



Congresbury Methodist Church News

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The calling of the Methodist Church is to respond to the Gospel of God's love in Christ and to live its discipleship in worship and Mission



Church Events for Week Beginning 12th May 2019

MAY

Sunday 12th 11.00am Morning Worship led by Caz Carter and the Youth Group

6.30pm United Service at Banwell Methodist Church led by Rev. Tina Swire

Tuesday 14th 9.30am-12noon Coffee Morning 'Drop In' for the 0 to 90's plus in the Methodist Hall.

Sunday 19th 11.00am Morning Worship led by Liz Rankin

6.30pm United Service and Holy Communion in our church led by Rev. Robert Channon



There is a very warm welcome to everyone worshipping our Lord in this place. After morning worship there is refreshments and an opportunity to have a chat.



'DROP IN' coffee mornings-0 to 90 plus

**Held Weekly,
FREE Tea, Coffee & Biscuits**



**Tuesdays 9.30am- 12noon
in the Methodist Hall**

A warm welcome awaits you

REV TINA SWIRE

OUR SUPERINTENDENT MINISTER, REV. TINA SWIRE AND CIRCUIT STEWARD JUDITH COLE WILL BE VISITING OUR CHURCH ON TUESDAY 28TH MAY AT 2.30PM TO ENABLE MEMBERS OF OUR CONGREGATION TO DISCUSS ANY PROBLEMS WITH THEM. PLEASE MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO ATTEND THIS MEETING AS IT WILL BE A GOOD OPPORTUNITY TO AIR YOUR VIEWS

YATTON MWIB FELLOWSHIP

We have been invited to join with Yatton MWIB members on Wednesday 15th May at 2.30pm in their Church Hall. The speaker will be Mr Martin Buckley and the meeting will be followed by refreshments. Please let Iris know by May 1st if anyone is interested.

PRAYERFather, we pray for people. We remember those who are ill, distressed, broken and under stress. We pray for those who are unemployed or wrongly employed; for those who are worried, anxious, afraid or lost; for any we know by name at this particular time. We pray, bring an end to all that spoils their lives and the beginning of real hope.

Father we pray for ourselves. We remember our uncertainties in our confusion. We remember our lack of hope and the weakness of our faith. We remember all that we are facing right now, and all that we will be facing in the coming days of this week. We pray, help us to realise all over again that deep within the world, and within life itself, there is a God - given purpose there is an end, a destination for our lives. We pray, help us to prepare, so to live and so to respond to, that at the end of all things we may share in Christ's completion of his work. Lord, in your mercy hear our prayers. so we ask all our prayers in the name of Jesus Christ, the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last. The beginning and the end. AMEN



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Mission in Context - Sat 8 June
 Howard Worsley will hold the final session, starting at **9am**, in the Hub at Banwell Methodist Church. (Please note this is a change of venue)

Inclusive Church Joint Service - Churchill Academy - Sun 19 May
 The subject of this Inclusive Church session will be Disability. The Joint Service starts at **10am**; 45 mins of worship followed by coffee. (*This was advertised as 10.30am in error in the recent JLT Notes!*) **11am -12noon**, guest speaker including Q&A session, followed by a Bring and Share lunch.



'Encircled in Care' – a Pastoral Care course being run at Churchill Methodist Chapel. This is for everyone and anyone. Below are the dates and subjects. These are stand alone events so you can come to one or all. They all start at 9.15 a.m. and end at 11.30 a.m.

11th May – Children, Young People and Pastoral Care – led by Jo Horwood.

15th June -- Across the Generations – ageing and spirituality dementia – possible led by Revd. Julie Sims.

MAY
Monday 20th 2.00pm United Service at The Elms Nursing Home
Tuesday 28th 2.30pm Rev. Tina Swire in our church

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

O LORD, HELP US TO BE MASTERS OF OURSELVES THAT WE MAY BE SERVANTS TO OTHERS