### **NEXT WEEK, beginning Monday 18 August 2025**

Tuesday	10.30am	Walking Group
Thursday	10.30am	Knit & Natter
	2.00 – 4.00pm	Creative Arts
Friday	10.00 – 11.30am	Chinese Workshop
Saturday	10.00am – 12noon	Wesley's – NMMC for Amnesty
		International UK
Sunday	10.30am	Morning Worship
		Led by Rev Dr Karl Rutlidge

### Hymns and Readings for this morning's service

539 On this baptism day

51 Great is thy faithfulness

545 Be thou my vision

663 I, the Lord of sea and sky

Readings: Luke 15: 1-7 (NT page 83)

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## **Prayer of the Week**

Wise and gracious God,

we give thanks for Victory in Japan Day,

for the anniversary of Korean Independence,

and for all who served in the Far East during WW2.

May the memories of what happened and the suffering endured in that conflict never be forgotten.

Help us to learn the lessons of history, and turn away from war. Amen



This week's flowers have been kindly donated by Molly Simmonds and arranged by Julia Morton.

The collection for Sunday 10 August amounted to £87.70

#### **Church Family News**

Congratulations to **Rob and Liz Edwards** who celebrate their Ruby Wedding Anniversary today.

If you know of any significant events, anniversaries, special occasions, etc happening in the life of the NMMC family please let Barry know by emailing him at **nmmc@hotmail.co.uk** so they can be included in the weekly Notices and Spotlight.

# Wesley's in August

For the remaining Saturdays in August the Wesley's Charity Bake Sale will be hosted by NMMC in aid of various charities. If you're on the High Street between 10am and 12noon why not pop in for a nice cup of tea (or coffee) and some delicious cakes.

# **Spotlight September deadline**

The deadline for the September issue of Spotlight is **Wednesday 27 August**. Please send anything you think might be of interest: reports of recent events or activities, memories, news of members, advice for life, poems, photos, recipes, etc, to **nmmc@hotmail.co.uk**.

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# Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time 17 August 2025

10.30am Morning Worship & Baptism Led by Rev Dr Karl Rutlidge

# **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.



Please use this QR code if you wish to donate online to the work of NMMC.