



# FULWOOD METHODIST CHURCH

*"Look at the birds of the air; they do not sow or reap or store away in barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not much more valuable than they?" Matthew 6 verse 26.*

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***Welcome to Fulwood Methodist Church.***

***We extend a very warm welcome to all who worship with us and invite you to join us for tea or coffee after the service.***

***If you are new, we would love to get to know you better.***

***Please speak to the Minister or to one of the Stewards.***

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## SUNDAY 20<sup>th</sup> JULY 2025

**10.30am. Morning Worship led by Mrs Zoe Ainsworth. Also on Zoom.**

*(Crèche facilities are open at the back of Church)*

### PRAYER

*Loving Father, I am sorry for my lack of faith in your promises. Help me to rest in Your love, knowing that You will provide for all my needs according to Your riches in glory. In Jesus' name I pray, Amen.*

### THE WEEK AHEAD

**Monday 21<sup>st</sup> July.**

**6.30pm.** Alternative Church Please join us at the Black Bull pub for food or just a drink, to share in fellowship and topical conversation led by Jane. If you would like to know more, please contact Wendy Bennett.

**Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July.**

**10.00am to 12noon.** Open for coffee and 'New to You' Stall.

**Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July.**

**10.00am – 12.30pm.** 'Welcome Wednesday'. Open for drinks, soup, bacon butties, scones and 'New to You Stall'.

**10.30am.** Holy Communion led by Revd. Jane Wild.

**Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> July.**

**2.00pm to 4.00pm.** The Knitting Group will continue to meet each week during the summer even on 7<sup>th</sup> August when the floor is being oiled. That day we will meet at St Clare's Church Hall on Sharoe Green Lane at the usual time.

**Friday 25<sup>th</sup> July.**

**9.30am – 11.30am.** Coffee Morning for Mums and children. We will be closed on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> August. Toddlers Club will recommence on 5<sup>th</sup> September.

**Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> July.**

**9.30am – 1.00pm.** Farmers Market. Come and have a browse, stock up on fresh local produce and fairly traded products. Find a bargain on the "New to You" stalls and stay for a drink or snack. Bring a friend or neighbour.

**Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> July. 10.30am. Altogether Worship led by Mrs Carolyn Hothersall.**

**Also on Zoom.**

## FUTURE DATES

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> August. 4.00pm - 7.00pm.** 'Come and Share'. We are planning a craft sharing space for all our Church family (school year 6 and below need to be accompanied by an adult). We already have people who can demonstrate and help with Knitting, Cross-stitch, Crochet, Wet Felting and Flower arranging. Can you offer anything different? If you would be willing to share a skill or give a demonstration, please contact Delma on 709181 **or [email](#)** her.

**Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> October – Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> October.** "3Generate" is the annual children's and youth assembly of the Methodist Church in Britain. Bookings for 2025 are now open. Contact Darren or see poster for details.

## OTHER NOTICES

**Church Transport.** If you wish to use the minibus on a Sunday morning, please contact Eric Waterhouse 863743. The driver today is Emma Byers and next week, 27<sup>th</sup> July, it will be Andrew Cuckson.

**Action For Children.** It is now time to empty the boxes so could you please give them to Margaret Holmes as soon as possible. Many thanks.

**Christian Aid Week Envelope Collection.** Many thanks to all who delivered envelopes and to all who donated. Three Fulwood Churches together raised £1,284.28 and well over half of this amount was gift-aided, adding considerably extra value. Of this Fulwood Methodist accounted for £700 (before gift aid). The collection on Preston station also raised a further £340.72.

**Willow Grove and Hall Floor Maintenance.** Maintenance of the above floors will take place after the coffee morning on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> August, from 12 noon. The building will then be closed until the morning of Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> August. No Welcome Wednesday on 6<sup>th</sup> August. Thank you for your patience.

**The Salvation Army Food Bank** are always grateful for any donations of dried/tinned foods or toiletries, and these can be left in the yellow box in the Hall.

### **Did you know that Fulwood Methodist Church has a prayer chain?**

Did you know that there are several people who have volunteered to pray for you and your concerns, either by name or anonymously? All prayers, names and situations are held in confidence. If you would like us to pray for you, please contact **[Sue Whiteford](#)** or 01772 864478.

**Notices.** Please send anything you need included in the notices to **[Sue Whiteford](#)** by Wednesday lunchtime.

**Room Bookings.** If you wish to book a room at Church, or you want to know which rooms are available on a certain date, please contact Angela Dunnet by email, **[administrator@fulwoodmethodist.org.uk](mailto:administrator@fulwoodmethodist.org.uk)**. This avoids any double booking of rooms and helps with invoicing and booking information which Angela has to send out to all those who use our building.

## EVENTS AROUND THE CIRCUIT

**Second Monday of every month. 7.00pm – 8.30pm.**  
Bereavement Support Space at The Black Bull, Garstang Road.

**First Thursday of each month. 1.00pm – 2.30pm AND 7.00pm – 8.30pm.**  
Bereavement Café at Trinity Methodist Church, Gregson Lane, PR5 OED.

### **ACTIVITIES FOR CHILDREN IN THE SUMMER HOLIDAYS**

**Pop in & Play & Craft at Bamber Bridge** on Wednesdays, 23<sup>rd</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> July, 6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> August – 9.30am – 11.30am. All children to be accompanied by an adult.

**Holiday Bible Club at West Preston Methodist Church. 5<sup>th</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> August.**  
Morning sessions for children aged 5 – 11 and afternoon sessions for children aged 11 – 16. See notice for further details.

**Exploring the Parables:** Craft and Bake Sessions, free to attend but donations welcome to cover costs. Places limited so contact Darren for more information or to book a place, [darrenarnold.church@gmail.com](mailto:darrenarnold.church@gmail.com)

- **At Fulwood:** 22<sup>nd</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> July, 12<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> August – 2.00pm – 4.00pm.
- **At Kingsfold:** 24<sup>th</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup> July, 7<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> August – 10.00am – 12noon.
- **At Hope:** 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> August- 11.00am – 1.00pm. Lunch included.

*See Posters for full details of these activities.*

## UNIFORMED ORGANISATIONS

The Uniformed Organisations meet at Church as shown below. Parents will be notified when each organisation has a break during a school holiday.

### **Mondays:**

4.45pm - 5.45pm. Squirrels.  
5.00pm - 7.00pm. Beavers.  
7.00pm - 8.15pm. Cubs.

### **Tuesdays:**

7.00pm – 9.00pm. Scouts.

### **Thursdays:**

6.00pm – 7.00pm. Rainbows.  
6.15pm - 7.30pm. Brownies.  
7.30pm - 9.00pm. Guides.  
8.00pm - 9.30pm. Rangers

## ZOOM MEETING INFORMATION

When joining service via zoom please turn OFF your camera and microphone. If you are phoning in, put a # at the end of the meeting ID and passcode

10.30am. Sunday Service.

[us02web.zoom.us/j/8626480567](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8626480567)

Meeting ID: 862 648 0567

Passcode 0987

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