



New Malden
Methodist Church

*At the **heart** of the High Street*



Spotlight

November 2024

Message from Karl

Some things seem sent to try our patience!

At the time of writing, I am waiting for the transfer of my work e-mails from the old system onto the new, which I do not doubt will be a significant improvement. However, not having access to either my contacts list or previously stored messages is a little frustrating, as it means simple tasks take longer. It feels like being in a strange kind of limbo, albeit a very minor one in the grand scheme of things; not knowing quite when things will be sorted out does not help. I am reminded of a t-shirt I used to own which said, 'God, please give me patience, but make it quick!'.

When we look at the conflicts raging across the world at present – most notably, but sadly far from limited to, those in the Middle East and between Ukraine and Russia – it is tempting to join in with the cry of the Psalmist: how long, O Lord, do we have to wait for peace to come? In November, we pause to remember those who have fought in the many conflicts since the Great War, which was meant to be the 'war to end all wars', and this year we recall the D-Day landings in 1944. Eighty years since Allied troops landed on the beaches of Normandy, destined to put an end to the tyranny and horror of the Nazi regime, our world still seems very far from finally putting darkness and evil to bed. How much longer will we have to wait for peace to come?

True peace, as the Bible shows us it, is not merely about the absence of military conflict. That would, of course, be a good start; however, the vision of Shalom to which the Scriptures point is one in which all people are enabled to flourish, and the value of all creation is respected. When the Kingdom of God comes in all its fullness, we are promised there will be no more tears, suffering and pain (Revelation 21). In the meantime, we are in that waiting place, that painful limbo in which we know the ultimate direction of travel but have no idea when we will get there. Jesus does little to ease our discomfort, by pointing out that we cannot know the date and time of God's final setting right of all things (see, for example, Mark 13). Our job is to get ready.

To be ready for peace to come means making a start in the here-and-now. How we relate to one another matters, because it says something about the value we believe we and others have. My uncle is a veteran who served in the Army in Northern Ireland in the 1980s and 1990s, before the Good Friday Agreement and thus amid some of the worst years of the Troubles. I know he really struggles with knowing how badly some veterans have been treated, and especially about a lack of adequate mental health provision which too often results in addiction and homelessness issues. Where we disagree is that addressing this means we should turn our backs on refugees, on those displaced by conflict, climate change, prejudice and crippling poverty. Compassion is not like pie, and there is no limit on how much love there is to go around in a world which only exists in the first place because of the inexhaustible love of God.

Some of the most profound tensions in our society are exacerbated by groups of people being pitted against one another, by those whom it benefits to sow division. We therefore see, for example, veterans being set against refugees, pensioners against public sector workers, people in work against disabled people who cannot work, trans people against women, Muslims against seemingly everyone else, and so forth. These divisions keep ordinary people angry with one another, and serve to distract from how deeply unequal our society is. It is abhorrent that those who are already wealthy continue to get even richer while so many do not have enough to eat, a decent and secure home, or enough money to not worry about putting on the heating in winter.

True peace will not come to pass when injustices like this are allowed to fester, and getting ready for it means challenging divide-and-rule narratives. It means valuing in material terms every single person, as there is simply no such thing as a human being who does not matter to God. Society will continue to be divided if we refuse to address rampant inequality, and the stacking of the system in favour of those who can afford to shower politicians with freebies in return for access to and a voice in the corridors of power. Wars will continue to rage while those in power do not recognise the equal value of Palestinians and Israelis, and cannot even bring themselves to condemn the burning alive of displaced people in tents seeking shelter in Gaza. The sacrifices of armed forces personnel, then and now, will not be truly respected while international law is rendered meaningless by inaction in the face of war crimes and genocidal actions.

Friends, if we want to see peace, we cannot sit idly in this time of limbo. We need to actively seek peace by using our voices to speak up for the voiceless, and by learning to see others as God does, as infinitely valuable. Getting ready for peace is hard, but nobody said authentic discipleship would be easy. The Church is called by God to be an agent of reconciliation and peace, to break down barriers between people and embody the peace Jesus himself came to bring. May we have the courage to do so, even when the waiting and the longing feels agonising; after all, if not now, then when?

