

Welcome to
WOODBIDGE METHODIST CHURCH

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An Official Fair Trade Church

Loving God

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Sunday 29th July

10.45am

Mr Bryan Nichols

Hymns: 107, 153, 465, 415, 706

Readings: 2 Kings 4 vv 42-44, John 6 vv 1-21

Tea, coffee and conversation after the service

Flowers today donated and arranged by Chris Mason

7.30 – 9.00pm

AA, Octagon

Organist: Jean Crossley

Monday 30th

12noon – 1.30pm

AA, Rooms A&B

Tuesday 31st

7.45 - 9.15am

AA, Wesley Room

12.15 – 1.30pm

CoDA, Rooms A&B

Wednesday 1st August

9.00am – 4.00pm

Seckford Club, Octagon

10.00am

Church Walk – see over

10.00 – 11.30am

BodyBreathe, Rooms A&B

7.30 – 8.30pm

AA, Room A

Thursday 2nd

12.00noon - 1.30pm

AA, Rooms A&B

7.30 – 9.30pm

Love 2 Sing Community Choir, Octagon

Friday 3rd

8.00pm

AA, Octagon

8.00pm

Town Pastors, Rooms A&B

Saturday 4th

8.45 – 10.15am

AA, Rooms A&B

10.00am – 12noon

Cuppa and a Chat, Octagon

10.30am

Treasure Hunt Presentation – see over

Sunday 5th August

10.45am

Revd Stephen Yelland All Age Worship

6.00pm

Orford Quay Service – see over

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

John and Helen Jay Helen would like to thank everyone who sent cards and messages of sympathy on the recent loss of her husband John. These kind words and thoughts were very much appreciated.

Action for Children The total collected this year from the home collection boxes is £833.86. A very generous donation of £168.35 has also been received from a collection made at Peggie Wright's 100th Birthday celebration. Thanks to you all.
Gill

The Bible Reading Fellowship notes for September to December are ready to collect from your pigeonhole. I have a spare copy of The Upper Room, with Bible readings and stories from Christians around the world. Please see me if you would like it.
Helen Lewis

Church Walk Please meet at 10am at The Grove car park Felixstowe, which is reached by turning left at the third roundabout as you enter Felixstowe. The walk is about 4 miles with a coffee stop on the seafront below Cliff Road. For lunch, provided the current weather continues, it's fish & chips on the beach! As an alternative to doing the walk, you are welcome to join us for coffee at about 11.00am, or for lunch by meeting in the Grove car park at 12noon. Please contact Helen or Peter for further information.

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 Brass Band. Collection for the Jubilee Sailing Trust. If wet – service in the Parish Church

Weather you will, or weather you won't

If woolly fleeces bestow the heavenly way, be sure no rain will come today, but, if in the sky you see heavenly towers, you can be sure Barry's quiz will be better than flowers!

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 60 days
£8.50 includes Ploughman's Supper (£7.50 spectators)

A copy of the **Conference Business Digest** - a report for local churches of the recent Methodist Conference - is now on the noticeboard in the foyer. It can also be downloaded from www.methodist.org.uk/conference

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*

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