FULWOOD METHODIST CHURCH

"Cast your cares on the Lord and he will sustain you; he will never let the righteous fall." Psalm 55 verse 22.



SUNDAY 7TH AUGUST 2022

Welcome to Fulwood Methodist Church. If you are new, we would love to get to know you better. Please speak to the Minister or to one of the Stewards.

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

We welcome Arthur Cunningham and his family, for Arthur's baptism into the Church family.

The flowers today have been donated in memory of Fred and Olive Rowland

We pray this coming week for:

- The ministers and their families who are preparing to move Church
- The children's activities taking place in the school holidays here at Fulwood
- The children, their friends and their families during the summer, that they have fun and enjoy a great time together.
- The young people who are awaiting their exam results.

THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday 8th August

6.30pm. The 2nd Alternative Church Session at the Black Bull on Garstang Road. Contact Wendy Bennett for more information.

Tuesday 9th August

10.00am to 12 noon. Open for coffee and the 'New to You' stall - all welcome **6.00pm** Circuit Prayer (details below)

7.00pm at Church. Book Club meet for coffee/Tea, cake, fun and friendship. When we have a moment, we will think about 'Something New'. Not the title of a book but introducing to each other books which have taken us by surprise. For those who like to be guided in their reading "*Many different kinds of love*" by Michael Rosen and "*Persepolis*" by Marjane Satrapi maybe worth a look. Come along and enjoy yourself.

Wednesday 10th August

10.00am - 1.00pm. Welcome Wednesday 'New to you Stall', coffee and light lunches.

Thursday 11th August 2.30pm - 4.00pm. Knitting Group.

Friday 12th August 10.00am to 12 noon. Open for coffee - all welcome

Sunday 14th August 10.30am. All Together Morning Worship led by Rev Jane Wild

FUTURE DATES

School Holiday Activities at Fulwood in August

Sessions will be held as follows: **Tuesdays** 9th, 16th & 23rd August 1.00pm - 3.00pm Colouring. cake, chat, film and popcorn sessions

Thursdays 11th & 25th August 1.00pm - 3.00pm

Darren is looking for volunteers to help run these sessions. If you can help then please let Darren know. Thank you.

Saturday 13th August 9.30am – 12.00noon. Table Top Sale. To book a table (£10.00) please contact Barbara Hothersall on 716203. Thank you.

Tuesday 16th August 2.00pm-4.00pm. Tuesday at Two

Thursday 18th August 10.30am. Messy Church are meeting up on Beacon Fell near the café for a wander, chat and whatever! We aim to have our picnic lunch back near the café at 12.00noon. All welcome, come when you can.

Tuesdays at 6.00pm. Circuit Prayer Meetings please join us as we pray for the future of the circuit and other things of concern, Tuesdays at 6.00pm. We meet on Zoom for 10 to 15 minutes. All welcome either to join in on Zoom, to pray the themes without coming onto Zoom or simply to use the prayers that week. (see the leaflet sent out with these notices) Special prayer requests 01772715134 or <u>email</u> Jane Wild. For Zoom details and Passcode: email <u>Jane Wild</u>

Temporary Choir needed for Welcome Service at Hesketh Bank Methodist on 2nd September. Rehearsals at Fulwood on 17th and 24th August. See notice for details.

OTHER NOTICES

Library

Please do not bring non-fiction books, we have nowhere to display these books and they do not sell. We only need soft back and hard back fiction and biographies.

Action for Children.

The annual League of Light boxes collection has raised an excellent \pounds 1529.08. Thanks to all who have diligently filled boxes or made a donation. The Action for Sunday envelope collection raised \pounds 128, \pounds 80 of which has been gift aided. Thank you to all who donated.

