THIS WEEK, beginning Monday 29th May 2023

Monday	Wesley's CLOSED for	or Bank Holiday
Thursday	2.00pm	Creative Arts
Saturday	10.00am	Wesley's – Plant Sale for
		NMMC Boiler Fund
Sunday	10.30am	Morning Worship
		Mrs Jilly Bridges & Mrs Sharon Lloyd
	12.00	Extraordinary Church Council Meeting

Prayer of the Week

Faithful and loving God,

we pray for all those sleeping on the streets in New Malden, and for those crashing on a friend's sofa or in temporary accommodation.

We give thanks for the work of Kingston Churches Action on Homelessness, and pray that all may have safe, comfortable and affordable homes. Amen

Hymns and Reading for this Morning's Service

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397	The Spirit lives to set us free
824	Psalm 104
393	She sits like a bird
394	Spirit of God, unseen as the wind
395	Spirit of the living God
487	You shall go out the joy
Reading	Acts 2: 1-21 (NT page 127)

Extraordinary Church Council Meetings

There will be a brief extraordinary meeting of the church council next Sunday 4th June and also one on Sunday 2nd July to make decisions concerning the heating system installation. Please attend if you are able. All are welcome to attend.

Church Family News

Jean Bedford is still in Kingston Hospital on oxygen and antibiotics and undergoing tests. She is not up to visitors at the moment. Please pray for Jean and all her family.

The loose collection for Sunday 21st May amounted to £106.36.

Next Spotlight Issue

The deadline for the June issue is next Wednesday 31st May. Please send all submissions to nmmc@hotmail.co.uk (or in my church pigeonhole). I am happy to receive anything you think might be of interest: memories, news of members, advice for life, poems, photos, recipes etc. Thank you, Sarah Moore

Wesley's for Christian Aid

Many thanks to all who helped raise an impressive £291.85 whether they were, tea coffee & cake makers, servers or customers. Julie



Plant Sale next Saturday for Boiler Fund

We would like donations of plants, garden tools and cakes for our Plant Sale next Saturday. There will be tables in church for you to place your donations on from Thursday 11-1 whilst Wesley's is open and first thing Saturday morning.

Please come along on Saturday morning to have a coffee and cake and buy a plant! Friends and neighbours welcome too.

Julie

Circuit Reps

Would you like to represent New Malden Methodist Church at Circuit Meetings? The meetings happen every quarter in one of the four churches. We currently have 3 vacancies. The next meeting is 6th June and the next one will be in September. Please speak to Julie or Karl for more information. It is really important that we are fully represented at the meetings.

Speirs House

We shall be singing hymns at Speirs House on Weds June 7^{th} (with Communion) and July 5^{th} .

All are welcome to join this informal group, regardless of vocal ability. It is nice for the residents to see some new faces! We have been asked to come 2-3pm, which is less convenient from some points of view but I have said we'll give it a try. More details, and lifts from Church, available from Alison.

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 30th (one) Tuesday 13th (two) Tuesday 6th (two) Wednesday 14th (two) Thursday 8th (two) Thursday 15th (one) Friday 16th (one)



This week's Church flowers were kindly donated by Caroline Marsden and arranged by Julie Haines.

Music in New Malden Sunday 11th June 3.00pm

The final concerts of the summer feature a welcome return for violinist. Andrew Roberts (of the Fitzwilliam String Quartet). Andrew has previously appeared several times on classical violin in recitals with local fortepianist, John Irving. This time, he will be playing modern violin in a duo recital with pianist Rachel Fryer in a programme that includes two of the real gems of the classical literature by Beethoven and Brahms - the ideal way to relax on a summer's afternoon!

Beethoven Sonata in C minor, Op.30 no2

Kurtag "Three pieces" Bartok Rhapsodie no1

Brahms Sonata in D minor, Op.108 Joachim Romance in C

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Sunday 28th May 2023 **Pentecost**

Morning Worship led by Revd 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:

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