

Welcome!

<p>Are you new to our Church or just visiting? Please make yourself known to a Steward. After Morning Worship please stay for refreshments in Century Hall, through the door behind the pulpit</p>	<p>Sunday 8 July 2018</p>	
<p>We do not take collections during services. If you wish to make a gift, please use the collecting boxes which are at various points around the Church.</p>	<p style="text-align: right; color: red; font-size: 2em;">9:15</p> <p>9.15am Worship for everyone in Century Hall followed by drinks & breakfast pastries</p>	
<p>Large print Hymnbooks & Notices are available; there is also a hearing loop.</p>	<p>10.30am Worship including Holy Communion led by Rev Tim Morris & Steve Haines</p>	
<p>Prayer after Worship If you would like someone to pray with you or for you after the service, please see the steward on duty. Please do ask them.</p>	<p>10.30am Powersource – ‘Film & Fun’ in Century Hall</p> <p>6.30pm Worship led by Diana Whitmill</p> <p>6.30pm Mustard meet in The Cornerstone</p>	
<p><i>The week ahead...</i></p>		<p>Sunday 15 July 2018</p>
<p>Monday 9 July 2-4pm Craft & Chat in <i>The Cornerstone</i> 7.30pm Housegroup at <i>Helen & Tony’s 343910</i></p>	<p>9am JMA breakfast in <i>The Cornerstone</i></p>	
<p>Tuesday 10 July 9-11am kids@cornerstone in <i>The Cornerstone</i> 10am Housegroup at <i>Alma’s 343751</i> 6.15pm Minister’s Vestry Hour</p>	<p>10.30am Powersource Service (see over) Bible passage: Ephesians 1:3-14</p>	
<p>Wednesday 11 July 9.30am Walk & Talk meet at <i>Chris & John’s 345280</i> 9.30am Amble & Ramble – contact <i>John 342859</i> 7.00 pm MWiB AGM and Supper (see over)</p>	<p>6.30pm Praise! Café style worship in <i>Century Hall</i></p> <p>6.30pm Mustard - will join Praise!</p>	
<p>Thursday 12 July 9.30am Time for Prayer in <i>the Vestry</i> 10am-3pm The Cornerstone Coffee Shop 7.30pm Housegroup at <i>Tim & Becky’s 343494</i> 7.00 pm Patna Partnership Celebration (see over)</p>	<p>Prayer Topic for the Week</p>	
<p>Friday 13 July 10am-3pm The Cornerstone Coffee Shop 7.30pm Housegroup at <i>Nick & Claire’s 07764988479</i></p>	<p>We pray for our visitors from Patna, The Church of North India. We pray that they will travel well & receive from us a warm welcome as we show God’s love to them “Brother, Sister, let me serve you.”</p>	
<p>Saturday 14 July 10am-4pm The Cornerstone Coffee Shop</p>		
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Thanks

Tony & Helen Walker thank you for the cards & messages of congratulation on Tony's recent investiture at Buckingham Palace. It was a very special day!

Thanks to those who offered to be occasional drivers to help out for appointments and similar. It is not too late for you to volunteer if you are able.

Joyce Odell

Ordination service – thanks

The ordination of nine presbyters at the service last Sunday at 4pm in St Oswald's Church attended by over 850 people was a wonderful celebration & success. This is due to the absolutely wonderful efforts & sacrificial giving of time & talents of the Ashbourne Methodist Church team. Thank you to everyone who contributed, I shall be in touch personally over the next week. My personal thanks

Sandra Lewer (Coordinator)

A special invitation

Our 10.30am service on Sunday 15th July will have as its text Ephesians 1:3-14. We will be particularly thinking about how we are adopted children of God & how we can support one another as brothers & sisters. The children & young people of Powersource have planned a wonderful service of celebration and hope you can come and join in it.

We welcome our Indian visitors the Revds Francis Hansda, Manoj Singh and Daniel Murmu. Bishop Philip Marandih will be joining us on Tuesday evening. On Thursday 12 July we have an evening to celebrate the 20th anniversary of our Partnership, starting at 7.00 pm with a celebration service (including Holy Communion) when the speaker will be the Revd Christopher Harrison, our founding chairman, followed by a meal and reflections on our last 20 years. All are welcome but please let Clare Sales know if possible if you intend coming as this will help our catering arrangements

MWiB AGM and Supper- Wednesday 11 July

You are invited to attend our AGM and Supper on Wednesday 11 July in the Century Hall commencing at 7.00 pm. The menu for the Supper is Quiche, salad and new potatoes, followed by trifle (special diets catered for if asked). Tickets are £5.00 from the usual sources. *Alma*

MWiB District Day - Wednesday 18 July

We hope you will all make the effort to attend the District Day at our Church on Wednesday 18 July (Full details on page 16 of June Connections). If you would like the lunch, please book with Alma (343751) by Wednesday 11 July

Church Anniversary Sunday 22 July

After the morning service a "Bring & Share" lunch will be served. Come & continue in fellowship over a finger buffet served after coffee around 12.30pm. (Tables will be out before service to leave your food)

Notices by e mail

Don't forget if you wish to receive the weekly notices electronically please let us know noticesamc@gmail.com

Afternoon Tea

Join us for a delightful Afternoon Tea with live music on Saturday 4th August from 3.30-5.30pm at The Old House, Bank End Farm, Roston. Tickets priced £18 (£10 for under 12s) from *Gwen Kelsey* on Sunday mornings or 01335 300666 / gwenkelsey@btinternet.com. Proceeds to the Link Project

JMA members please have your collecting boxes emptied before the end of July. Ruth Mallard or Liz Hibberd are happy to assist and will ensure the money is banked into the JMA account. If anyone wants to give in a cheque it can be made payable to "Methodist Church World Mission Fund".

Milldale Methodist Chapel

There will be a Summer Service on Wednesday 8th August at 7pm led by Rev David Leese. All welcome

Greenbelt

We are organising a trip to the Greenbelt festival this year which is from 24-27 August, more details on their website www.greenbelt.org.uk. The festival is held in the grounds of Boughton Hall, & is full of talks, worship, music & arts, & is always an inspiring weekend away. Anyone of any age is very welcome to join our group – whether you'd like to camp or stay in a local hotel. If you are interested in joining us please speak to *Catherine Green* (01335 300338).

Summer Displays

Thank you to everyone who has taken part in the preparation for the Summer Displays – whether you've had your praying hands photographed, contributed a 'special place', crafted, created, prayed or encouraged. The displays are in Church now. There is lots to see & think about, including a prayer station & also the yarnbombing on the railings outside. This is a great opportunity to share our life of faith with visitors & one another, so do encourage people to pop in.

Re-usable Bamboo Drinks Cups

We have a few drinks cups available for sale at £6.50. Each one features the church logo & "seeking, serving and sharing the love of God". If you would like one, please contact *Stuart Green* (01335 300338)

Circuit Weekend Away September 21-23

We have nearly 70 people of all ages from the Circuit signed up for the weekend away in Swanwick in September. If you would still like to join us for the weekend please contact me or maybe consider coming just as a day visitor on the Saturday and /or the Sunday... again please ask me for details. It promises to be a great time of fellowship, relaxation and growing in Christ in a beautiful venue not so far from home

Helen Walker 343910