Every blessing, Karl

Spotlight's Safeguarding Space

We all enjoy photographs however to keep everyone safe please do not forward any photos of people included in the 'Wellness Groups' or 'Wesley's Café team' WhatsApp chats. Should you not wish your photo to be taken & included in church publicity material – particularly online - do please speak to me or Lee. Thank you

Liz Edwards
Safeguarding Officer



Summary of other October notices

Harvest Festival & Lunch

I am pleased to let you know that at the Harvest Lunch attended by 40 people we raised £235 for Action for Children (formerly NCH). We are posting a cheque today. My thanks to David and Sue Knowles for their invaluable help with the lunch and the helpers who kindly cleared up. Pam Bugeya

A big thank you to Pam as well as her helpers for providing the excellent lunch, and to the group of people involved in decorating the church which looked beautiful.

More Thank Yous

A big thank you for all the wonderful support at our Saturday coffee morning in aid of Prostate Cancer UK. We made a total of £266.51! It was lovely to see people from the church and we are very grateful for the homemade cakes donated. The Willis girls and their families

Back to School Quiz

We'd like to thank everyone who came to the Back to School quiz on Saturday 28th September. A good time was had by all and we raised a magnificent £100 for Magic Breakfast, a charity which provides breakfast for 200000 schoolchildren who otherwise would go hungry.

Wesley's Saturday 28th September

A magnificent £414.70 was made at the Macmillan coffee morning on 28th September. Thank you to everyone who helped and supported.

Ukrainian Fundraiser

We are delighted that last weekend's special events in aid of British Aid for Ukraine (coffee morning and concert) resulted in our being able to send well over £2000 to the charity. This would not have been possible without the help of all who baked, bought, donated and supported in so many ways... including clearing up! So thanks to everyone for this wonderful team effort.

Wesley's Saturday 26th October

The coffee bar run by NMMC on 26th October raised nearly £250.00 and with further donations on Sunday we have been able to send £332.08 to Zoe's Place, a baby hospice in Liverpool who were facing closure if they did not raise £5m by 9th November. The hospice were very grateful for our contribution and we agreed that eating cake was one of the best ways to raise funds. Happily they have raised the amount they needed.

Back to School Quiz

6pm on Saturday 28th September saw over 20 avid quizzers ranging in age from 8-80+ assemble at the church for a Back to School quiz. Armed with a variety of snacks to get them through to second sitting dinner time, they pit their wits against questions in key school subjects including a popular maths round. Who doesn't like maths?

It's always good to be the only person in the room to know something and on this occasion there was some remarkable individual knowledge on display. Shout out to:

- David Knowles for knowing Michael Henchard was the Mayor of Casterbridge and well done for getting to the end of this depressing book.
- Gareth Morton for identifying which numbers sit at north, south, east and west on a dartboard – sign of a well-spent youth.
- Eun Jung for knowing Paul was a tent maker (not a tool maker) – sadly only after the papers had been handed in!

There were some excellent team performances in rounds – unsurprisingly the teams with Peter and Alan in did well in the science round and the Moore Abells aced the literature round. Somewhat embarrassingly everyone did very badly in Religion and World Views but luckily Karl wasn't in attendance to witness these very low scores and give everyone detention, or post-school intervention as it might be called now. On the plus side one of the church organists guessed the question of Wesley hymns correctly.

The very wittily named Moore Abells won overall but it was very close with most teams only a few points behind. The team named the Wooden Spoons didn't actually take away the wooden spoon and the super 6 extended Morton family won the maths round. More importantly a good time was had by all and we raised a magnificent £100 for Magic Breakfast – a charity that provides breakfasts to school kids who would otherwise arrive at school on an empty stomach. I don't know about you, but I can't do anything if I'm hungry so this is a very worthwhile cause.

I'm not one for single word judgements but it was an excellent evening and one which has whetted my appetite for more question setting. A 30 year quiz to mark 30 years of Wesley's anyone? Start revising now!

Caroline Auty



Many thanks to our question-setters, Caroline and Robert, and to Isabel for keeping the all-important scores!



Harvest Photos



Thank you to everyone who donated greenery and produce and to the ladies who decorated the church for harvest.



