



CASTLE STREET METHODIST CHURCH

"Where all are welcome – all the time"

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Sunday 18th September 2016

Welcome to worship with us – whether this is the first time you have entered our church, or if you are a long-standing member of our congregation. We seek to offer friendship and opportunities for learning more of God's will in this place and in this generation.

Refreshments are served in the hall following most Sunday services – please do stay for a chat over a cuppa and a biscuit.

Sun 18th Sep 10.45 MORNING WORSHIP

Rev. Dr. Brian Beck

Bible readings: 1 Timothy 2: 1-7 (page 198)

Luke 16: 1-13 (page 75)

19.00 IONA SERVICE at St. Luke's

We pray... for peace in our world

Wed 21st Sep 10.00 "Time to Be" prayer and fellowship

10.30-12.00 Coffee morning

12.00-13.00 "Forever Active" exercise class

Thu 22nd Sep 10.00-12.00 "First Friends" baby and toddler group

Sat 24th Sep 16.30 Autumn barn dance (*see overleaf*)

**Sun 25th Sep 10.45 MORNING WORSHIP WITH
HOLY COMMUNION**

Rev. Alison Walker

18.30 EVENING WORSHIP

Phyllis Salmon

Please take a copy of Castle View for fuller details of what's on each month.

Family Barn Dance next Saturday

Don't forget our family barn dance, with caller Joyce Goodall from Royston, next Saturday (24th September) from 4.30pm to around 7.30pm. A shepherd's pie supper will be served at about 5.30pm. The suggested donation is £7 for adults and £3 for children (or give what you can), with profits split between the harvest appeal of the Methodist relief and development charity "All we can" and local charity the Cherry Homes Trust.

We're not selling tickets in advance, but it would be useful to know numbers for catering – please let Kimberley know if you plan to come. If anyone is able to make a shepherd's pie, please also speak to Kimberley.



World Church Weekend at St. Ives Methodist Church

The September *Castle View* mentions the visit of the Vice-President of the Methodist Conference, Rachel Lampard, to St. Ives Methodist Church next month. Here are some more details about that weekend:

Saturday 8th October, 2.15pm to 5.00pm:

Learn about our links to Christians in Pakistan through presentations, workshops, discussions and food! Led by the Vice-President. There will be related games and activities for 5-11 year olds. A free event, but donations to cover costs will be welcome.

Sunday 9 October, 10.30am:

All-Age Worship led by Revd. Heather Walker, with the address given by the Vice-President.

For more information, telephone (01480) 350 270.



Cambridge Bible Society Action Group Autumn Supper

Entitled "Parables and Paradox: staying with the sayings of Jesus" and with Revd. Dr. Malcolm Guite as the guest speaker, the Cambridge Bible Society Action Group autumn supper will take place on Friday 14th October in the Queen Edith Chapel, Wulfstan Way, starting at 7pm. Tickets cost £7, and can be obtained from Brian West (e-mail: brian dot west1941 at gmail dot com).

“Big Issues” at Histon Methodist Church

This stimulating and at times controversial series of evenings to challenge your thinking gets underway again on Thursday 29th September, starting at 7.30pm, with an evening entitled “Emmaus – the first twenty-five years”. As usual, refreshments, including tempting desserts, will be served during the interval.



MWiB Autumn District Day, 6th October

The East Anglian Methodist Women in Britain (MWiB) are holding their Autumn District Day at Lowestoft on Thursday 6th October 2016. The speaker is the Revd. Michaela Youngson.

A mini-bus is available from Cambridge for anyone wishing to attend this wonderful event. There are a total of twelve seats available on a first come, first served basis on a cost-sharing basis – £7.50 per head if all seats are taken.

If you would like to attend this event, or would like any further information, then please contact either Jim or Lynn Taylor (e-mail: jamesitaylor *at* btinternet *dot* com or lynngtaylor *at* btinternet *dot* com) as soon as possible to reserve your place.



Macmillan Cancer Support coffee morning at Wesley, 1st October

Wesley Methodist Church is holding a coffee morning in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support on Saturday 1st October, from 9.30am until 12.30pm. There will be stalls of cakes, gifts, toys and Christmas cards.



Harvest Activity Morning at Royston, 1st October

There will be a Harvest Activity Morning at Royston Methodist Church on Saturday 1st October, from 10am until midday. Activities include art, craft, collage, breadmaking, construction, fruit prints, and pasta pictures. There will also be a coffee bar. All ages are welcome; there is no charge.



“Wholeness – caring for others, caring for ourselves”, 15th October
Spirituality day at Royston. More details to follow.

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land, May 2018

Revd. Colin Smith will be co-leading a pilgrimage to the Holy Land from 27th May to 3rd June 2018. His co-leader will be Revd. Bruce Thompson, chair of the Lincolnshire Methodist District. Colin will be glad to talk to anyone interested and supply further information – for further details e-mail minister *at* wesleycam *dot* org *dot* uk or telephone (01223) 361 862.



Royston Fringe

The Royston Fringe, hosted by Royston Methodist Church in conjunction with the annual Royston Arts Festival, is now underway. Contact Brian on (01763) 241 066 to book tickets.

The Gardens of Wimpole – Fri 23rd Sep, 7.30pm:

Illustrated talk from head gardener, Philip Whaites on the reconstruction of the gardens. Tickets cost £5, including light refreshments.

Carnival Fun with Flowers – Sat 24th Sep, 2.30pm:

Talk by the Revd. Alan Ashton (Secretary of Burwell and District Flower Club, and well-known to us at Castle Street) about his thirty years of experience. Tickets cost £5. Refreshments available.

Afternoon Tea with Pam Rhodes – Sun 25th Sep, 3pm:

Come and meet the *Songs of Praise* presenter, hear more about her and join her for tea and cakes. Tickets cost £5, including tea and cakes.

Art Exhibition – Sat 24th Sep, 10am to 5pm; Sun 25th Sep, 12 noon to 5pm:

Free entry.



Items for the October Castle View...

... should be with Anna (e-mail: mattandannawilliams *at* yahoo *dot* co *dot* uk) or Cassie (e-mail: cassandra *dot* morris *dot* miet *at* gmail *dot* com) by Wednesday (21st) please.

Please contact **Brian Carter** if you have any items for inclusion on next Sunday's notice sheet, ideally by Friday evening.

Tel: (01954) 782 762

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