

Welcome to
WOODBIDGE METHODIST CHURCH

St. Johns Street, Woodbridge, Suffolk IP12 1ED

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An Official Fair Trade Church

Loving God

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Serving the community

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Sunday 22nd July

9.00am

10.45am

Roman Catholic Mass

Mrs Alicia Holmes

Hymns: 102, 403, 728, 504, 470

Organist: Peggy Baker

Readings: Psalm 139(StF 835), Hebrews 11 vv 8-16, Luke 2 vv 25-38

Tea, coffee and conversation after the service

7.30pm

Revd Martin Dawes Communion with Prayers for Healing

Flowers today donated and arranged by Deirdre Rothwell

7.30 – 9.00pm

AA, Octagon

Monday 23rd

12noon – 1.30pm

AA, Rooms A&B

6.30 – 8.00pm

Yoga, Rooms A&B

Tuesday 24th

7.45 - 9.15am

AA, Wesley Room

9.30 – 11.00am

Yoga, Octagon

10.00am – 12noon

Rabble Chorus, Sanctuary

12.15 – 1.30pm

CoDA, Rooms A&B

7.00 – 9.00pm

Gateway, Octagon

Wednesday 25th

9.00am – 4.00pm

Seckford Club, Octagon

10.00 – 11.30am

BodyBreathe, Rooms A&B

7.30 – 8.30pm

AA, Room A

Thursday 26th

12.00noon - 1.30pm

AA, Rooms A&B

7.30pm

Church Choir, Sanctuary

7.30 – 9.30pm

Love 2 Sing Community Choir, Octagon

Friday 27th

8.00pm

AA, Octagon

8.00pm

Town Pastors, Rooms A&B

Saturday 28th

8.45 – 10.15am

AA, Rooms A&B

10.00am – 12noon

Cuppa and a Chat, Octagon

Sunday 29th July

9.00am

10.45am

Roman Catholic Mass

Mr Bryan Nichols

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

Advance Notices

Garden Party at the home of Rev Derek and Karen Grimshaw , 2 Henley Avenue Ipswich IP1 6RN. Everybody is welcome on Saturday 28th July 2018 at 2pm to 5pm. There will be stalls, games, cream teas and refreshments. Proceeds for Bramford Methodist Church.

Treasure Hunt Presentation Saturday 4th August at 10.30am

Please do remember to encourage friends and neighbours to have a go - the prize is a £100 meal voucher at the No1 restaurant in the area according to tripadvisor (The Greyhound -Petistree) - all participants are winners - and the Mayor is presenting the prize! And besides all that, we do the best coffee in Woodbridge - or so I'm told. (with a free extra cup!)

Unfortunately Martin is unable to attend this session. However we need as many church members to attend the session as possible to do the cheering and applause - so if at all possible please come and support the day.

Scott

Orford Quay Service Sunday 5th August at 6.0pm. Preacher: Monsignor Father Tony Rogers with the Suffolk Phoenix Barass Band. Collection for the Jubilee Sailing Trust. If wet – service in the Parish Church

Weather you will, or weather you won't

Oak before Ash – we'll have a splash, Ash before Oak we'll have a soak, but, If Candlemas Day be bright and Gay, Barry's grillings are on their way.

The 7th Annual Barry Quiz will be on 6th October 2018, 6:30 for 7pm prompt start! Teams of up to 6 but please, names to Michael **BEFORE 27th September** (as he is away after then!) That's only 67 days
£8.50 includes Ploughman's Supper (£7.50 spectators)

Tea/Coffee Makers A new home has been found for the coffee urn, which now lives under the desk in the stewards room. Please make sure the tap is turned to the side or back of desk to stop it getting hit by the door.

Anne

Church Rotas. Can I have any dates you will not be available for the period September to November by 25th July please. Also can I remind everyone to arrange a swap if you are not going to be able to cover your dates, especially on the coffee rota, which is not so easy to sort at 10.00 a.m. on a Sunday morning. *Anne*

The **Church Directory** is due to be updated, so if you would like your details to be in the revised edition, please take one of the consent forms from the shelf in the entrance hall and return by the end of August. I have put a folder for replies in the Senior Stewards pigeon hole. Just to save confusion, if the entry in the current directory shows Fred and Freda Bloggs, both Fred and Freda will need to complete a form. *Anne*

Flower Arrangers Needed!! There are now only seven people on the team of weekly flower arrangers. The ladies (although men would be welcomed!) buy and arrange the flowers, so it is quite a commitment having to do this every seven weeks. If you have ever put flowers in a vase - you could join the team!! If you feel you could join the team, or, if you would like to donate the flowers on any Sunday, please speak to Cath Hamilton.

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