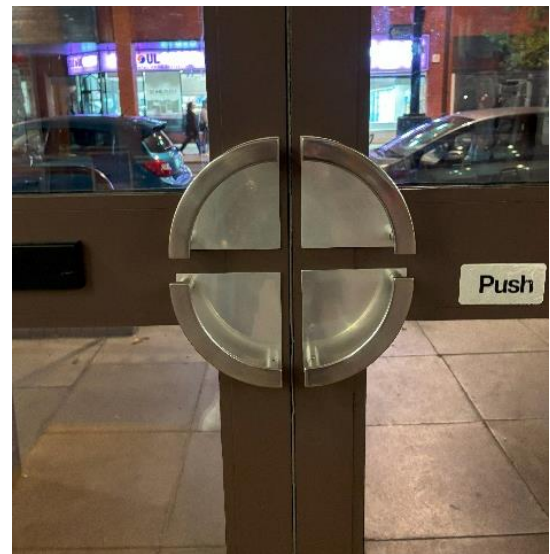
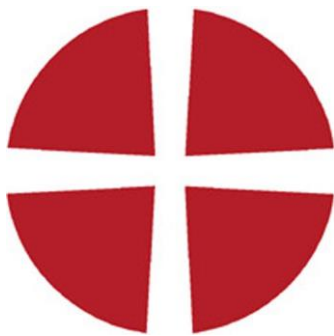
Caption anyone?

30th Anniversary Celebration

Wesley's at 30

Next June we will be celebrating the 30th Anniversary of Wesley's with a special weekend 14th - 15th June. Wesley's is the name more recently given to the Welcome Area for which a Service of Dedication was held in 1995. The name 'Wesley's' was chosen after the founders of Methodism and although John & Charles would not recognise much of our modern world they would, I'm sure, recognise the welcome that is given to all who share in the varied activities offered through the Wellness Groups & the support provided by the volunteers enabling our community to grow.

As you enter Wesley's please take a moment to notice the door handles which were specially made to represent the Methodist logo reminding us of the foundation on which we continue to build.



Postbox Topper

Thank you Julia for the decoration on top of the postbox. As I sit in Wesley's it gives me great pleasure to watch people stop and admire, to take photos and parents/grandparents hold up young children to see better.
Julie Haines



Wesley's Community Hub

Please see the November Calendar at the end of this issue for details of what is happening during this month including Tai Chi, the Walking Group, Knit & Natter and Short Tennis.

Lee and some helpers attended a Kingston Council event at the Guildhall last week representing Wesley's to the wider borough as a Community Hub and Wellness centre. Sue Knowles said the event was well organised, well attended and there was a great deal of interesting information to access. Well done Lee for putting the NMMC programme of activities on the Kingston map!



All Wesley's volunteers and NMMC congregation are invited to an event on Friday 22nd November at 5 for 5.30pm in Wesley's to share fellowship together and celebrate the end of a successful year. There will be food available but feel free to contribute something if you wish.

For the latest updates and more information, follow Wesley's on Facebook and Instagram:

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📷 Instagram: <https://www.instagram.com/wesleysnewmalDEN/>

Email nmmc.wesleys@hotmail.com





Christmas Fair – Friday 29th November 4.30 – 7.00pm

The clocks have gone back now which means that Christmas is fast approaching and the Christmas Fair will be the first in our programme of events and services (more of which later).

The usual stalls and fun will be in evidence with favourites like books, puzzles, jewellery, crafts and decorations, knitwear, face painting, the ever popular soft toy tombola, Santa and so much more.

To make this a tremendous success we need YOU to help and donate.

From the beginning of November, there will be a basket in Wesley's to collect donations (PLEASE NO Bric-a-Brac or videos), so look out your books, toys, puzzles, games, unwanted gifts, toiletries, DVDs, soft toys, jewellery, or knit and sew for the craft stall.

Help on the day is essential so please sign up on the sheet which is on the noticeboard in Wesley's so we know who is available and can allocate a specific space.

Do sign up and please, please do not presume we know because you always come!

If you cannot man a stall, could you help with setting up (from 12.00 noon onwards) or with the clearing away after 7.00 (finished by 8.30pm last year!).

The more the merrier to make it all run smoothly and not take too long!

We will also require help with moving the chairs at 11am on Thursday 28th.

Christmas Services & Events

At time of press, these are the planned Christmas events and services.

