



# CHURCH ROAD METHODIST CHURCH

*Making Disciples - Transforming Lives & Communities*

**SUNDAY 13 JANUARY 2019**

WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP TODAY

If you are new to the area or visiting us for the first time, please make yourself known to one of our Stewards so that we can welcome you personally.

10.30 a.m. MORNING WORSHIP led by Revd Paul Davis  
Chair of the Lancashire District and Superintendent

*Organist: Brian Grimes*

*Door Stewards: Team 1*

*Coffee Rota: Reta & Keith Hall*

7.00 p.m. FRESH Expressions at Fairhaven Methodist Church  
led by the Fresh Team  
*Refreshments from 6.30 p.m.*

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## **NEXT SUNDAY – 20 JANUARY 2019**

10.30 a.m. ALL AGE WORSHIP led by Mr Andrew Barratt

*Music: Church Road Music Group*

*Door Stewards: Team 2*

*Coffee Rota: Valerie Ball & Colin Hird*

7.00 p.m. FRESH Expressions at Fairhaven Methodist Church  
led by Revd Sylvester Deigh  
*Refreshments from 6.30 p.m.*

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## **PRAYER**

*Every moment, every day,  
may our lives be lived in the presence of the living God.  
May all that we are and all that we do  
be an offering of prayer and praise.  
May we see the world more clearly  
and learn to love more dearly  
through the prayers we offer to the living God. Amen.*

If you would like someone to pray with you, please speak with one of the Stewards.  
A box for your prayer requests can be found at the rear of the Church.

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## **THIS WEEK**

### **WEDNESDAY 16 JANUARY**

**LADIES' FELLOWSHIP** at 2.15 p.m. Today the speaker is Brenda Warburton and the subject of her talk is the RNLI, Blackpool. All ladies welcome.

### **THURSDAY 17 JANUARY**

**WORSHIP ON THURSDAY** Starting each time with tea and coffee at 11 a.m. There will be four studies exploring Mission, reflecting our experiences, our faith, our church and future opportunities on Thursdays 17 and 31 January, 7 and 21 February.

A weekly Lent Course will follow on, taking us up to Easter. More information next month.

## **NEXT WEEK**

### **'CHURCHES TOGETHER' SERVICE**

Please join us at St Anne's Parish Church at 7.30 p.m. on Tuesday 22 January to celebrate the week of prayer for Christian Unity. This is an opportunity to worship with local believers from other denominations.

### **HOME GROUPS**

Several people have expressed an interest in joining a small group for bible study, prayer and fellowship. You are invited to a 'launch' evening on Wednesday 23 January. Please speak to Janette Farley (Tel. 07958 100041) for more information, as numbers may need to be limited.

## **OTHER NOTICES**

### **FUNDRAISING BOXES**

#### **COLLECTIONS ON SUNDAYS 27 JANUARY AND 3 FEBRUARY**

The next collection of our fundraising boxes will be on Sunday, 27 January, and again on the following Sunday. Please return your boxes to church on one of these occasions and write your name clearly on the BACK of the box. After counting, the boxes will be returned to you.

If you do not have a box and would like one to support us in this way with occasional donations, please email the church office or speak to Stuart Wrigley.

**Thank you for your continuing support for our fundraising.**

### **CONGRATULATIONS TO CHURCH ROAD BROWNIES!**

Church Road Brownies celebrated their **90<sup>th</sup> birthday** last week. They are one of the oldest groups in the area (if not the country!), so the girls and their leader, Marie Hawkins, are very proud to be keeping the pack going, especially when Church Road Rainbows and Guides have both closed. We send them our warmest congratulations on this achievement.

# DIARY FOR THIS WEEK

All activities take place in the Church unless stated otherwise.

## MONDAY 14 January

7.30 p.m. Movement to Music

## TUESDAY 15 January

9.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. Bumblebees  
6.00 p.m. Brownies for girls aged 7-10

## WEDNESDAY 16 January

9.45 a.m. Movement to Music  
2.15 p.m. Ladies' Fellowship

## THURSDAY 17 January

11.00 a.m. Worship on Thursday

## FRIDAY 18 January

6.00 p.m. Friday Fun Club for boys and girls aged 6-11

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Thank you for your continuing support for our ministry and mission.  
Our offering last week amounted to £1 116.30

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