

### THIS WEEK, beginning Monday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2023

Monday	7.30 – 9.00pm	Table tennis
Tuesday	2.30 – 4.00pm	Bereavement Café
	7.30pm	Wives & Friends – AGM & Games
Wednesday	7.30pm	Pastoral Committee Meeting
Thursday	2.00pm – 4.00pm	Creative Arts Group
Saturday	10.00am – 12.00	Wesley's
		– Malden & Coombe Flower Club
	10.00am	Good Friday Music Rehearsal
Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup>	10.30am	Mothering Sunday Worship led by Revd Dr Karl Rutledge

#### Prayer of the Week

God of justice and mercy,  
we pray for those forced to flee their homes across the world,  
whether through conflict as in Ukraine or the Yemen,  
natural disasters as in Turkey and Syria,  
or persecution of various kinds across the world.  
May we respond to refugees with kindness and compassion. Amen

#### Hymns and Reading for this Morning's Service

51	Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father
78	Give thanks with a grateful heart
818	Psalms 95 read responsively
409	All Are Welcome
264	Make Way, make way
443	Come, let us sing of a wonderful love tender and true
Readings	Romans 5: 1-11 (NT page 165) John 4: 5-42 (NT page 101)

#### Church Family News

A memorial service for **Pam Vincent** will be held here at NMMC on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> March at 4.00pm.

#### Hacked email

If you receive an email purporting to be from Karl but not coming from Karl's usual email address, please delete.

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The loose collection for the Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> March amounted to £112.49

#### Wesley's weekday vacancies

The following are the vacancies during the next three weeks. Please would you let me know if you are able to help out. Many thanks. Sarah

Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> (one)	Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> (one)
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> (one)	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> (one)
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> March (one)	Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> (one)

#### Music in New Malden – THIS AFTERNOON 3.00pm

A performance will be given by NM Voices with Jane Wilkinson singing folk songs, new works and songs for reflection by Laura Farnell, Alison Burns, Gitika Partington and Peggy Seeger.

Tickets available online at

[www.ticketsource.co.uk/musicinnm](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/musicinnm)



#### Thank you

Thank you to everyone who supported the coffee morning in aid of the Kingston and Malden Scout and Guide Band on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> March. We raised £215 to support the band, as well as having the opportunity to raise our profile locally. The parents who came to run the event were really impressed with the facilities and grateful for the opportunity to hold this event.

Becky Haines

#### Churches Together in Malden Lent Course

The Lent Course will be held at St James' CofE Church, Bodley Rd (near the roundabout on the A3), from 7:30pm each Wednesday in Lent.

The topic is Prayer. The presenters on the respective dates will be as follows:

15 <sup>th</sup> March	Catholic Church	29 <sup>th</sup> March	Catholic Church
22 <sup>nd</sup> March	URC	5 <sup>th</sup> April	Baptists

#### Community Larder

Thank you for keeping our Community Larder stocked up. It is being well used. We have plenty of pasta for the time being but here is a list of other food that would be well received:

tinned meat, long life milk, coffee, pasta sauce, squash, instant mash, tinned vegetables, pot noodles, oils, ketchup and mayonnaise. Thank you.

## RB Kares

In faith I have purchased 30 100g of Christmas Green Wool and 20 100g of Grass Green Wool.

I delivered two bags of lovely knitted scarves to Dr Kate Kenyon of RBKares two weeks and asked if we should go on with the hats, scarves and blankets. Kate said that this winter's need with our help has been completed, but now she had a new project in mind – an artificial Christmas tree created with green beany hats with colourful pom poms on top.

The dream being that those they supported, the vulnerable elderly, young carers, refugees and the forgotten, would be able to take from the tree a special hat.

So New Malden Methodist Church would we be willing to take up the challenge, to knit one or many?

I have the wool. I have the pattern. You only need the needles.

Love Stella

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## Wesleyan Walk

Following Stella's article in the March Spotlight about the Wesleyan Wanderers, their next walk is on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> March, starting at Crooksbury Hill car park with a short climb to the top of Crooksbury Hill, across Crooksbury Common towards Charleshill then gradually downhill to the River Wey and Tilford for lunch at the Barley Mow before following the Greensand Way to Sheephatch Copse, then on to the carpark. Please see the full details on the noticeboard with full directions and contact number to book your place.

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## Lunchtime Concert – Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> March 1.10pm

If walking is not your thing and you would rather sit in a warm church and listen to some excellent music, come along to

**'2 pianos, 8 hands, 40 fingers (and thumbs)'** to hear Peter & Alison Bullett, Linda Bridges and Anthea Fry playing

The Magic Flute Overture – Mozart, Sleeping Beauty Waltz – Tchaikovsky, España – Chabrier, Arabesque No 2 – Debussy, Suite Gothique – Boëllmann, Champagne Toccata – Gillock.

40 minutes of music. Retiring collection to meet expenses.



This week's Church flowers have been kindly donated and arranged by Doreen Downey.



New Malden  
Methodist Church

*At the heart of the High Street*

**Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> March 2023**  
**Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Morning Worship led by Sally Rush

## WELCOME

It is good to have you with us today, sharing in our Worship. If you are a visitor, new to the area, or just beginning to attend this Church, we hope you will feel at home, and that you will come again.

Tea or coffee is served in the Welcome Area (Wesley's) after Morning Worship. Please stay so that we can get to know one another.

So that we may keep in touch, please fill in your details on the Welcome card in the church chairs.

Large print hymn books and Korean-English Bibles are available:

한영성경을 사용하고 싶으시면 안내하시는 분에게 이야기해 주세요.

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