



TEWKESBURY & APPERLEY METHODIST CHURCH NOTICES

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Sharing Our Dreams Church Action on Poverty Sunday 19 October 2025

Pray with us for a society
that gives everyone dignity
and value.

Use our worship materials to
help whole churches reflect on gospel values of
justice and compassion.

Put your faith into practice!

Source <https://www.church-poverty.org.uk/sunday/>



**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 19th October

Tewkesbury

9.15am – Praise & Worship

10.30am – Mrs Alison Jackson

Sunday 26th October

Tewkesbury

10.30am – Mr Paul Turner

Apperley

11am – Locally Arranged Service

THIS WEEK AT TEWKESBURY

Tuesday 21st October

7.30pm – Property, Finance & Welcome Space
meeting

Thursday 23rd October

10.00am – Arts & Crafts Group

11.00am – 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 24th October

2.30pm – Choir practice

6.30pm – Tewkesbury Players rehearsal

Saturday 25th October

10.00am – Book Club

10.30am – Coffee morning

DIARY DATES

Saturday 1 November

10.00am – Angel making workshop

10.30am – Bible Club

IMPORTANT NOTICE PLEASE READ

WELCOME SPACE PROJECT

The works to the Hall and Guild Room
will not start until after Christmas
The issue is with the main contractor.

Mid-week communion on Wednesday
5th and 19th November may still run.

Please check with one of the Church
Stewards or Revd Jayne Webb for any
updates

If you require more information
regarding the above, please speak to a
member of the Welcome Space Team
Revd Jayne Webb, Iris Brown, Jackie
Dobbs, Patricia Turner, Jan Hoskins,
Peter Styck, Adrian Shelley.

We apologize for any alterations to the
schedules

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

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

CHRISTMAS FAIR Saturday 6th December – Please start to collect suitable items for our fair – new unwanted gifts to re-gift, tombola items, items for a Christmas hamper, books, jigsaws, craft items.

PLEASE – no bric-a-brac.

We don't have a lot of space for additional stalls. Many thanks for your help.

ANGEL WORKSHOPS

ANGELS!! We need to make paper angels for our Christmas exhibition, so we are planning to have two workshops to do this on Saturday 18th October and Saturday 1st November between 10am and 2pm. All materials are supplied, and they are very easy to make.

Please come if you are able – open to all who like a bit of simple crafting and share fellowship.

HOLLAND HOUSE - For those of you who enjoyed our away-day in August, you may be interested to know they host monthly lunches and talks. Coming up in 2026 are

23rd March 2026

A E Housman and a Herefordshire Lad

27th April 2026.

The Most Heroic Failure of modern times

Shackleton's Antarctica

29th May 2026.

A portrait of John Moore - his life and works.

The cost is £24 each.

If anyone would like more information do see me or you can book via their website.

<https://hollandhouse.org/programme/page/2/>

(I will be going to some of these if anyone would need a lift). Jean Davie

GREEN MATTERS | TMC ECO Group



Next meetings

Saturday 8th November at 10.30am

Saturday 13th December at 10.30am

TIPS

Can you check on what your bank invests into. Most banks still invest in fossil fuels, but also in arms manufacture, and other nasty products. A few banks are now really ethical, only supporting good practise firms, producing sustainable products and working as co-ops, etc.



There is a wide range of companies that count as ethical, so people can choose which products to support and which ones to avoid, in their choice of a bank..

GREEN LIFE THOUGHTS

Refuse to believe what the adverts say. You are no less a person because you don't have this gadget or have not been to that exotic place. Always wait at least 24 hours before buying something you have seen in an advert. Have regular off-line days to avoid the adverts and images on social media.

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.

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.

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