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SUNDAY 6th MAY 2018

**10.30am Morning Worship and Holy Communion
led by Rev Jane Wild**

**6-30pm Easter Offering Service
at Bamber Bridge Methodist Church**

Prayer for Spring

*Loving Father we give you thanks and praise for your creation.
We are seeing all around us your greatness in the beauty of flowers
and fields and new life.*

'O Lord our Lord how majestic is your name in all the earth'

Psalm 8v9

STEWARDS: am: Mrs Margaret Squire, Mrs Chris Oldham
WELCOMERS am: Mrs Muriel Crossley, Mrs Judith Harvey,
Mr Shane Marshall, Mrs Elaine Ridout

CRECHE: Mrs Zerry Harrison, Mrs Jayne Myatt

FLOWER DISTRIBUTION: Mrs Margaret Squire

TRANSPORT: Mr John Ferris COFFEE: Team 8

The rotas are posted on the board in the corridor outside the vestry

PRAYER



As you read these notices please pray for all that is taking place in the life of the Church and for those who are in particular need. If you would like the Church Prayer Network to pray for you, someone you know, or for a particular situation, please pass your request to Judith Harvey, 787500 or email: judith.harvey44@sky.com.

There is a prayer book on the table in the prayer corner of the Church for anyone to write their prayer requests. These prayers are then used on a Wednesday morning. If you mention someone's name, please make sure you have their permission.

DIARY FOR THE COMING WEEK

Tuesday 8th May

9.45am to 12 noon Willow Grove - Open for refreshments.

7pm Alphabites -Come and enjoy a meal followed by Worship and Bible Study. Looking at Holy Habits (possessions) in Acts Ch 4v32- Ch 5 v16

7.30pm Preston Methodist Voices rehearsal at - Penwortham Methodist Church.

Wednesday 9th May

10am-1pm Welcome Wednesday, 'New to you Stall', coffee and light lunches.

10.30am Holy Communion led by Rev Jane Wild and Pam Roberts

Thursday 10th May

7.30pm Ascension Day Service at Kingsfold Methodist Church, PR1 9EN.

The celebration of Christ being taken up to Heaven Acts 1v1-11

Saturday 12th May

10am to 12.30pm Spring Plant Sale. It is not too late to place an order!

Ring Barbara on 716203. Phil from Ribblesdale will be with us.

LOOKING FORWARD

Thy Kingdom Come 10th - 20th May – this is an Ecumenical Prayer initiative for the period of Ascension to Pentecost. Please get involved. Prayer bags will be available from this Sunday.

Mosque Open Day - Sunday 13th May Speak to Rev Jane Wild if you would like to be part of a group visiting after morning worship.

Christian Aid Week 13th-19th May. We are looking for volunteers to join our band of house-to-house collectors. Contact Anne Garsed 07813 870641.

Monday 14th May 7.30pm 'Church Life' meeting in the Cedar room. Agenda items to be sent to Janet Wales by Friday 11th May - All welcome."

Tuesday 15th May Messy Church– A chance for families to create, chew and celebrate together. All are welcome but could young people please bring an adult with them.

Tuesday 15th May 7.30pm Informal Study Group in Sycamore Room Questions we ask about God and how we answer them.

Christian Aid Activities at Christ Church, Longridge

Sunday 13th May: 2.30pm Music in the Afternoon

Friday 18th May: 7.00pm Quiz night at Christ Church

Saturday 19th May 10.00am-4.00pm A 'Come and Sing' Karl Jenkins Choral Workshop at Christ Church with the Valley Singers and Samuel Hudson, Musical Director of Blackburn Cathedral.

New House Group/Bible study. Next meeting on Thursday morning 24th May, at 10.45am at 85 Victoria Road. All welcome.

Preston Methodist Voices –Rehearsals on the following dates: Wed 16 May - Fulwood Methodist Church, Tues 22 May - Penwortham Methodist Church.

Summer Magazine Please note the main copy date for items will be Sunday 27th May. Any last minute items need to be in by Sunday 1st July.

Scouts sponsored walk 23rd June Information on Board in Willow Grove

Women's Fellowship Canal Cruise Tues 12th June from Barton Grange to Garstang. Departing from Church at 11.30am and leaving Barton Grange at 12.30pm. Early afternoon tea will be served on board. We will return by coach to Barton Grange for 2.30pm. Cost £20pp including tea and coach. This outing is open to any Church members and friends. Names and money to Mary Fox or Muriel Crossley as soon as possible. List closes 13th May.

Antiques Evening Friday 18th May - 7.30pm at Broughton and District Club, Whittingham Lane hosted by antiques specialists and auctioneers.

In aid of Methodist Action, proceeds will help to keep Fox Street homeless accommodation open. Tickets £12.50 available from Mavis Fletcher, to include valuation of one item if you wish and supper (lasagne and dessert). If anyone is able to help Mavis serve supper it would be appreciated. Tel.655939

Flower Distribution Rota We are looking for volunteers to join the rota delivering church flowers after Sunday morning worship once every 8/9 weeks. The flowers are given to those members and friends we feel would appreciate the thoughtful gesture. Please contact Muriel Crossley if you would like to help in this very worthwhile way. (716973).

Preston Ribble Methodist Circuit is seeking to appoint an energetic, imaginative, experienced and suitably qualified person to the position of Lay Pastoral Minister. Closing date is 4th June 2018. For employment pack and application form email Margaret Squire: margaretsquire@gmail.com or an information pack is available on Preston Ribble website: prestonribblemethodistcircuit.org.uk

Thanks – On behalf all who attended the 'John Rutter Day', thank you Mavis for all your hard work. The minute the music began, our voices raised our spirits to the roof. The choice of music and the atmosphere was fantastic. Thanks to the team of ladies who served us with refreshments. It was a day to remember. Doreen Britton

Jam Jars – John Bolton does not need any more jam jars for the time being, please recycle in some other way.

SUNDAY 13th MAY 2018

10.30am All Age Worship and Parade led by Rev Jane Wild

There will be a cake stall after morning worship

4pm SPACE (Circuit Worship) at Fulwood

Choose one of four activities: New Ways of Worship; Play and Pray;
School of Prayer; Youth Zone

STEWARDS: am: Mrs Wendy Bennett, Mrs Mary Jackson
pm: Mr John Ferris

WELCOMERS: am Mr Allan Clarke, Mrs Joyce Clarke
Mr Paul Jackson Mrs Elaine Jackson
pm: Mrs Judith Hughes

CRECHE: Mrs Lyn Fenton, Mrs Sue Burt

FLOWER DISTRIBUTION: Mrs Thelma Williams

TRANSPORT: Mrs Anne Garsed COFFEE: Team 1

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Please ensure that items to go into the
Notices on a Sunday are with
Beryl: berylhoyle@yahoo.co.uk (863357)
and Sue: sue_whiteford@hotmail.com (864478)
by Wednesday afternoon at the latest. Thank you.

ROOM BOOKINGS:

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Church Web Site: www.fulwoodmethodist.org.uk

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this link - <http://tinyurl.com/obayppq> Registered Charity Number: 1133929