December

Sunday 1st	10.30am	Gift Service. Donations of luxury goods for Food Bank
Saturday 7th	9am – 4pm	Christmas tree sale on patio
Sunday 8th	10.30am	Morning worship led by Sally Rush
Friday 13th	10am-2 <u>and</u> 6-7pm	Christmas tree decorating for festival
Saturday 14th	9am – 4pm	Christmas tree sale on patio
	10.00am	Wesley's – NMMC for the Christmas Tree Festival
	10.00am – 4.00pm	Christmas Tree Festival (CTF)
	10.15 – 11.45am	Rehearsal for Lessons & Carols (Choir Vestry)
Sunday 15th	10.30am	Morning worship led by David Fullbrook. After the service, a children's choir will be singing carols during coffee time.
Thursday 19th	4.30pm	Service of Remembering (for those who find Christmas difficult due to disappointment and bereavement)
Saturday 21st	10.00am	Wesley's – NMMC for the Christmas Tree Festival
	10.00am – 1.00pm	Christmas Tree Festival
	10.00 – 11.30am	Rehearsal for Lessons & Carols (Choir Vestry)
	11.30am	Carol singing in the High Street.
Sunday 22nd	10.30am	Service of Lessons & Carols
Tuesday 24th	5.00pm	Christingle Service
	8.00pm	Communion Service
Wednesday 25th	10.30am	Christmas Morning Family Service
Saturday 28th	Wesley's will be closed	
Sunday 29th	10.30am	There will be no service but Wesley's will be open for coffee and conversation. The Christmas trees will be taken down for which all help gratefully received. Come along for a post Christmas catch-up – bring your leftover cake and mince pies!

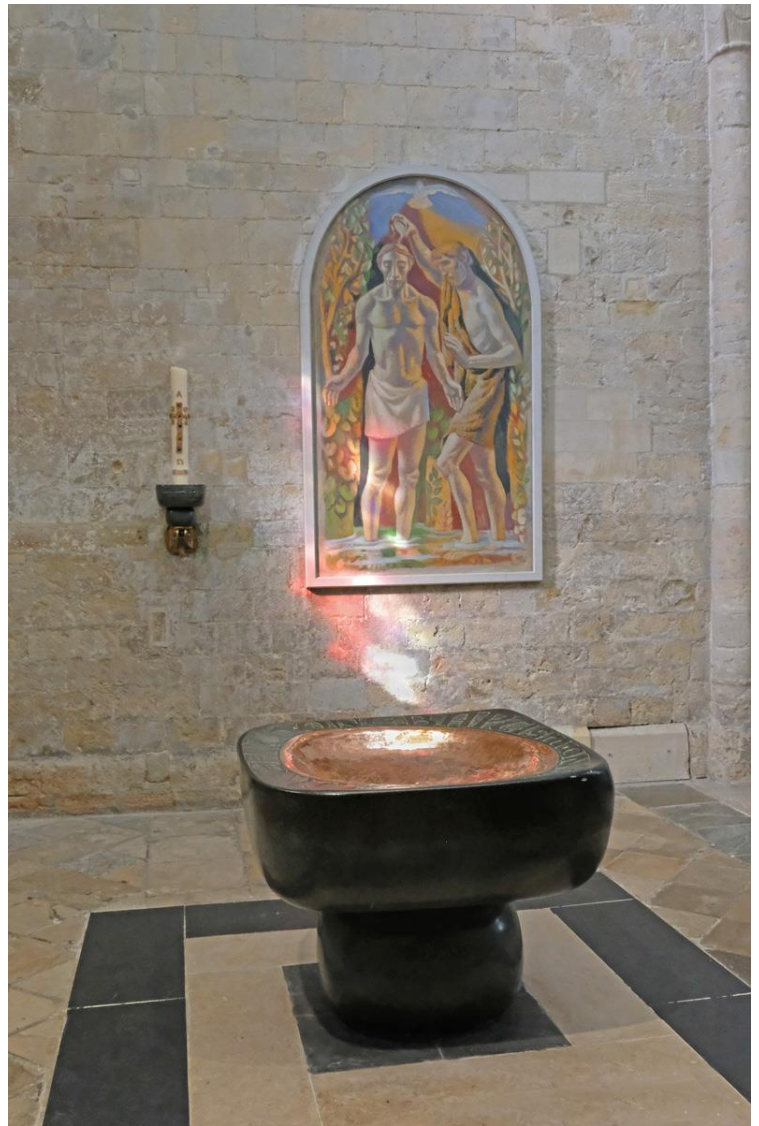


Wesley's closures December - Wednesday 25th, Thursday 26th, Friday 27th, Saturday 28th and Wednesday 1st January

