

Welcome to
**CAVERSHAM HEIGHTS
METHODIST CHURCH**
Sunday September 24th 2017



10.30am Morning Worship led by Revd David Jenkins

Organist: Peter Bernard

Vestry Stewards: Ian Pollard and Christine Pollard

Traidcraft, tea & coffee will be served in the hall after worship

6.30pm Evening Worship with Holy Communion

Led by Revd Jenny Dowding

Organist: Peter Bernard

Vestry Steward: Colin Hinks

So he brought out his people out with joy, his chosen ones with singing.

Psalm 105 v 43

Today is Janet & Mark Plant's Ruby Wedding Anniversary & they have donated the flowers. Janet has arranged them

Pray for our preachers today: David Jenkins at Emmanuel

Sunday October 1st

Welcome/Door stewards; Joan St.Clair, Linda Dudley, Ted Smith

Coffee: Peter Watkins, Richard Eley and David Cliffe

Counters: Tony Butler and Ron Robson

AV; Rosemary Nagle; Henry Stroud and Judith Higgs

Readers; Joan St.Clair and Linda Dudley

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 October 1st

**9.00am Holy Communion
led by Revd David Jenkins**

**10.30am Rainbow Harvest Festival
Led by Revd Jenny Dowding**

Followed by a shared lunch at Gosbrook Road

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 September 25th

10.30am Morning Coffee in the church,
followed by Stay Awhile lunch

Wednesday September 27th

8.00pm Worship & Study Group meet at Macrae's

Thursday September 28th

10.15 am Fellowship in Prayer & Bible Study meet
at 4, Ashcroft Close.

8.00pm The Thursday House Group meet at
Judith's home.

Saturday September 30th Please Note

**10am - 12md The church will be open for the
delivery of flowers, window decorations and gifts**

"Champions to End Loneliness" Workshop

**Caversham Library September 26th 5.30 pm Light
refreshments provided**

Reading Voluntary Action has teamed up with our
church's Missional Innovations team

to put on this workshop where you will hear some facts
about those

people of all ages locally who experience feelings of
acute loneliness

and hear from a few enterprises already helping. There
are opportunities for you to

contribute and make suggestions together with ideas for
small acts of kindness which if everybody

did would make a big difference.

It's free but please sign up at bit.ly/CavershamChamps

or let Lesley Boardley or Myra Fowler know you would
like to attend.

Sunday October 1st

10.30 am Harvest Festival the theme is 'Rainbows'
Followed by a Bring & Share lunch at Gosbrook Road
Donations to Readifood - see notice board.

Bring and Share Lunch

Please bring Cold items of food to share with others

Either Savory or Sweet

We hope as many people as possible can join in and
share harvest lunch with friends

Saturday November 4th

The Autumn Fair in the church and hall. Root
through your cupboards & bookshelves & baking

Sunday November 5th

Shoobox Sunday - Operation Christmas Child -
see in vestibule.

Our prayers are asked for:

For the people of Sierra Leone, Nepal and Texas
affected by devastating floods.

Those areas of the Caribbean and Southern Florida
in the path of Hurricane Irma and now Maria.

Those affected by the strong earthquake in Mexico

Members of our congregation who are unwell.

URGENT APPEAL for READING FOOD BANK

We rely mostly on **weekend instore collections** where

Volunteers hand food lists to shoppers.

One of our main stores is Waitrose Caversham.

To be brief, we are struggling to recruit, it only takes
an hour or two on very occasional weekends.

The next one in Caversham is on

Saturday September 30th & Sunday October 1st

To help,

Please call 9872672 or online at :

www.readifood.org.uk/supermarkets

Safeguarding Training

Refresher Courses

Saturday October 28th Tilehurst 10am

Saturday November 25th Trinity Lower Earley 10am

To Book places, please contact Jan Talbot

District and Circuit notices

**Movement Day UK on 6 and 7 October 2017 -
at Westminster Central Hall - see notice board**

Understanding Mental Health - Liphook Methodist
Church, Saturday September 30th - Pastoral Visitors
especially welcome. See Notice board for details

Advent to Christmas 2017 Prayer Resource "for the
circuit, by the circuit". Theme: the Light ofHope,
Peace, Love, Joy. Contributions of prayer, poems,
puzzles, monochrome art and your stories are
sought. Please send them to gill@lawson-net.co.uk
by Sunday 15th October.

Alternatively if you would like to be with others when
producing material for our resource that come to a
special morning on Saturday 14th October from
10am at Burghfield Common.

**.Please save this date – Saturday 11th November
2017 ; Next Circuit Gathering, at Christ Church
Chineham RG24 8LT, the theme will be "How to"**