



TEWKESBURY & APPERLEY METHODIST CHURCH NOTICES

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It is to you, O God of glory, that we come. It is on your mercy that we rely. It is to you, O Lamb enthroned that we draw near, in your salvation that we trust, in your peace that we rest.

John Haime, Methodist itinerant (1708-1784)

We send love and blessings to those amongst our church family and beyond who are suffering illness, loss or loneliness at this time. Our prayers are with you.

Love and warm greetings to all our friends who are unable to get to church – you are still very much part of our church family.

Sunday 10th August

Tewkesbury

10.30am – Gail Whiting

Apperley –

11am – Revd Jayne Webb Holy Communion

Sunday 17th August

Tewkesbury

9.15am – No fellowship meeting in August

10.30am – Revd Steve Ward

THIS WEEK AT TEWKESBURY

Wednesday 13th August

10.00am Away day at Holland House

Thursday 14th August

11am – Prayers for the church and community. Please write any special requests for prayer in the book in the vestibule, but please have the recipient's permission to do so.

Friday 15th August

2.30pm – Choir practice

Saturday 16th August

10.00am – Christmas Fair and Angel Exhibition planning

10.30am – Coffee morning

AWAYDAY - we are looking forward to our time at Holland House next **Wednesday 13th August. Please arrive no earlier than 10am - coffee will be available 10 - 10.30am.** The House has morning prayers between 9.15am and 9.45am - to which we are invited should we wish to attend - and there is also a House midday Eucharist between 11.45am and 1pm to which we are also invited. Obviously the chapel will be unavailable for our use during these times. Our programme will be largely unstructured with an opening chat from Jayne around 11am. The time up to and following lunch is a time to share or be solitary as you choose. Jan will bring some materials for activities if desired, but I suggest that if you have anything "crafty" - knitting, sewing etc to bring it along. Hopefully the weather will be kind enough for us to spend time in the lovely garden. We shall come together at 3pm in the chapel and then tea and cake will be served at 3.30pm and we will leave at 4pm. There are no other guests so the House will be locked at 4.30pm!!

I think that everyone is sorted for transport but if you have any queries at all please speak to me. (01684 772178).

I hope you enjoy this time at this beautiful venue to share fellowship and a reflective time together.

Jean Davies

Saturday 16th August at 10am CHRISTMAS FAIR & ANGEL EXHIBITION PLANNING

I'm sorry to mention this in August but we have a lot to organize this year with having the opening of the Angel Exhibition and Christmas Fair on the same day (6th December). We are suggesting that those interested in helping with the planning and setting up of this event meet with us on **Saturday 16th August at 10am** to discuss the options.

We had a successful summer fete - let's see if we can make the Christmas one even better.

Jean Davies

PASTORAL – please let me know of any of our church family who are unwell or are in need of some support. Our outreach worker, Jan, will be working in maintaining contact with all our church family. Jean Davies

COFFEE ROTAS – Saturday and Sunday

If you are able to cover a Saturday for our regular coffee morning, please sign the Rota in the vestibule. Likewise if you can assist with serving coffee after our Sunday service, please sign the appropriate Rota.

There are only a few regulars doing this now, so your support would be appreciated.

USED BLISTER PACKS

Boots in Tewkesbury now have a box for depositing used medication packs.

Please make sure there are no tablets left in the pack before putting them in the box.



2025-26 METHODIST PRAYER HANDBOOK

Orders are being taken now for this invaluable prayer resource.

Please see Dorothy to order your copy.

9.15am FELLOWSHIP

Please note that there will be no Fellowship meeting in August.
Julia and Graham

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Next meeting

Saturday 30th August at 10.30am

Tips

It would be good if you tried to have a shower rather than a bath and try to avoid pressure-showers which use much more water. If you have to have a bath, leave the water in the tub, and use it to flush the toilet the following day.



TO RECYCLE OR TO REUSE

STOP!! THINK!!

What “is” in your hand that you are about to “throwaway”?

Is it to RECYCLE or to REUSE?

and not just rubbish?

Put it in the correct bin!

STOP! THINK!

LARGE PRINT – if you are unable to read the words on the screen and the large print hymn books are not suitable for you, please see one of the stewards so we can ensure large print copies are available.

CIRCUIT NEWSLETTER

Catch up what is happening in our Circuit. The August edition is now available to read on the noticeboard in the coffee area of the church

WANTED PIANO PLAYER

Is there anyone who can play piano for our services please?

For more details, please contact

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NOTICES FOR AUGUST will be prepared by Adrian Shelley-adandgillshelley@gmail.com or 01684 297411. The deadline is 4.30pm on Thursday.