



# Newsletter

Sunday 19th June 2011

## Wellington Methodist Church and Centre

New Street, Wellington, Telford, TF1 1LU  
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Welcome to Wellington Methodist Church! At the top of New Street, the church seeks to serve town and people and offers good news for all. If you are here for the first time or just visiting the area you are welcome. Please feel at home and if you would like to know more about the work of the Church please ask, or fill in one of the contact leaflet sheets to join the mailing/email list.

### Services for Sunday 19th June

10.15 am      Holy Communion Rev Peter Clarke

### Mid-week Worship (Thursday)

9.30am      Holy Communion - a 30 minute service for anyone in town.  
In the Sanctuary. All welcome.

### Services for next Sunday

10.15 a.m      Morning Worship - Rev N. Rogers



### For Prayer

We remember those who have recently been bereaved, those who have been unwell or are in hospital or recovering at home. Please remember Nora, Margaret Miles, Vera Holmes having surgery in Liverpool, Arthritis Support Chairwoman Margaret Ward coping with her diagnosis  
Congratulations to Ruth Broughton and Al who got engaged last week. They plan to marry here next August

The Sanctuary is open for prayer on Thursdays from 10.30-11.30 am.



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## WEEKDAY PROGRAMME

Monday - Friday Pre - school

Monday 20th June

10.00 - 12 noon Keeping in Touch

6pm Brownies

7pm Banner Group

Tuesday 21st June

10.30 am Art for Enjoyment

1.30 pm Art for Enjoyment

6 pm Girls Brigade

Wednesday 22nd June

5.15 pm Rainbows

6 pm Guides

7.30 pm Ladies Group -

Thursday 23rd June

9.30 am Holy Communion

10.00 am Counselling Course

10.00 am Coffee Morning

12.15 - 1.00pm Food for Thought -

Peter Clarke

6.00 pm Boys Brigade

Friday 24th June

10.00 Craft & Chat

1pm Toddlers

Saturday 25th June

10.00 Coffee Morning -

Methodist Homes

## DIARY DATES & SPECIAL EVENTS

Garden Party - Action for Children

**You are all welcome to a Garden Party in aid of 'Action for Children' at Pam & David Hyde's home 18 Chestnut Drive, Wellington next Saturday 25th June starting at 3pm to 6pm. There will be refreshments stalls etc. But most of all a good time had by everyone.**

Greenbelt 2011

Each August, 20,000 people come together the last week in August at the Greenbelt Festival, an event sponsored by different churches and organisations for all the family. Sessions include worship, music, talks, literature, film, youth **activities, performing and visual arts, as well as children's activities** – in fact there is something for everyone. We are hoping that it will be possible for a group to go in cars one day during the festival. If you are interested and would like more information then please contact Barbara Jennings 541553 or Barbara Murray in the office.

Clue Walk

Sorry but we have had to postpone the clue walk until Sunday July 3rd. We will meet on the car park at 2.00 and solve clues in a nearby town. Cost is £2.00 per person. Please sign the list on the nice board. There is a cafe in the town for those **who don't wish to do all the walking.**

Thanks Tina

A message from The Outside Stalls Team

First of all we would like to thank all those who contribute any items for our outside stalls, your support is appreciated. Can we just remind you that we cannot accept or sell any ELECTRICAL items.

If you have any electrical items to donate The Cottage Care charity shop in town will accept electrical goods at the moment as they have a means of getting the equipment tested.

We are running short of Jigsaws if you can help with any of these please. Let us know if you would like them collected.

Looking forward to your continued support

The Outside Stalls Team

Who or what is the Holy Spirit? Want to know more?

Then join Peter in the Sanctuary for a three part course beginning on Tuesday 5th July at 7pm and continuing on 12th and 19th July. The course will be based on Nicky Gumbels exploration of the Holy Spirit in the alpha course. Tea , coffee cake will be served.

All Age Training Event

Tuesday 21st June 7.30 pm at Springdale Methodist Church, Wolverhampton. A workshop designed to explore how to plan services that engage all ages. There is a charge £2.50 per person to cover notes, refreshments etc. Please see poster for more details or enquire in the Office.

Churches Together -in Hadley, Wellington and Leegomery

Are holding a quiz night and fish & chip supper on Wednesday 6th July at 7.00pm here at Wellington Methodist Church. Teams of 4 are invited to register their intention to take part by Monday 27th June by contacting Leslie Burke on 01952 407297 .Cost £2.50 per person. You may wish to come and enjoy the evening with-  
**out being in a team but please let us know so you don't mss out on your fish and chip supper.!!**

Shropshire Prayer Breakfast

At Shrewsbury Town Football Club, Oteley Road Shrewsbury on Saturday 9th July at 8.30 am for 9 am start. Keynote speaker will be Steve Clifford. Tickets £10.50 inclusive of full breakfast. Please see [www.prayer—community.co.uk](http://www.prayer—community.co.uk)

ORGAN CONCERT Friday 1 July at 1.00 pm

For our third concert we welcome PAUL CARR, **organist of St. Paul's in the Jewellery Quarter, Birmingham.** Paul is also President of the Birmingham Organists Association and he is bringing a spectacular programme to us.

## Pastoral Visitors Training

This is open to new and experienced Pastoral Visitors. Saturday 25th June 9.30 am - 3.30 pm at Horsehay Methodist Church. Please bring a packed lunch drinks are provided. For anyone interested please contact Denice on 210234

## Breakfast with a message.

Saturday 2nd July at 8.30 am until 10.30 at Belmont Hall. Topic : Christians against poverty. Enjoy great fellowship and a quality , cooked breakfast. To book a place please contact Bernard Langford on 01952 222149 so that catering can be organised.

## Prayer Circle

I will be adjusting the Prayer Circle shortly as due to varying circumstances one or two folk are no longer able to participate.

In the meantime if anyone would like to join the prayer circle could you please let Diane or Mary know. We receive prayer requests from individuals which are then circulated via the prayer circle. Many have found this very helpful in times of difficulty. If you feel you could help in this way please do contact either one of us.

Many thanks Mary Lewis

## Rosemary Thomas

It is with sadness that we inform you of the passing of Rosemary Thomas on 7th **June. Rosemary's health had been in decline for some time and she had been a** resident of Hatton Court Care & Nursing Home for over 3½ years.

Rosemary's family would like to thank all who kept in touch with her over the past few years, especially Margaret Miles, Carol Bryan and Shirley West. Rosemary very much appreciated their visits, cards and letters which enabled her to still feel part of the Church after she was no longer able to attend.

## Rwandan visitors

Two years ago a group of us cycled part of the National Cycle Route 81, from Shrewsbury to Albrighton, to raise money for Rwanda. This year Diane and I are cycling the whole of the route 81, from Aberystwyth to Wolverhampton, approximately 150 miles. We are doing this as a personal challenge but thought that if anyone would like to sponsor us, we would put any monies donated towards the £1000 our church has pledged to raise for the young people visiting from Rwanda in November, As this is a holiday(!) for us Diane and I have already paid for travel and accommodation for the 4 days. Therefore all sponsorship will go directly to the Rwanda fund.

John Parkin.

## Congratulations - Ellie Bryan

On winning the 800m Sprint to become Shropshire Schools County Champion and coming 2nd in the 300m race.