



FULWOOD METHODIST CHURCH

*"So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen.
For what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal."
2 Corinthians 4 verse 18.*

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.

SUNDAY 24TH AUGUST 2025

10.30am. Altogether Worship led by Revd. Mike Grimsley. Also on Zoom.

(Crèche facilities are open at the back of Church)

PRAYER

Heavenly Father, we often get caught up in the daily things of life and lose sight of your wonder and grace that surrounds us. Please give us the strength and wisdom to keep our eyes fixed on the eternal things that truly matter. Help us to trust in your plan and to have faith in the unseen. This we ask in Jesus' name, Amen.

THE WEEK AHEAD

Tuesday 26th August.

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

Wednesday 27th August.

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

Thursday 28th August.

2.00pm to 4.00pm. Knitting Group. Everyone welcome.

Friday 29th August.

9.30am – 11.30am. Coffee Morning for Mums and children. Toddlers Club will recommence on 5th September.

Sunday 31st August.

10.30am. Altogether Worship led by Revd Jane Wild. Also on Zoom.

FUTURE DATES

Monday 8th September. 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.

Friday 3rd October – Sunday 5th 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 Magazine. After a successful 26 years as editor, Roy Smith is retiring from the Church magazine. Our sincere thanks go to him for all his hard work. There will be a short meeting after Church on Sunday 31st August to discuss the future of the magazine. If you have an opinion to share, please attend or get in touch with Sonia by 30th August, with your thoughts soniaphillips12@yahoo.co.uk.

If you are registered as a key/access number for the Church premises, please contact Dave Topping --text on 07419 982058 or email [Dave Topping](mailto:Dave.Topping). The access code will change on 1st September at the request of the Insurance company.

At the Circuit Service on Sunday 7th September at Fulwood we would like to include a slideshow of pictures of good things happening across the Churches. If you have any photos of events, cafe spaces, special events please email them to [Denise Johnson](mailto:Denise.Johnson) as soon as you can, or WhatsApp them on 07719200451. Thanks everyone

Church Notice Board Quiz. A quiz has been prepared based upon the information on the new Church Notice Board - the one opposite the toilets by the Cedar Room. Copies of the quiz are available in the Willow Grove and on the Board itself. Please answer the questions and put your answers in the Suggestion Box. Fairtrade chocolate is to be won!

Church Transport. If you wish to use the minibus on a Sunday morning, please contact Eric Waterhouse 863743. The driver this week is John Ferris and next week, 31st August, it will be Andrew Cuckson.

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](mailto:Sue.Whiteford) or 01772 864478.

Notices. Please send anything you need included in the notices to [Sue Whiteford](mailto: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.

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.

Pastoral Awareness Sessions will be run at Bamber Bridge Methodist Church on 6th, 13th, 20th & 27th September, 10.30am – 12.30pm. Please contact Denise Johnson to reserve your place on 07719200451 or djpastoral@outlook.com. See poster in church for details.

ACTIVITY FOR CHILDREN IN THE SUMMER HOLIDAYS

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

- **At Hope:** 26th August- 11.00am – 1.00pm. Lunch included.

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.

5pm - 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

Meeting ID: 862 648 0567

Passcode email [Jane Wild](mailto:jane.wild@methodist.org.uk)

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