

TEWKESBURY & APPERLEY METHODIST CHURCH NOTICES

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e remember creation, breathed into life by God's Holy Spirit: places of beauty and brilliance, places of grandeur and spectacle, places of extravagant diversity. We pray, creating God, for places damaged and degraded for people scraping a living from land made fruitless by human greed Methodist Church Prayers of Intercession

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 3rd August
Tewkesbury
NO Wild Green Breakfast Club
10.30am – Revd Richard Clutterbuck – Holy
Communion

Sunday 10th August
Tewkesbury
10.30am – Gail Whiting
Apperley –
11am – Revd Jayne Webb Holy Communion

THIS WEEK AT TEWKESBURY

Wednesday 6th August 10.30am - Mid-Week Holy Communion Thursday 7th 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 8th August
2.30pm – Choir practice
Saturday 9th August
10.30am – Coffee morning
3.00pm - Section Tea

SECTION TEA PARTY

Saturday 9th August at 3pm – as we have in previous years, we will be hosting our section churches (Bishop's Cleeve, Winchcombe, Apperley and St John's) to afternoon tea on Saturday 9th August at 3pm. We shall be pleased to see anyone who can make it to welcome our guests and share tea and fellowship together.

There is a list in the vestibule, please sign up for the tea party – thankyou.

AWAY DAY - HOLLAND HOUSE - **Wednesday 13th August** – We are looking forward to sharing a quiet time of reflection and fellowship and hopefully be able to enjoy the beautiful gardens. Please can you let me have the outstanding balance of £30 per head in cash, or this can be made by bank transfer to the church account. There is a list in the vestibule of all those going – please indicate if you require a lift or if you can offer a lift. Many thanks. Jean Davies.

CHRISTMAS FAIR! - yes I'm sorry to mention this in July 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). So 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

2025-26 METHODIST PRAYER HANDBOOK

Orders are being taken now for this invaluable prayer resource.

Please see Dorothy to order your copy.

PRAISE & FELLOWSHIP

Sunday 17th August at 9.15am

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.

GIFT WEEKEND - thank you to all who made generous additional donations to our church funds. It is much appreciated. If you did not have the opportunity that weekend and still wish to make a donation, please see one of the stewards or contact Julie May, our church treasurer. If you are a taxpayer, please use the envelopes available in church in order that we can claim an additional 25% of your donation. THANK YOU.

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.



GREEN ECO MATTERS Next meeting Saturday 30th August at 10.30am

Tips

As much as possible, only heat up the water you need in the kettle, you will save water, energy, and

water, energy, money!

And your water will taste better than if it has been boiled several times.

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!

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