



Newsletter

Sunday 1st May 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 1st May

9am Holy Communion - Rev Peter Clarke
10.15 am Family Service - 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 am Morning Worship Mr K. Jones
5.00 pm Fizz Buzz
6 pm United Service at Shifnal



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 in PRH.

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



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WEEKDAY PROGRAMME

Tuesday - Friday Pre - school

Tuesday 3rd May

10.30 am Art for Enjoyment

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2 pm Network

6 pm Girls Brigade

Wednesday 4th May

5.15 pm Rainbows

6 pm Guides

7.30 pm Ladies Group

Thursday 5th May

9.30 am Holy Communion

10.00 am Counselling Taster Course

10.00 am Coffee Morning

12.15 -1.00pm Food for Thought -
Nina Cowley

1 - 3 pm Craft

6pm Boy Brigade

Friday 6th May

10.00 am Computer First Steps

1pm Organ Recital

1pm Toddlers

Saturday 7th May

9.30 am - 12.30 p.m Coffee Morning
-Guild

DIARY DATES & SPECIAL EVENTS

MWIB/World Fund - Easter Offering Service

The presentation of the Easter Offering monies will take place at Shifnal Methodist church on 8th May . There will be a Faith Tea at 5pm followed by the service at 6pm. If anyone is interested in going to this service please contact Shirley 243923 also if anyone is able to offer transport.

Network (MWIB/World Fund)

Anyone and everyone is welcome to join us for our May 3rd session (2pm - 3.45pm) when we welcome Denice Morgan and share in song, prayer fellowship and a brew.

Circuit Review meeting

There is a circuit review meeting open to everyone at Dawley Christian Centre on Monday May 23rd at 7.30pm

Brass in the Ballroom

An evening of music and dance with Wellington Brass Band here in church on Saturday 14th May at 7.00 pm. Tickets £6.50 on the door to include light refreshments. Advance tickets £6 from Neil Fury on 246608.

FIRST ORGAN CONCERT - SEVENTH SEASON

Friday 6 May at 1.00 pm For our first organ concert this year we are very fortunate to have BEN LAMB, Director of Music at Lichfield Cathedral. He and his wife Cathy share this appointment and many of you will remember the wonderful recital Cathy gave last year.

Holiday Club Coffee Morning

On Saturday 14th May, there will be a coffee morning to raise money to help to fund this year's holiday club, 'Pyramid Rock'. Hopefully, there will be a cake stall that morning, so if anyone is willing to make a cake, please let me know. Many thanks, Sue.

Pastoral Visitors Training

This is open to new and experienced Pastoral Visitors. Saturday 18th and 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

Ladies Club - Wednesday 4th May at 7.30pm.

In the Fellowship Room David Trumper will be giving another of his interesting talks about Shropshire - this time about North Shropshire.

The Ladies Club are having the evening open for everyone who would like to join them . Entrance fee will be £1.50 which includes tea coffee and biscuits

Reaching Out Appeal for Books

I have been asked for LARGE PRINT **romance novels by someone who can't** get out and about to search for them. Please pass any unwanted books to me to pass on. Thank you very much. Carol Bryan 417069

Brian Beck

Friday 20th May 7pm dinner and speaker Rev Dr Brian Beck 'Should John Wesley matter to Methodists?' .On Saturday 21st May 9.30 am to 1.00 pm there will be Bible Study Discipleship in the Gospel of Matthew followed by a shared lunch.

Cost of dinner £6.00 please contact church office to register 250944 or speak to Leon Murray

Raise the Roof

Charity in Aid of the Suunycroft roof appeal takes place here in church on Saturday 11th June at 7.30 pm featuring Burton Borough School Big Band and the Gallery singers. Tickets £5 available from Rose Wedge.

G & Ts in Concert.

This group of Ladies will be giving a concert in Aid of Severn Hospice here in church on Saturday 21st May at 7.30 pm . Tickets £5 on the door. Please see poster for more details .

May Birthdays

2nd Ella Hoofe age 3

3rd Lauren Dunn age 2

6th Emily Wilkes age 2

21st Gary Addison age 2

“Keeping in Touch”

If there is a family member, friend, neighbour etc who you think would benefit from a “Hello” phone call on a Monday morning please contact Shirley West or leave a message in the Office.

REMINDER FOR ROOM USERS...

Key Holders: If you are a key holder and the last person to leave the building, please check all lights are off (including the loft light), all doors are locked and that you put the alarm on. Many thanks.

Prayer of the Day Thursday 28th April from Methodist Prayer Handbook
& Church Website

Dear God,

it is a mystery why that which seems so clear to me:

your presence in the world,

your love for your creation,

is not clear to so many people around me.

I see you in the love of a mother for her child,

in the efforts of rescue workers after an earthquake,

in the struggle for justice at home and abroad.

Others see the violence of a mother against her child,

the death of innocent children in a collapsed building and the injustice of our world as signs of your absence.

Give to me the grace to humbly hear the words of ‘not yet faith’ that I might offer words of faith and comfort to a world hurting and wondering. Amen.

John Howard, Wolverhampton and Shrewsbury District Chair