said:

³'Blessed are the poor in spirit: **for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.**

⁴Blessed are those who mourn: **for they will be comforted.**

⁵Blessed are the meek; **for they will inherit the earth.**

⁶Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness; **for they will be filled.**

⁷Blessed are the merciful; **for they will be shown mercy.**

⁸Blessed are the pure in heart; **for they will see God.**

⁹Blessed are the peacemakers; **for they will be called children of God.**

¹⁰Blessed are those who are persecuted because of righteousness, **for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.**

¹¹'Blessed are you when people insult you, persecute you and falsely say all kinds of evil against you because of me. ¹²Rejoice and be glad, because great is your reward in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

Sermon

StF 546 Behold the servant of the Lord

Offertory

Prayers that will include Commitment, Thanksgiving & Intercession

StF 264 Make way, make way for Christ the King

Blessing

All-embracing God, wherever we are, you are with us. May our minds be tuned to know your presence. May we be enabled to worship you with all of heart and body and mind. May we be one with you and with all who share in this time of worship. **Amen.**

SUNDAY SERVICES are now on zoom whilst we are meeting in the Main Hall.

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

COFFEE MATES. Meet Monday, 6 February 2023 at Farmer and Friends, Garden Village, Bridgnorth Road, Wolverhampton WV6 7EZ from 10.45am - 12noon. Everybody welcome. June Sutton, tel. 07790272865.

GENERAL CHURCH MEETING. Please note that this will be held in the Church Hall following morning worship on Sunday, 26 March 2023. Please try to join us that morning.

WOLVERHAMPTON CIRCUIT METHODIST WOMEN IN BRITAIN will meet on Tuesday, 31 January 2023 at 2.30pm at St Johns Methodist Church, Parkfields when the speaker will be Mrs Sue Pask, Chaplain of Engelberg Methodist Home. Bring and Buy Stall. All are welcome.

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.

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

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

**John Moxham
Mr & Mrs Hocking and Mary Gale
John & Mary Tonks
Mr & Mrs Collins
Billy Story**