



CHURCH ROAD METHODIST CHURCH

Making Disciples - Transforming Lives & Communities

SUNDAY 24 SEPTEMBER 2017

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 Joan Edwell

Door Stewards: Team 5

Coffee Rota: Sheila Whitley & Denise Wilson

7.00 p.m. FRESH Expressions at Fairhaven Methodist Church
led by Revd Dr Adrian Burdon

Refreshments from 6.30 p.m.

NEXT SUNDAY – 1 OCTOBER 2017

9.15 a.m. Activ8 Café Style Worship led by Mr David Turner

10.30 a.m. MORNING WORSHIP led by Revd Stephen N Heath

Door Stewards: Team 6

Coffee Rota: Sheila Johnson, Shirley Grundon

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

Merciful God, hear our cry for your mercy in the wake of the disasters in the Caribbean, Mexico and America. Lord God, where hearts are fearful and constricted, grant courage and hope. Where anxiety is infectious and widening, grant imagination and resistance. Where distrust twists thinking, grant healing and illumination. Where spirits are daunted and weakened, grant soaring wings and strengthened dreams. All these things we ask in the name of Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord. Amen.

You are invited to come to the Prayer Chapel after morning service. If you would like a member of the prayer team to pray with you, please see one of the Stewards. A basket for your prayer requests can be found both in the prayer chapel and at the rear of the Church.

TODAY

TRAI DCRAFT

The Traidcraft stall will be at the back of the church after today's service. The Traidcraft Christmas catalogue is available and can be picked up from the stall.

THIS WEEK

SATURDAY 30 SEPTEMBER – COFFEE MORNING There will be a coffee morning in aid of Sierra Leone at Fairhaven Methodist Church from 10.15 a.m. to 12 noon. Entrance £1.50. Tea, coffee, biscuits; book stall; cake stall; £1 prize for all; bring and buy and a raffle.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

WEDNESDAY 4 OCTOBER - LADIES' FELLOWSHIP The new session starts at 2.15 p.m. when the St Anne's Community Choir will entertain us. Following this there will be refreshments. All ladies welcome.

THURSDAY 5 OCTOBER – WORSHIP ON THURSDAYS will recommence at 11.00 a.m. A programme for the Autumn season will be published shortly.

SATURDAY 7 OCTOBER – MHA COFFEE MORNING

At **Freckleton Methodist** Church from 10.00 a.m., continuing the 60th Anniversary Celebrations for Starr Hills.

Due to an error by the printer (me) some of the tickets have Church Road as the venue for this coffee morning. It is definitely at Freckleton Methodist Church, sorry for any confusion. Jenny Breare

SATURDAY 28 OCTOBER – FUND RAISING CONCERT

Lytham Community Choir are to present a concert in church on Saturday 28th October 2017 at 7.30 p.m. Tickets are £6 which includes tea, coffee, juice and will be available from 1st October 2017 from Caroline Livesey. Proceeds for the Church Development Fund.

GENERAL NOTICES

THANK YOU

On behalf of my family and myself, I would like to thank all our friends at Church Road for their cards, flowers, loving support and prayers over the past few weeks. Special thanks to Stephen and Terry and all who helped to make Donald's farewell service so memorable. *God Bless, from Jean Foulkes*

THANK YOU

Marion and Michael Allanson would like to thank everyone for the flowers and their kind wishes on the occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary.

Kind Regards, Michael and Marion Allanson

DIARY FOR THIS WEEK

All activities take place in the Church Centre unless stated otherwise.

MONDAY 25 September

7.30 p.m. Movement to Music
7.30 p.m. St Annes Musical Productions

TUESDAY 26 September

9.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. Bumblebees
11.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. Food Bank
12 noon to 2.00 p.m. Wesley's Café
6.00 p.m. Brownies for girls aged 7-10
6.15 p.m. Rainbows for girls aged 5-7

WEDNESDAY 27 September

9.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. Digital Café
9.45 a.m. Movement to Music
11.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. Wesley's Café
3.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Ladies' Fellowship meet at Ashton Gardens' Café

THURSDAY 28 September

11.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. Food Bank
12 noon to 2.00 p.m. Wesley's Café
7.30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

FRIDAY 29 September

6.00 p.m. Friday Fun Club for boys and girls aged 6-11
7.00 p.m. for 7.15 p.m. Film night at Freckleton M.C.
7.30 p.m. The Hub for young people aged 11-15

SATURDAY 30 September

10.00 a.m. Acting School

Our offering last week amounted to £1,104.80

Thank you for your continuing support for our ministry and mission.



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