



Newsletter

Sunday 20th March 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 Sunday 20th March

10.15 am Holy Communion led by Rev Peter Clarke

Mid-week Worship

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 led by Mrs Annette Thomas

5 pm Worship led by Rev Peter Clarke



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 Molly Scott still poorly, Irene Mansell in PRH. Peter improving Diane Cuff and family after her fathers funeral.

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 21st March

10am-12noon - Keeping in Touch

6pm Brownies

7 pm Banner Group

Tuesday 22nd March

10.30am Art for Enjoyment

1.30 pm Art for Enjoyment

2.00 pm Lent Course

6 pm Girls Brigade

Wednesday 23rd March

5.15 pm Rainbows

6 pm Guides

7.30 pm Ladies Club - Amanda Quinn
Action for Children

Thursday 24th March

9.30 am Holy Communion

10.00 am Counselling Taster course

12.15 -1.00pm Food for Thought -
Peter Clarke

1 - 3 pm Craft

6 pm Boys Brigade

7.30 pm Guild - Miss Kerry Nickless

Friday 25th March

10.00 am Computer Taster Course

10.00 am Craft and Chat

(at Belmont Hall)

1 pm Toddlers

Saturday 26th March

9.30 am - 12.30 p.m Coffee Morning -
Guild

DIARY DATES & SPECIAL EVENTS

PLEASE NOTE—NO USE OF THE Hall this week

The Hall will not be available for use by ANY group from Monday 21st March to Friday 25th March so that the floor can be resealed .

There will be no Coffee Morning on Thursday 24th March.

Craft and Chat will take place in Belmont Hall this Friday for one week only. Thank you Barbara

Lent Study Course

You are invited to a Lent Study Course . Choose between either Tuesday evenings at 8pm at 20 Eider Drive Apley with myself or 2pm at church with Peter. They will run for five weeks. The title this year is "Rich Inheritance - Jesus' Legacy of Love" Unfortunately due to the low number of people able to attend there will be no evening meeting this week of the Lent Study Group .

Golden Wedding Celebration

Alwena and Dewi are celebrating their Golden Wedding on the weekend 26/27 March 2011.You are invited to share lunch after the morning service with the family, please put your name on the list for catering purposes today.

Ladies Club - Wednesday 23rd March 7.30 pm

We have invited Amanda Quinn from Action for Children to come and talk to us about how the money we collect in the lantern shaped boxes is used.

If you are one of the very kind people who over the years have given (when it was known as the National Children's Home) or the new people who have taken on boxes this year, I am sure you would find Amanda very interesting, she is a lovely lady, who is very keen to show how important the work Action for Children is needed in today's world.

I do hope you will join our evening meeting, you will be made most welcome.
Pam Hyde (Representative from our church for Action for Children)

Coming next week.....

Shrewsbury High School will be here on the evening of Monday March 28th at 7.00 pm to do another of their charity concerts which are always appreciated by those who come and support them. Kathryn Jennings and Rachel Murray, two of our young people, will be amongst those taking part. Tickets £5 (£4 concessions) monies raised will go towards Amizero School for mentally handicapped children in Rwanda and the work of the church.

Andrews Angels

As you know DELTA was very close to Andrew's heart. We are doing two things as Andrew's Angels to raise funds for both Summer school and an event to enable more professionals to be trained with in the natural aural approach. The importance of this was driven home to me just recently when I talked to a very distressed new mum of a three week old baby (in England) who had been told her severely to profoundly deaf baby would never talk and she must learn to sign asap. You can imagine what Andrew would say!

In the short term we are putting our running and cycling shoes on again and 6 of us are running the Great Manchester run in May as well as a much bigger group doing the DELTA bike ride – the week before the run in May too!!

I am silly enough to try to do both as are Aimee, Emily, Simon and Dex. Others will do either the run or the bike ride. DELTA needs well over £10000 still to run the summer school and we hope a day event for those families who cannot attend the summer school but like the family above need an event now.

Please if you can – will you sponsor us?

I have created a page on the justgiving website which you can access through putting in DELTA or Sue Lewis (Broughton)

Please help us to keep Andrew's vision alive and to move things forward for families of deaf children so that their children achieve all that they would wish them to.

Best Wishes Sue Broughton

Date for the Diary

Church Outing Saturday 11th June 2011 this year the destination is Aberystwyth with tea in the Methodist Church. The Action for Children committee are organising tea and the profits are going to A.F.C the cost will be £16. See Dewi for registration forms.

Lent Fast - Rwanda

People are being asked to consider giving up a meal each week during Lent and donating the cost of each meal towards the funds being raised to enable the Rwandan Youth Trip to go ahead. For more details and the address to where any monies are to be forwarded to please see the poster on the notice board.

Visit Our Twin Town

The Wellington And District twinning association have arranged a visit to Chatenay Malabry, near Paris. The visit is by coach, leaving on May 5th & returning on May 8th. There are still some places available on the coach. Total cost £100. Accommodation is with French hosts. For further details see Chris Lewis or ring Mrs B. Farmer on 01952 273289

Holiday at Home

If you are concerned that there are some people in our churches & communities, young & old are unable to go away for a holiday, this is an idea for a break whilst staying at home. There is meeting on here Saturday 16th April from 10.00 - 12.30 **when Rev Bob Powell & Mrs Joyce Powell will give an introduction to "Holiday at Home" which they have run before. The presentation will include showing a DVD of highlights of a weeks 'holiday' and lead on to help plan and organise a varied programme to give your 'holiday - makers' a fun time.**

It would be helpful if you could indicate your intention to attend by e-mail to revrobert@7dabblingducks.org.uk or phone 07929 823674.

John Howard - Chairman of the District

Will be preaching at Broseley Methodist Church on Sunday 27th March at 10.45am.

"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.