

CIRCUIT VISION DOCUMENT: There will be an Open Meeting for all members on Monday, 15 May at 7.30pm to discuss the Circuit Leadership's plans for the future of the Wolverhampton Circuit. If you would like to receive a copy of the document, we are happy to forward it by e-mail. Alternatively, please ask either Sue Lorimer or John Ashwood if you would like a hard copy.

Although Beckminster may not be immediately involved in any proposed development, it is important that we should know about it. Indeed, we have been invited by the Circuit Leadership to express our views to them before their June meeting.

Please try to make the meeting on 15 June. If you cannot come but wish to have your say, please forward your views to us in writing.

MANY THANKS to everyone who supported the Good Friday Frugal Lunch. Donations totalled £172.50 plus gift aid and this will be forwarded to Christian Aid for this years' Malawi Appeal.

WOLVERHAMPTON AMNESTY GROUP is putting on a film to commemorate the 75th anniversary since Palestinians were forced off their homeland, known as the Nakhba (catastrophe).

The documentary 'Tantura' will be shown at Wolverhampton Quaker Meeting House on Friday, 12 May at 7.00pm. Running time: 95 minutes. Light refreshments are available from 6.30pm. Admission is free; a collection will be taken to cover costs.

Re-engage. This is a national charity that seeks to support housebound elderly people by providing them with an opportunity to meet others in a welcoming space, either in people's homes or in a community room.

Wolverhampton has a small group which organises such meetings on the 3rd Sunday of the month between 3pm and 5pm. They are currently in urgent need of venues. Could you as an individual or your church offer a room for about 8 people and car drivers on a very occasional basis. The offer of the provision of sandwiches and cakes would be a bonus but is not crucial. Initial details from Brenda Shuttleworth (01902) 330002.

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Worship and Fellowship

7 May 2023

Easter 5

What's On This Week....

Monday 8 May
Bank Holiday Premises Closed
 9.30am - 12.30pm Office Closed

Tuesday 9 May
9.30am - 12.30pm Office Closed
 4.45 - 6.45pm Dinky Divas
 7.15 - 8.45pm Yoga

Wednesday 10 May
9.30am - 12.30pm Office Open
 9.00am Zoom Prayer Group
 9.15 - 11.15am WeightWatchers
 7.00 - 9.00pm Horticultural Society

Thursday 11 May
9.30am - 3.30pm Office Open
 7.00 - 9.00pm St Johns Ambulance

Friday 12 May
9.30am - 12.30pm Office Open
 6.30 - 9.00pm Gateway

Saturday 13 May
 12.30pm Wedding of Mr Tobias Hudson
 and Miss Natasha Eubank

Collect for the Day
To ponder and pray
 Eternal God, whose son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth and the life: grant us to walk in his way, to rejoice in his truth, and to share his risen life; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Come and join us on
Sunday, 14 May 2023
Easter 6
10.30am Own Arrangement -
Christian Aid Sunday
led by Wendy Bate and
Ann Danks from Christian Aid
1.00 - 4.30pm Hope City Church

**10.30am Coronation Service with Holy Communion
led by Rev Dr Paul Nzacahayo**

Call to worship

StF 88 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty,

Prayer of Adoration

Prayer of Confession

Reading: 1 Peter 2: 4 - 13 read by John Ashwood

StF 83 Praise, my soul, the King of heaven;

Reading: Matthew 22: 15 - 22 read by Janette Clough

Reflections

StF 346 Christ is the world's light,

Prayer of Intercession

Offerings

StF 25 God is here! As we his people

Holy Communion

StF 705 It is God who holds the nations in the hollow of his hand;

Blessing

**The Plants in Church for May
are in Loving Memory of:
Charles and Connie Sutton;
Parents of Loraine
and Rob Harris;**

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.**

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.

COFFEE MATES. Meet Monday, 5 June 2023 at Albrighton Garden Centre Newport Road, Cosford, WV7 3EE from 10.45am - 12noon. Everybody welcome. June Sutton, tel. 07790272865.

CORONATION LUNCH, today Sunday, 7 May 2023. We would like to start serving the food at 12noon so there will be no coffee/tea after the morning service. We would ask that you make your way into the hall as soon as you can after the end of the morning service. Coffee/tea will be served at the end of the meal. Tim.

EMMAUS. The next meeting will be held at 2.30 pm on Wednesday, 10 May 2023 at 222 Jeffcock Road. All are welcome.

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK, 14 - 20 May 2023. Please consider donating this year as generously as you are able, either directly on line or using the envelopes available in church.

In addition, the church Coffee Morning on 20th May will be extended into a Christian Aid Fundraising Day with light lunches and a variety of stalls available for your support.

Gifts of books, crafts and good quality bric - a - brac will be gratefully received and bakers are particularly asked to offer something for the cake stall via Jenny Cromie.

Everyone will be very welcome together with friends and family. Contact Wendy Bate with any queries.

CHURCH OFFICE will close on Tuesday, 16 May at 12.30pm and will reopen on Wednesday, 24 May at 9.30am. Any notices required for the service sheet on Sunday, 21 May 2023 should be received by Monday, 15 May as the service sheet will be printed on Tuesday, 16 May. Any queries get in touch. Sue.

EASTER OFFERINGS DEDICATION SERVICE will take place here at Beckminster on Sunday, 21 May 2023 at 6.00pm.

ALL WE CAN. Many thanks to all those who donated to **ALL WE CAN** at the Easter Breakfast. £110 was raised and much of this is also gift aided. This small charity works with local partners, in the poorest parts of the world as well as in global emergencies. Thanks to those who prepared the breakfast and those who came to share in the fellowship.