



Welcome to New Malden Methodist Church

Sunday 21st October 2018
Twenty ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10.30am Morning Worship led by Revd Dr Karl Rutledge
3.00pm Afternoon Tea and Chat
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 21st October

MONDAY	7.30pm	Wives & Friends – Toilet Twinning
TUESDAY	7.00pm	Junior Badminton
WEDNESDAY	10.30am	Wednesday Fellowship
	11.00am	Make Lunch
THURSDAY	2.00pm	Arts Group
FRIDAY	7.30pm	3 Fs (see Notice)
SATURDAY	10.00am	Coffee Bar – Preserves Market
	10.15am	Saturday Prayers
SUNDAY	10.30am	Holy Communion & Family Service led by Revd Stan Brown

Churches Together in Malden – This week's PRAYER THEMES

Warren Park Centre for the Disabled Richard Challoner Boys' School

CHURCH FAMILY NEWS

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

Sadly, **Doug Bryan** died peacefully last Sunday. His funeral will be on Friday 9th November. Details to follow. Our thoughts and prayers are will Gillian, Andrew and Rosemary and all the family.

David Gilman's mother has also passed away. Her funeral was last Friday and we send love and prayers to David and Gillian and all their family.

And now for some good news ...

Greta Curry is now back home and recovering well after an angioplasty on Monday.

Nicky Horton is now melanoma-free. She will continue to have 4 weekly treatment but all tumours have gone.

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

The deadline for the November edition is Friday 26th October.

Please send any contributions to carolineauty@hotmail.com. You can also leave them in the editor's pigeon hole in the Welcome Area, though I do have a slight preference for email.

Caroline Auty

The **Church collection** for 14th October 2018 was £424.67. This is in addition to the weekly average of £900 in direct giving.

COFFEE BAR CRITICAL

The first draft of the Coffee Bar Rota for November to January has a rather scary **97** vacant slots on it out of a possible 268. This includes the double shift on Wednesday afternoon, 31st October. Several regulars are absent at the moment due to ill health, as well as holidays, and we desperately need more volunteers in order to keep this vital outreach to the community going. Please would you consider whether you could give up 2 hours per month (or more!).

I have put a copy of the draft rota in the Welcome Area. Please have a look and fill your name in as many as possible of the empty boxes.

Many thanks, Sarah

DONATIONS

Every year the Church Council agrees a list of organisations to which the Church subscribes or to which it makes donations. This is an invitation to all members of our church community to comment on the list for 2017/18 and make suggestions for any changes for the upcoming 2018/19 year, both reductions/deletions, and new organisations that might be supported.

The Finance Committee will consider all comments at its next meeting and make recommendations to the Church Council in January.

Copies of the current list are in the Welcome Area.

Please tell Gloria Tavinier (the church treasurer) or myself, in the Welcome Area after Sunday morning services, or send me any written comments.

David Knowles d.knowles2008@gmail.com

MEMBERSHIP

Are you interested in becoming a member of the Methodist Church? It's a great way to explore faith and deepen your relationship with God. If you're interested, please let Karl know by the 11th November, so he can organise an 'exploring membership' session.

BEREAVEMENT CAFÉ

NMMC is starting a Bereavement Café in conjunction with the Princess Alice Hospice. If you'd like to be a Volunteer Listener or Café Host, please complete and return an application form (available from the church office). No experience is necessary and training will be provided.

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.

BOILER NEWS

Members and friends may be aware that one of the main church boilers has been shut down due to a failure notice being issued when it was recently serviced. I have now been informed by the contractor who will undertake a repair that the manufacturer is fabricating the combustion chambers at the moment which they will then dispatch to the merchants. The boiler contractor is estimating the receipt of these is the first week in November when they will contact me with a view to arranging an appointment for overhauling the heat exchanger and installing the combustion chambers. We will need to hope that the warm temperatures that we have been experiencing recently will continue. *Mick Tavinier*

3Fs

3Fs will next meet on Friday 26th October at 10 Burberry Close. Please let us know if you are able to join us for Faith, Food & Fellowship

Rob & Liz Edwards 8949 4023

UPPER HALL DECORATION

The Upper Hall is being decorated during half term, this coming week.



This week's Church flowers have been kindly donated by Betty Thorogood and arranged by Julia Morton.

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