



Newsletter

Sunday 3rd April 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 3rd April

9.00 am Holy Communion led by Rev Peter Clarke
10.15 am Worship led by Rev Peter Clarke

Mid-week Worship

9.30am Holy Communion - a 30 minute service for anyone in town.
This week led by Rev Bob Powell. In the Sanctuary. All welcome.

Services for next Sunday

10.15 am Morning Worship - Rev Margaret Smallman retired minister from
All Saints

5.00 pm Fizz Buzz



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 Shirley Pritchard's daughter (Jo). Bernice Jones in Malta has broken her arm. Trevor Betts and Dennis Noble both in hospital. Edna who has passed away, for her family and friends from Hiatt Ave. Please pray for Mike and family - husband of Glynne. She has died this week.

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 4th April

10am-12noon - Keeping in Touch

6pm Brownies

7.30 pm Banner Group

Tuesday 5th April

10.30am Art for Enjoyment

1.30 pm Art for Enjoyment

2.30 pm Network

6 pm Girls Brigade

8 pm Lent Study Course

at 20 Eider Drive, Apley

Wednesday 6th April

5.15 pm Rainbows

6 pm Guides

7.30 pm Ladies Club –

Working in Mongolia Nina Cowley

Thursday 7th April

9.30 am Holy Communion

10.00 am Counselling Taster course

10.00 am Coffee Morning

12.15 -1.00pm Food for Thought -

Diane Parkin

1 - 3 pm Craft

6 pm Boys Brigade

7.30 pm Guild - Mr John Fowler

Friday 8th April

10.00 am Computer Taster Course

10.00 Craft and Chat - Easter Treats

1 pm Toddlers

Saturday 9th April

9.30 am - 12.30 p.m Coffee Morning -

DIARY DATES & SPECIAL EVENTS

The Floor

Now that the church hall floor has been resealed, please do not drag chairs and table across it but lift them, as this will help to keep the floor in good condition. No cleaning products should be used by groups on the floor. If you need to mop the floor then please use hot water and a clean mop.

CHALK OR OTHER PRODUCTS SHOULD BE PUT ON THE FLOOR OR ON SHOES FOR DANCING OR OTHER ACTIVITIES.

Thank you... Barbara Murray

Prem/New - born Baby knitwear

As part of our Bi - annual promise we gift items to the PRH/RSH. Our next 'delivery' is at Easter (end April). In anticipation "thanks" to all our knitters!!! Keep up the great work.

Network (MWIB and World Mission Fund)

Our next meeting celebrates Easter through members contributions of hymns, prayer, poems. It is on Tuesday April 5th 2.30 pm - 3.45 pm We share tea and fellowship and All are welcome - Shirley x *Go On Give Us A Try!!!*

Church A.G.M

Will take place here in church on Wednesday 27th April at 7.30 pm in the Sanctuary

Network—Easter Offering 2011

Methodist Women In Britain (MWIB) and World Mission Fund unite to raise funds to provide the necessary resources so that Gods love may be shared in practical **ways throughout the world. This years theme is .."Seeds of Life - Harvest, Hope and Wholeness For Gods children" Donations allow the provision of seed ; enables harvest brings hope and encourages wholeness.**

Easter Offering envelopes will be provided/distributed on Palm Sunday (April 17th) and in anticipation of your generous donations this year our heartfelt thanks.

Please note that completion of the gift - aid declaration (if you are a tax payer) on the envelope is a gesture that will see a £10 donation become £12.80 - such a difference.

From New Street Network ... Bless your kindness x

St. Georges Day Charity Concert

Will be held here on Saturday 23rd April at 7.30 p.m with Hadley & District Orpheus Male Choir. The concert is dedicated to the memory of Pat Rea . Admission £3 with all proceeds donated to Breathe easy.

Holiday Club 2011

Plans are well under way for Pyramid Rock from 1st - 5th August. If anyone has any of the following items that they could donate we would be very grateful:

- Old/broken umbrellas
- Old unwanted white sheets

Also, we would like to have the use of a parachute for the week. If anyone knows of one we could borrow, please let one of us know.

Many thanks, Sue Clarke

Shrewsbury High School Concert

I would like to say thank you to everyone who supported the concert on Monday evening where a magnificent sum of £774 was raised for the Amizero School for mentally handicapped children in Rwanda.

Rachel Murray

Sunday Morning Crèche.

A few weeks ago, we appealed for folk to volunteer for the Crèche on a rota basis. So far we have two willing volunteers but could do with a few more so that it comes round less often. If you think that you could help to look after our littlest people for half an hour on a Sunday morning, please let Sue Wilkes, Marlene or Sue Clarke know as soon as possible. Thank you!

Belated Birthdays

Many Happy Returns to Brian Powell and Ben James who both celebrated significant birthdays last week

HOLY WEEK & EASTER 2011

Special events & services

Palm Sunday, 17th April

10.15am Morning Worship with Palm Crosses

Tuesday 19th April

12.30pm Lent Lunch in support of Christian Aid

(A Churches Together event)

Wednesday 20th April

10.00am The Way of the Cross

(A 15 minute meditation in the Sanctuary)

Maundy Thursday 21st April

9.30am Holy Communion

10.00am The Way of the Cross

7.30pm Maundy Thursday Service & Communion

Good Friday 22nd April

10.00am Good Friday Service

11.00am Churches Together Procession of the Cross

Easter Sunday 24th April

8.00am Easter Communion

8.45am Breakfast

10.15am Easter Worship Celebration— The Easter Cross

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 you intention to attend by e-mail to revrobert@7dabblingducks.org.uk or phone 07929 823674.

Anniversary celebration

Alwena and Dewi would like to thank everyone for their kindness and good wishes for their 50th Wedding Anniversary last weekend. It was wonderful to have family and friends share the meal after the service.

Very many thanks to Tina, Catherine, Barbara and Marjorie for making it happen and to others for their help and support.