

WELCOME TO MENSTON METHODIST CHURCH

Loving God and loving our neighbours

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THIS WEEK

Our services are at 10.30am unless otherwise notified.

Refreshments are served in the main hall after the service

(also before the service on Café Church Sundays – 1st Sunday of the month)

Sunday 9 August

Service prepared by

Rev Tim Perkins

Monday 10 August

Table Tennis 10am

Tuesday 11 August

Prayer Group 9.45am

Sunday 16 August

Viv Pitts

Service in the main hall

PREACHING PLAN SEPTEMBER TO NOVEMBER

Copies of the new preaching plan from September to November
are in the church foyer.

CHURCH LEADERSHIP TEAM

If you haven't received a copy of the communication and letter from the Church Leadership Team, additional copies are available in the church foyer.

SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION AT THE BEECHES

On **Thursday 20 August at 2pm** Rev Cameron Stirk will be leading a Service of Holy Communion at Abbeyfield, The Beeches for Methodist residents (and anyone else). Please feel free to join in this service.

NORWOOD METHODIST CHURCH 100th ANNIVERSARY

Norwood Methodist Church are celebrating their 100th Anniversary on

Sunday 23 August at 2.30pm when Rev Tim Perkins will be preaching.

Light refreshments will be available afterwards.

They hope that lots of people from around the Circuit will come for that special service an act of thanksgiving and celebration.

CARING FOR LIFE

We were delighted to welcome Tim Parkinson from Caring for Life last Sunday and to hear his moving, emotional and encouraging story of Crag House Farm and Caring for Life. If you wish to donate to the work of Caring for Life please see Ken Brown.

TUESDAY MORNING PRAYER GROUP

The Tuesday morning Prayer Group will now be meeting at 9.45am on Tuesday mornings in Room 1. Anyone is welcome to join this small group as they pray for people we care for, as well as local, national & international situations.

SCOUT & GUIDE HUT APPEAL

The money donated during June and July amounts to £66.40.

Thank you for your continuing support.

SUNDAY MORNING COFFEE ROTA

There is a new rote on the noticeboard in the corridor for September to November. Please sign up if you are able to help.

ORGAN MUSIC RECITALS

Michael Pratt's lunchtime organ music recitals will take place on

Friday 9 October, Friday 13 November and Friday 11 December at 1pm.

Free entry with retiring collection.

CONNECT GROUPS

Will next meet at follows:

Monday Group: 14 September at 7pm

Tuesday Group: 8 September at 2.15pm

Both groups are led by Rev Cameron

BREATHE

The next Breathe will be on **Wednesday 19 August at 7pm** (note earlier time) in Cornerstone. A light BBQ will be served. Time to reflect on the year, share stories, hear music and think about future plans. Do come along – and feel free to bring anyone who might be interested in experiencing Breathe.

MEMORY CAFÉ

For those with memory loss, together with a family member, carer or friend, are welcome to the Memory Café in Cornerstone o

Wednesday 2 September from 10am to 12 noon.

Refreshments, activities and support available.

Drop in any time during the morning.

MESSY CHURCH AT POOL

Join our friends at Pool Methodist Church on **Tuesday 1 September at 3.30pm** for Messy Church for families. Lots of crafts, refreshments and celebration time. Come and make new friends. No charge but donations would be welcomed.

FRIDAY FRIENDSHIP GROUP

For the time being the Group will meet monthly on the 3rd Friday and will resume after the summer break on **Friday 18 September, Friday 23 October and Friday 20 November at 2pm.**

The first meeting will be a social afternoon with an opportunity to discuss the planning of future meetings over a cuppa. Donation of £3 towards expenses.

WEDNESDAY GROUP

The monthly Wednesday Group for ladies will resume on **Wednesday 2 September at 2pm** in Cornerstone. The Group meets monthly on the first Wednesday of the month.

VIVACE

Vivace Youth Choir (aged 8+) meets at church on **Thursdays at 6.15pm to 7.30pm** during term time.

FRIDAY CLUB

The next Friday Club for 7 to 13 year olds will be **Friday 25 September from 6pm to 7.30pm.** £1 per child.

FRIDAY LIVE

Friday Live for 13 to 17 year olds will next meet on **Friday 25 September from 7.30pm to 9pm.**

CORNERSTONE OPENING HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9.30am to 1.30pm

Saturday 9.30am to 12 noon

(Closed Wednesday & Sunday)

If you are planning coming to Cornerstone with a group of 8 or more, please contact Cornerstone in advance to check there will be space and sufficient volunteers available on the day.

SCHOOLS OUT IN CORNERSTONE

Fridays 3pm to 4.30pm will resume in September.



Items for inclusion in the Church weekly notices and email should be given to Jalna (07814 518778) or emailed to: menstonmethodist@btconnect.com by Thursday morning.