

Welcome to  
**WOODBIDGE METHODIST CHURCH**

St. Johns Street, Woodbridge, Suffolk IP12 1ED

[www.woodbridgemethodistchurch.org.uk](http://www.woodbridgemethodistchurch.org.uk)

An Official Fair Trade Church

**Loving God**

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**Building faith**

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**Serving the community**

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**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> November**

**10.45am**

**Revd Martin Dawes Communion**

**Hymns: 134, 375, 741, 574, 732**

**Readings: Daniel 12 vv 1-3, Mark 13 vv 1-8**

**Service followed by tea, coffee and conversation**

**Flowers donated and arranged by Deirdre Rothwell**

7.30 – 9.00pm AA, Octagon

**Organist: Jean Crossley**

Monday 19<sup>th</sup>

11.00am

12noon – 1.30pm

6.30 – 8.00pm

Mary & Peggy's House Group. 56 Bury Hill Close

AA, Rooms A&B

Yoga, Rooms A&B

Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup>

7.45 - 9.15am

9.30 – 11.00am

12.15 – 1.30pm

7.00 – 9.00pm

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AA, Wesley Room

Yoga, Octagon

CoDA, Wesley Room

Gateway, Octagon

CLL Creative Writing, Rooms A&B

Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup>

9.30am – 1.30pm

10.30am – 12.30pm

2.15 – 4.00pm

6.00 – 7.00pm

7.30 – 8.30pm

Baby Sensory, Octagon

Just 42, Rooms A&B

Ladies Forum, Rooms A&B

CLL Yoga, Octagon

AA, Room A

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup>

10.00 – 11.00am

12.00noon - 1.30pm

6.00 – 7.00pm

7.30 – 9.30pm

7.30pm

Toddle Talk, Room B

AA, Rooms A&B

Meditation, Room A

Love 2 Sing Community Choir, Octagon

Church Choir, Sanctuary

Friday 23<sup>rd</sup>

9.30 – 11.00am

10.00 – 11.30am

10.30am – 12noon

8.00pm

8.00pm

Parents & Toddlers

BodyBreathe, Rooms A&B

Play Rehearsal, Sanctuary

AA, Octagon

Town Pastors, Rooms A&B

Saturday 24<sup>th</sup>

8.45 – 10.15am

10.00am – 12noon

10.30am – 12noon

AA, Rooms A&B

Cuppa and a Chat, Octagon

Computer Club, Room B

**Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> November – Youth Sunday**

**10.45am**

**Mrs Vickie Vallow**

**4.30pm**

**Revd Martin Dawes**

12.30 – 2.30pm

7.30pm

**Communion with Prayers for Healing – Note time**

GW Band, Room B

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

**Circuit Round and Preaching Plan.** These are now available in the pigeon holes *Alan*

**Big Breakfast** On Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> November the church held its annual Big Breakfast. There were nineteen attendees who enjoyed a full English Breakfast followed by a talk by the local Christian aid representative. A total of £146.06 was raised for Christian Aid. *Barry*

### **Minutes of the Church Council**

The minutes of the last Church Council held on 17<sup>th</sup> October 2018 are available to read at the back of the church sanctuary.

The stewards prefer that they are available for our church congregation, rather than being displayed on the main notice board. *Monty*

**Churches Together Woodbridge & Melton** This year's advent service will be held at St Thomas's church on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> December at 6.30pm.

**Collections for Lighthouse:** In December we are collecting gifts of money for the Lighthouse (formerly the Women's Refuge). This offers them the flexibility to buy gifts suited to the ages of the children and also presents during the year. There will be a retiring collection after the service on 2<sup>nd</sup> December, after the Carol Service on 23<sup>rd</sup> December and on Christmas Day for this worthy local cause. Gift aid envelopes will be available. *Freddie*

Would you like to contribute a prayer to the **Methodist Prayer Handbook 2019/2020**? If you are interested please check for further details on the notice board. *Anne*

**Saturday 8th December, 8.45 for 9.00am Joint Mens' Breakfast** with St John's, at St John's Old Vicarage, Vicarage Hill (Just off St John's Street). The speaker will be Dennis Pethers (who writes the spiritual blog 'From the Rooftop'). Please sign up as usual on the sheet on the noticeboard so that we can send numbers for catering purposes. *Martin*

**Church Walkers' Christmas Lunch** The Christmas lunch will be on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> December at the White Horse in Easton and is open to all walkers, past, present and future. The menu can be found online, or you can ask me for a copy. There is no need to select your courses until you arrive on the day. If you wish to go, please give me a £10 deposit per person no later than Monday 19<sup>th</sup> November. Numbers may be limited, so first come, first served. Peter Cogar 01394 382931

**Ladies Forum 21<sup>st</sup> November** will be a Christmas special. Bring things you make or do for Christmas to show or demonstrate. Brenda and Diane will demonstrate their card making and Audrey will bring something delicious to have with our tea. Bring a friend. Everyone is welcome. *Jackie*

**Choir Christmas Concert** tickets are now on sale. Come on "A journey with the Magi" on Saturday, 15<sup>th</sup> December at 6:30 p.m. The tickets are £6 for the concert or £9 for the concert and buffet and can be bought from any member of the choir. The proceeds will go to Macmillan Cancer Support. *Jackie*

**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)