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SUNDAY 17th MARCH

10.30am Morning Worship

Led by Miss Rebecca Ainsworth

*The flowers today have been donated in memory of
Mr and Mrs Lambert, from the family*

6.30pm Café Style Worship led by Mr John North

Dear God,

I am made of dust, yet you have poured out a whole universe of love upon me. Thank you for this love, for the gift of life, and for all your creation. Help me to be humble enough to know I have earned nothing, while also seeing that you have given me everything.

Amen.

STEWARDS: am: Mrs Margaret Squire, Mrs Mary Jackson,
pm: Mr John Ferris

WELCOMERS: am: Mrs Joan Smith, Mrs Melba Southwood
Mrs Margaret Squire, Mr Eric Waterhouse
pm: Miss Pam Wright

CRECHE: Mrs Zerry Harrison, Mrs Jayne Myatt

FLOWER DISTRIBUTION: Mrs Muriel Crossley

TRANSPORT: Mr Andrew Bennett COFFEE: Team 5

Lenten Reflection

The call that Jesus issues is phrased simply, 'Follow me' and is one to radical discipleship. The leaving of the past and turning to the future is represented as absolute and complete. The story focuses on the calling of individuals and the nature of their response.

What is God calling you to do? What are you willing to risk?

God of love, whose hands we see in Jesus,
we offer our hands to you and all who we touch,
that your compassion may be known through us,
bringing wholeness, healing, peace and love. Amen

DIARY FOR THE COMING WEEK

Monday 18th March

9.00am to 6.00pm, Music Exams in Sycamore and Copper Beech Rooms.

7.15 for 7.30pm, Lent Series at Central Methodist Church.

Session 2 Becoming Fully Alive – Opening the Wells – Bishop Jill (Lancaster)

Tuesday 19th March

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

10.00am for 10.30am, AM Club - Speaker Mrs Sue Hogarth,
'From Vancouver to the Rockies'

2.15pm, Women's Fellowship - Speaker Mrs Pat Ascroft, 'Further Adventures'.

5.00pm-7.00pm, 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.

Wednesday 20th March

9.00am to 6.00pm, Music Exams in Sycamore and Copper Beech Rooms.

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

10.30am, Holy Communion led by Rev Mark Slaney.

7.00pm, The Community Choir will meet in the Cedar Room.

Thursday 21st March

9.00am to 6.00pm, Music Exams in Sycamore and Copper Beech Rooms.

12noon, Soup lunch provided by the L'Arche Community. All welcome.

8.01pm, Ladies After Eight – 'Margaret Squire travels the Silk Road'.

Friday 22nd March

9.30am to 11.30am, Toddlers Group.

Saturday 23rd March

9.30am – 1.00pm, Fulwood Farmers' Market with 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.

LOOKING FORWARD

Wednesday, March 27th, 10.00am to 4.00pm Lancashire District Day for Methodist Women in Britain at Hesketh Bank Methodist Church. See poster.

Saturday March 30th, 1.00pm to 5.00pm, Arts and Crafternoon.

Stalls, demos, activities, tombola and Afternoon Teas. Free Admission. For more information phone 717415 or 718800.

Lent series 2019 - Theme "Becoming Fully Alive". At Central Methodist Church

Monday 25th March: Fully Alive – the Importance of Breathing – **Rev Mark Slaney**

Monday 1st April: Fully Alive – the Space Between – **Rev Mark Bradford**

Monday 8th April: How well do you know the Wilderness? – **Bishop Paul Swarbrick.**

17th April, Service at Sherwood Lodge 2.00pm; Sherwood Court 3.00pm.

Easter Family Activities

Tuesday, 16th April, Thursday, 18th April, 10.00am to 12noon, Crafts and refreshments.

Saturday 20th April, 10am to 12noon Easter Baking.

Please sign the list in the Willow Grove if you are interested. Please see Darren if you are able to help. Thank you.

Music Exams Monday to Thursday March 25th to March 28th

Change of Email Address- Please note the our minister Rev Jane Wild has changed her email address to *jane.wild@methodist.org.uk*

Easter Magazine - Due to holiday commitments, please can ALL items be sent to Roy Smith (*rdkdancer@gmail.com*) or (*fmcmmagazine@yahoo.co.uk*) by **TODAY**.

Action for Children (NCH) - League of Light boxes are now due for emptying. Please hand your lantern to Pauline Kirkham on a Sunday morning.

Magnet Magazine

The Spring issue is now available and the annual subscription of £13 is due. If you are interested in looking at and possibly subscribing to this interesting, informative and thought provoking Magazine, please contact Melba Southwood (Tel. 861287)

Offering Envelopes

The new envelopes start on Sunday 6th April and are available for collection today from the table in the Willow Grove/Oak Hall area. Anyone wishing to start using envelopes should contact Eric Waterhouse (tel. 01772 863743).

Godly Play Bus, The District are looking for volunteers to drive this new Godly Play Bus. Please see details on the notice board. For further information contact Dc. Ellen Monk-Winstanley (tel. 01772 456080)

The Salvation Army Community Food Bank, Thanks to all who recently provided food and toiletries at a time of urgent need. However donations of food items and toiletries are always required.

Notices by Email If you wish to receive these notices by email, please email Jane Wild at *jane.wild@methodist.org.uk*.

SUNDAY 24th MARCH

9.00am Holy Communion led by Rev. Jane Wild

10.30am Morning Worship led by Miss Ruth Dowson

6.30pm Celtic Communion led by Rev. Jane Wild

STEWARDS: am: Miss Verity Wild, Mrs Janet Grice

pm: Mrs Barbara Peake

WELCOMERS: am: Mr Peter Aikman, Mrs Libby Stone

Mr Ron Whiteford, Mr Ken Wiggins

pm: Mrs Judith Harvey

CRECHE: Mrs Sue Salisbury, Mrs Carly Miller, Mrs Aimee Bailey

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Please ensure that items to go into the Notices on a Sunday are with

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by Wednesday afternoon at the latest. Thank you.

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Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/2wsroad>

Don't forget to do your on-line shopping at easy fundraising by following this link -

<http://tinyurl.com/obayppq>.

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