

**WELCOME TO**  
**WOODBIDGE METHODIST CHURCH**

St. Johns Street, Woodbridge, Suffolk IP12 1ED

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An Official Fair Trade Church

**Loving God**

**Building faith**

**Serving the community**

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**Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> April**

**10.45am**

**Mr Stephen Caley**

**Hymns: 149, 358, 294, 343, 416, 564**

**Readings: Acts 8 vv 26-40, John 14 vv 1-21**

**Tea, coffee and conversation after the service**

7.30 – 9.00pm

AA, Octagon

**Organist: Jean Crossley**

Monday 30<sup>th</sup>

12noon – 1.30pm

AA, Rooms A&B

6.30 – 8.00pm

Yoga, Rooms A&B

Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> May

7.45 - 9.15am

AA, Wesley Room

9.30 – 11.00am

Yoga, Octagon

12.15 – 1.30pm

CoDA, Rooms A&B

7.00 – 9.00pm

CLL Creative Writing, Rooms A&B

7.00 – 9.30pm

Choral Society, Sanctuary

7.00 – 9.00pm

Gateway, Octagon

Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup>

9.00am – 4.00pm

Seckford Club, Octagon

6.00 – 7.00pm

CLL Yoga, Octagon

7.30 – 8.30pm

AA, Wesley Room

7.30pm

Stewards Meeting, Vestry

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup>

12.00noon - 1.30pm

AA, Rooms A&B

6.00 – 7.00pm

Meditation, Room A

7.30 – 9.30pm

Love 2 Sing, Octagon

7.30pm

Choir, Sanctuary

Friday 4<sup>th</sup>

9.30 – 11.00am

Parents & Toddlers, Octagon

8.00pm

AA, Octagon

8.00pm

Town Pastors, Rooms A&B

Saturday 5<sup>th</sup>

8.45 – 10.15am

AA, Rooms A&B

9.30am – 12.30pm

Choral Society, Sanctuary

10.00am – 12noon

Cuppa and a Chat, Octagon

**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> May**

**10.45am**

**Revd Margaret Millar All Age Worship**

7.30 – 9.00pm

AA, Octagon

*If you wish to publish any items in the notices relating to Church activities for the coming week, please contact Alan Batty on 01473 871798 or email [alandsheila@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:alandsheila@tiscali.co.uk)*

## Advance Notices

**Recent Donations:** Following some additional gifts the Passiontide Meditation raised £315, the concert given by Woodbridge Orchestral Society £390 and the Easter breakfast £133.62. At the last Church Council the decision was made to dedicate these donations to a defibrillator fund. This fund now amounts to £838.62. The Easter Offering, which goes to the Methodist Church World Mission Fund, raised £102.

Thank you very much for all the donations.

*Freddie*

### **Church Council Minutes and General Church Meeting Minutes**

Copies of these minutes are now displayed on the main notice board for you to read.

Any comments or questions should be directed to the minister or the stewards.

*Monty*

**Treasure Hunt** We have now made the first treasure hunt live on the church website. This is an indirect form of outreach that everyone in the church can assist by encouraging friends and neighbours to 'have a go'. Just go to the church website <http://www.wmclight.org.uk/> and click on 'Treasure Hunt' on the left hand side. Hope you enjoy it!

**Church "No-walk" Walk (a new concept)** Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> May - meet at the coffee shop in the Leiston Co-op at 10:30am to be followed by a visit to the Long Shop museum (entrance £6.50). Lunch at Sizewell Beach Café at approximately 1:00pm. Further information from Peter Cogar (01394 382931).

**Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2.00 – 5.00pm Annual Open Day of the Garden Railway** at the Manse, 13, Grundisburgh Road, Woodbridge. Trains will run all afternoon and refreshments will be available. Proceeds from refreshments and donations will go to the Kirton Methodist Church Building Fund. There is space for further stalls; helpers to serve and cakes for the refreshments would be appreciated. Please contact Martin: 01394 383674.

**4MEN.** No formal May meeting, but we hope you will come and enjoy the trains at the Open Day on 26th May.

**Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 8.45 am for 9.00am. Joint Men's Breakfast at St John's Church Hall, St John's Street.** The speaker will be Simon Pinchbeck, Regional Director of Christian Vision for Men. Please sign up as usual, so that we can provide numbers for catering.

**Prayers on the Cross** All prayer requests will be removed from the cross each month and used during the Service of Healing. They will then be shredded, so please put your requests on the cross.

*Dorothy*

**Prayer Requests** may be placed on the Cross in the foyer by using the 'post-its' provided. Prayer requests can also be sent on quickly through the Telephone Prayer Circle, telephone **Helen Lewis 01394 411232** or by email to **Carol Hollett** at [carol.hollett9@googlemail.com](mailto:carol.hollett9@googlemail.com)