



*'The Heart of the High Street'*

# Welcome to New Malden Methodist Church



## Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2018 First Sunday of Advent

- 10.30am All Age Worship  
led by Revd Dr Karl Rutledge
- 3.00pm Festival of Lights  
led by Revd Dr Karl Rutledge

## 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 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. There is also a Welcome pack available in the Welcome Area listing all our regular events.

Korean-English Bibles available:

한영성경을 사용하고 싶으시면 안내하시는 분에게 이야기해 주세요.

## THIS WEEK, beginning Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> December

TUESDAY	7.00pm	Junior Badminton
WEDNESDAY	10.30am	Wednesday Fellowship
FRIDAY	7.30pm	3 Fs
SATURDAY	10.00am	Coffee Bar – STILL AVAILABLE!!
	10.15am	Saturday Prayers
		Christmas Tree Sale
SUNDAY 9 <sup>th</sup>	10.30am	Gift Service led by Mr Dennis & Mrs Carolyn Doe

## Churches Together in Malden – This week's PRAYER THEMES

Malden Parochial School

All who have lost loved ones this year

## CHURCH FAMILY NEWS

Please pray for any you know who are in hospital, bereaved or unwell, or who are going through a difficult time.

## BEREAVEMENT CAFÉ TRAINING

The revised training dates for the Bereavement Café have been fixed as follows:

Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> January 10.00am – 4.30pm at NMMC

Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> January 10.00am – 4.30pm at Princess Alice Hospice

## WEDNESDAY FELLOWSHIP

There will be no Fellowship group on 5<sup>th</sup> December but it will return on 12<sup>th</sup> December for the last one before Christmas. Wednesday Fellowship will then resume on 9<sup>th</sup> January.

## GIFT SERVICE 9<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER – Next Sunday

This year we are again requesting luxury Christmas food and confectionary to be given to the food bank for local families to help make their Christmas special. No food with alcohol please.

Please leave your donations in the basket in the Welcome Area or bring them to the service.

Please could we also have bags and small boxes to transport the donations in. Thank you.

The **Church collection** for 25<sup>th</sup> November 2018 was £427.02. This is in addition to the weekly average of £900 in direct giving.

### COFFEE BAR

Please see Sarah if you are able to help with any of these vacancies in the next few weeks (all dates are December) or write your name on the master list in the Servery drawer. There are also several vacancies in January.

Many thanks

Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	10am – 12 noon (tomorrow)
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup>	10am – 12 noon
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup>	12noon – 2pm
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup>	12noon – 2pm (two people required)
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup>	12noon – 2pm (two people required)
Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup>	10am – 12noon
Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup>	12noon – 2pm (two people required)
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup>	12noon – 2pm

Saturdays 8<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> December and 5<sup>th</sup> January are also still free if you would like to hold a coffee morning to raise funds for your favourite charity.

### 3F's

The next meeting will be on Friday, 7th December at our home. If you would like to come please let us know.

3F's is an opportunity for fellowship and food together, with a discussion on a theme or issue which connects something of community and current affairs with our individual and collective sense of faith. If you have not been before and would like to know more about it, please speak with one of us, or to Liz and Robert Edwards or Angie and Andrew Turner, who also host these meetings. David and Susan d.knowles2008@gmail.com 020 8549 5963, Calderbank, Coombe Park, Kingston Hill, KT2 7JB

### QUIZ NIGHT

Kingston Community Refugee Sponsorship are hosting a quiz night on Monday 3rd December at the Willow (16 The Triangle KT1 3RT). Doors will open at 7pm for a 7.30pm start. Tickets are £5 per person and are available on the door. All are welcome.

### Kingston University Book Club

'Finding ideas in surprising places' Book Group discusses Monsignor Quixote by Graham Greene. Monday 3 December – 7:00 to 8:30 pm, drinks from 6:30 pm. Two elderly villagers - priest and Communist ex-mayor - explore their beliefs on a road trip through Franco's Spain, surprising each other and themselves. Venue - Kingston University Main Building, Penrhyn Road, Room 0031. Information from Leslie Packer, 020 8549 1960, or lgpacker123@gmail.com.



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

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