News from the Salvation Army

The summer months are often a difficult time for foodbanks. Families struggle to have enough food through the school summer holidays and many people who support foodbanks by donations are themselves away on holiday. Claire from the Salvation Army food bank says that, recently, they have had a massive run on giving out food bags – over 900 in June (150 more than previous monthly highest). They need tinned/packeted food (but NOT pasta) and toiletries. 187 new families have been referred by Social Services and their need is desperate. Any help would be greatly appreciated. The yellow box is in the hall if you would like to put items in there. These will be taken down regularly.

Wanted. Items suitable for a Gifts Tombola. If you have any please contact Barbara Hothersall on 716203 OR Diane on 715298. Thank you.

Church Transport. Contact Eric Waterhouse – 863743. The driver today is Andrew Bennett and next Sunday, 14th August will be Andrew Cuckson.

Notices. Please send anything you need included in the notices to <u>Beryl Hoyle</u> and <u>Sue Whiteford</u> by Wednesday morning.

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ZOOM MEETING INFORMATION

When joining the services via Zoom please turn OFF your camera and microphone. If you are phoning in, please put a # at the end of the meeting ID and passcode Click the BLUE links below for access.

MORNING SERVICE Every Sunday 10.30am Passcode: email Jane Wild

LANCASHIRE DISTRICT ZOOM SERVICE Every Sunday 7.00pm Passcode: Click here

Dial by your location. You can dial one of the numbers beside the codes below. You will be asked for the meeting ID and password and can join in from your telephone. Free telephone numbers: 0800 260 5801 0800 031 5717 or 0203 481 5240 0203 901 7895 0131 460 1196 0203 051 2874 0203 481 5237

A 'MONTH OF SUNDAYS' FOR AUGUST CLICK <u>HERE</u>

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Zoom meetings will take place every Tuesday at 6.00pm. Email *Jane Wild* for Zoom login details.

Each week we begin with a Bible reading and a short prayer. Then we have a time of prayer on the themes of the week.

There is an opportunity for topical prayer and we conclude with the Lord's Prayer. All are welcome either to join us on Zoom; to pray the themes with us without coming onto Zoom or simply to use the prayers that week.

If you have a specific prayer request, please let me know on 01722 715134 or email Jane Wild

26th July 1 Chronicles 16 8-12 For Kingsfold, Penwortham and Bamber Bridge

Those who have lost their lives both young and old all precious in your sight and for their loved ones at this time.

Those tending to the ill and those who support their efforts. We think especially of the medical professionals on the front line, doctors, nurses, the emergency services, care workers, and key workers who also play vital roles.

Those in government and authority who face grave and difficult decisions.

Those who are worried for their families, livelihood, jobs and stability in the face of illness and redundancy.

Those whose homes are not safe places.

Those who are the poorest in our world and do not have the medical facilities, infrastructure, and advances to combat this disease.

Those who are supporting others around them to help with practical concerns such as collecting food or medicines or alleviating loneliness.

For the vulnerable and the fearful, for the gravely ill and the dying, that they may know your comfort and peace.

2nd August Central, Christ Church and Trinity Cottam Jeremiah 29 10-14

For those paralysed by fear.

For those tormented by grief.

For those failed by justice.

For those stagnated by apathy.

For those in the grip of despair.

For those seeking courage.

9th August 1 Thessalonians 5 16-18 Fulwood, Hoole and Hope

For the Preston Ribble Circuit.

For the Hesketh Bank Circuit.

For the Lancashire District. For the Church of England. For the URC, the Baptists and other free and independent churches. For Christian unity.

16th August 2 Corinthians 8 1-7

For the work of Christian Aid and Cafod. For Methodists called to serve overseas. For All we Can. For refugees and asylum seekers. For Wesleys and its ministry at Church Road, Freckleton and Kirkham. For those seeking justice through Walking with Micah.

23rd August Philippians 4 6-7

For those whose spirits are troubled.

For those with mental health issues.

For psychiatrists, psychologists, psychiatric nurses.

For those with eating disorders.

For those suffering as a result of addiction.

For befrienders, counsellors and those who listen.

For the pastoral ministry of the church.