



Fulwood Methodist Church Crossroads Centre

Sunday 16th July 2017

10.30am Morning Worship – led by Revd Malcolm Hickox

This is Malcolm's last service with us and will include
Confirmations and Reception into Membership

This will be followed by a buffet lunch

5.00pm Circuit Farewell Service at Fulwood

Guest Preacher: Revd Ken Howcroft, former President of Conference

This will be our final opportunity to share with Malcolm and Christine.

Please try and join others from the Circuit,
local community as well as family and friends

STEWARDS: am: Mrs Margaret Squire, Mrs Chris Oldham
pm: Mrs Wendy Bennett

WELCOMERS: am: Mrs M Crossley, Mrs J Harvey
Mr S Marshall, Mrs E Ridout
pm: Mr A Barker and Stewards

CRECHE: Mrs J Rae, Mrs M Black

FLOWER DISTRIBUTION: Mrs M Squire

TRANSPORT: Mrs A Garsed COFFEE: 6

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

Proverbs 3 v 3-5

Trust in the Lord with all your heart
and lean not on your own understanding;
In all your ways acknowledge him
and he will make your paths straight.

We thank you Lord for your unfailing love
and your presence in every part of our lives. Amen

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.

As Malcolm and Christine leave us today for their retirement in Northumberland we want to thank them both for their ministry here at Fulwood Methodist Church over the past 5 years. We wish them well and uphold them with our love and prayers as they begin a new chapter of their lives in their new home and surroundings. God bless you both!

Pastoral Ministry for July & August

The Circuit Ministry Team have considered the cover required during July and August following Malcolm's retirement and as other Ministers take summer holidays:

Week beginning July 17th Pastoral Emergency and contact

Revd Sue Griffiths (01772 774285) (0796 189 7445)

DIARY FOR THE COMING WEEK

Tuesday 18th July

9.45pm to 12noon Willow Grove open for refreshments

12.00 noon Women's Fellowship Outing to Fleetwood. The minibus will leave the Church car park at 12 noon. There are 3 places still available. Contact Mary Fox (862846) for details.

7.00pm Book Club - This will be a relaxed meeting at Church with no particular book this time, but come along and tell us about a book you have recently enjoyed. We want some ideas for holiday reading! Everyone welcome.

Wednesday 19th July

10.00am to 1.00pm Welcome Wednesday

Coffee, light lunches and 'New to You' Stall

10.30am Prayers and Holy Communion led by Revd Andrew Webb

7.30pm to 8.30pm Rehearsal for Circuit Singers (see note below)

Friday 21st July

9.30am to 11.30am Toddler Club

Saturday 22nd July

9.00am to 1.00pm Farmers Market and Fairtrade - Come and stock up on fresh local produce and Fairtrade products, and enjoy a chat over a drink and a snack. A warm welcome for all.

11.15am - Theatre Visit Consultative Group. The Church Council has formed a theatre visit consultative group to review the overall programme and arrangements. The membership of the group appears on the theatre visit notice board. Please let Sharon know if there is any view you would like to express or any point/suggestion you would wish to have discussed.

LOOKING FORWAARD

Calling singers from the Circuit to prepare for the Welcome Service on

September 1st - Help give a great welcome to Jane Wild and Darren Arnold

Three rehearsals have been arranged on July 19th, July 26th, August 30th 7.30 to 8.30pm. Please register your interest to Ian Williams Tel 257628 or email iancharleswilliams@outlook.com

21st July 7pm for 7.30pm Ladies' Evening' - St Martin's Parish Hall in aid of Methodist Action's Fox Street Hostel. 'Fashion Show and Sale'

Tickets £5 from Mavis Fletcher or Sarah Carrick (07749 576296)

Table Top Sale Saturday August 5th from 9.30am to 12.30pm. To book a table (£10 per table) please contact Barbara (Tel no. 716203).

Saturday 9th September - Churches Together Pilgrimage to Liverpool Anglican Cathedral, with time to explore the city, docks and museums. Details and booking forms on the noticeboard in the Willow Grove.

Lytham Road Clinic Car Park - Please be aware that the barrier is now open only between 9.45am and 12.30pm on Sunday morning.

Table Tennis Players Wanted - the church has a team in Div 2 of the Preston Table Tennis League, playing weekly from Sept to April with 3 players required per match. We are looking for 2 more players of a reasonable standard to join the squad. If you would like to join us, please contact Alan Smith on 07843 406021.

Can you help with gifts for those in acute need - Menstrual sanitary care products and dark chocolate for homeless women and women in desperate situations are needed. Put donations in the labelled 'Pink Bucket'

London District Grenfell Tower Fire Victims' Appeal - many thanks to all who contributed to the collection, a magnificent £245.66 was raised. With an additional donation from the Benevolence Fund £300 was sent to the Appeal Fund.

Part-time Cleaner/Caretaker required for Fulwood Methodist Church - Sadly, our cleaner, Richard McClay, will be leaving us on 4th August and moving away from the area. Richard has been a very willing and helpful member of our team over the last seven years and we shall miss him. We are therefore seeking to find a new Cleaner/Caretaker for 16/17 hours per week: 12/13 hours flexible working Mon - Sat (before 10.00 a.m.) at Fulwood Methodist Church Crossroad Centre & 3 hours spread between Monday and Friday at Fulwood United Reformed Church. Application Form & Job Description from: the Church Website or from Martin Burt on 700938. Closing date: 26th July; Interviews 7th Aug. Please pass on the information to anyone who might be interested. If you are able to offer any additional help with the cleaning before the new appointment is made please speak to Sue Penrith or Ray Armstrong.

Sunday 23rd July 2017

10.30am Morning Worship led by Mrs Carol Rose

**6.00pm Evening Worship at Ashton Methodist Church
Led by Revd Sue Griffiths**

STEWARDS: am: Mrs Anne Garsed, Mr Graham Johnson

WELCOMERS: am: Mr Mrs A Clarke
Mr Mrs P Jackson

CRECHE: Mrs J Myatt, Mrs S Burt

FLOWER DISTRIBUTION: Mrs T Williams

TRANSPORT: Mr J Butterworth COFFEE: 7

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ROOM BOOKINGS: The Bookings Secretary is Barry Crossley. Tel: 716973
or email: barrycrossregent42@yahoo.co.uk

PRAYER CHAIN: 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

PRAYER BOOK: There is a prayer book on the table in the prayer corner of the church for
anyone to write in 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.

Minister: For pastoral emergencies see the name inside the notices
of the member of Circuit Staff providing cover over the summer

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Church Web Site: www.fulwoodmethodist.org.uk

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by following this link - <http://tinyurl.com/obayppq>:



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Items for the notices to

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