

Welcome to
**CAVERSHAM HEIGHTS
METHODIST CHURCH**
Sunday May 7th 2017



9.00am Holy Communion led by Revd Jenny Dowding

Vestry steward: Margaret Ellison

10.30am Morning Worship led by Revd Dr John Ogden

Organist: Peter Bernard

Vestry stewards: Margaret Ellison and Jan Talbot

Tea and coffee will be served at the back of the church after worship

4.00pm General Church Meeting followed by a Cream Tea

All who believed were together and had all things in common

Acts 2 v 44

Our flowers today are provided by Joan St Clair and arranged by Lesley Turner

Pray for our preachers today : Jenny Dowding at Gosbrook Road & Tadley Common this evening,
David Munns at Wesley and Henry Stroud at Burghfield

Sunday May 14th

Welcome/Door stewards; Joan Beaumont, Tom Chadwick, Peter Watkins
Coffee; Linda Dudley, Richard Eley and Alida Dove
Counters; David Cliffe and Maryl Beek
AV; Ian and Alida Dove (6.30pm George Allen & Symon Turner)
Readers; Myra and Viv Emerson

*If you cannot make your date on the rotas please arrange your own swap **and let the rota organiser & notices stewards know:***

For Coffee and Counting; Christine Pollard

For Welcome & Door; Viv Emerson

For Readers; Lesley Turner

For notices; Margaret Ellison and Jan Talbot

Sunday May 14th

**10.30am Morning Worship
including Holy Communion
led by Revd Jenny Dowding**

**6.30pm Evening Worship
led by Revd David Shaw**

About the service:

- Please put your envelopes or any money for the offertory into the green bags in the bowls near each door **before** the service
- Hymn books, Bibles, Worship Books are available in the vestibule.
- We have a loop system for Hearing Aid users - please switch to "T"
- Any children are welcome to go out to Sunday Starters during the service. Toys/activities for children are also available in the vestibule

Our Ministerial Team and contacts:

Minister - Rev'd Jenny Dowding, 0118 947 2223 (Day off Friday)
minister@cavhmc.org.uk

Minister - Rev'd Dr John Ogden john.ogden4@btopenworld.com

Minister - Rev'd David Jenkins 0118 327 1592 davidjenkins@clara.co.uk

Church Bookings – 0118 947 0040 bookings@cavhmc.org.uk

Treasurer - Peter Boardley phboardley@btinternet.com

Contact notices@cavhmc.org.uk if you would like notices via email.
If you would like an item included in next week's notices please send by **Monday** or put a note in the senior steward's pigeonhole today.

What's on this week

Monday May 8th

10.30am **Coffee** in the church
Stay-Awhile lunch

Wednesday May 10th

8.00pm **The Worship and Study group** will meet at the Macrae's home

Thursday May 11th

2.30pm **Network Fellowship** meets in the church hall
Speaker: Mike Cooper Subject: 'Early Closing Day'

Saturday May 13th

9.30am An invitation to a morning together and lunch at **Gosbrook Road** - see below

Sunday May 14th

10.30am The **Zimbabwean Methodist Fellowship** will be joining us for worship

An invitation to a morning together and lunch Saturday May 13th at Gosbrook Road from 9.30am

Everyone from our two churches is invited to come along for a morning of conversation and listening.

We will be hearing about how we are working with our Anglican friends to develop the challenge to work alongside people in the community in addressing loneliness. We will also be learning about noticing God in the world, and about developing our gifts of offering and receiving hospitality, individually and as churches. At 12.30, we will conclude with a shared lunch - please sign up if you would like lunch.

Christian Aid Week

Envelopes for donations to Christian Aid will be available today and next week.

House to house collections will take place from **May 14th to 20th**

There is still time to volunteer if you can do a few houses. Please speak to Brenda Andrew.

Café Théologique

7.30pm Monday 15th May

Can a person's calling include sex reassignment surgery? - Rev Dr Michael Peat, theologian and ethicist, and Free Church Chaplain at the University of Bristol. Artigiano's Bar, Broad Street, Reading,

Dates for diaries and prayers

Saturday May 27th

10.00am **Time for Prayer** in the church

Tuesday May 30th to Friday June 2nd

Our annual **Holiday At Home** will take place. If you are able to support this event in any way, please let Sherryl Quint know

Monday July 31st - Friday August 4th

CTC Annual Children's Holiday Club at St. Anne's School. Please see Barbara Macrae if you are able to help in any way

The Great Get Together at Caversham Heights Sunday June 11th

The **Jo Cox Foundation** is asking communities across the country to remember her by organising 'Great Get Togethers' and we are planning to do just that for our local community on Sunday June 11th.

The plan is to bring your own food to BBQ or a picnic for after our usual morning worship which will be on the church lawn and to which all are welcome.

Reinspired, the CTC schools project, is looking for a Project Manager (Job share) Maternity cover to work closely with their other Project Manager for 12 hours per week in term time, 2 hours per week in school holidays to start as soon as possible. For further information please contact Helen Strong on 07491 572470 or email caversham@reinspired.org.uk

District and circuit notices

Wednesday May 17th 2017

7.30pm An **additional Circuit Meeting** will take place at Mortimer Methodist Church RG7 3TB.

Saturday May 20th 2017

Saints Alive! The story of Pentecost - our next **Circuit Gathering**, incorporating a musical-in-a-day at Wesley Methodist Church, Reading RG1 4BW. Please see the notice board for the full programme.