Chichester Cathedral's Font

Malden Camera Club had a weekend away in Chichester in early October. During a visit to Chichester Cathedral Alan Vincent took this photograph of the font designed by John Skelton and installed in the Cathedral's Baptistry in 1983. The font is a marvel of artistry and craftsmanship carved from 180 cubic feet of exquisite green stone from Polyphant Quarry in Cornwall. The selection of the stone's colour and the copper bowl lining the font were specifically chosen to complement the adjacent painting "The Baptism of Christ" by Hans Feibusch on the west wall. The words around the font, "One Lord, One Faith, One Baptism," are from Ephesians 4:5. (Information from the Cathedral web site)

Alan Vincent



Beverley Brook

A few weeks ago we found ourselves with a free Saturday and put it to good use walking the length of Beverley Brook*. We'd done something similar with the Hogsmill in lockdown and enjoyed our lunch in Bourne hall park surrounded by rats...! This time we set off from New Malden station, down Cambridge Avenue and under the



underpass. Here you can pick up the Beverley Brook almost at its start and follow it through Wimbledon Common into Richmond Park at Kingston Vale and along to Roehampton Gate. We had a nice lunch and coffee in the cafe at this point and the walk was taking us familiar territory so far. From Roehampton Gate the route takes you through some woods onto Palewell Common which we didn't know but is very lovely indeed. From Sheen and its very impressive houses we weaved through to Barnes Common and wiggled through by Barn Elms to join the river Thames near the start of the boat race. We needed another cup of coffee by this stage but there are countless places on the Upper Richmond Road in Putney

so we were ok. We caught the 265 back to New Malden. Despite the start and end of the walk being a little bit industrial or maybe urban, the bit in the middle is really pretty and at 10km or 6 miles it's a perfect distance.

*we think the brook actually rises somewhere in Worcester park but is in a culvert until B&Q!

Merton council has a guide to the route here

Caroline Auty

https://www.merton.gov.uk/system/files/beverley_brook_walk_web.pdf

Sudan – A Forgotten Crisis

Nearly 25 years ago a young man took up his first posting as a diplomat in Sudan in Africa. His mother, Patricia, wanted to see where he would be working and visited him there. They were appalled at the abject poverty in which children were living and determined that they had to find a way to improve their lives with projects that would transform their lives long-term.

Whilst travelling across the desert to North Darfur they met a 9 year old boy called Ibrahim. The river beds had dried up and he was returning from a 7 hour walk for water which he carried in two jerry cans for his family. Under Darfur lies one of the largest aquifers in Africa which could be reached with the help of handpumps, but none were available.

They found Ibrahim's mother camped out under some trees with her other four children. They were there because their three goats could eat the twigs and leaves on the ground under the trees. Patricia was offered their evening meal – a bowl of goat's milk, and she quickly realised that goats were crucial to the health of the children. They provide the nutrients and protein to ward off malnutrition. She could see how important these little goats were to the family, but three goats were not enough to sustain them. If they could "loan" 5 kids to a family, within a couple of years the herd (with the help of a Billy goat) would have grown and 5 could be loaned to another family.

Patricia spoke to the women and young girls in the village to find out what life was like. They told her how terrified they were of childbirth. The only help in a village was an untrained Traditional Birth Attender, someone who had "survived" childbirth but had little knowledge of even the basics of hygiene or first aid. Many of the women had died because of lack of trained healthcare.

She had identified the need for providing loans of goats, hand pumps for clean water, "paravets" to care for the animals and trained midwives and first aid workers. She went back to Khartoum. Five days later, with the help of friends there, KIDS FOR KIDS was founded (www.kidsforkids.org.uk).



23 years on the charity continues to work in the most remote areas and despite continued conflict it has now adopted 110 villages each with a trained committee to run the projects, to repair the water handpumps and ensure that the goat loans pass on from family to family. It has lent donkeys to carry heavy loads, chickens to provide eggs for the elderly, seed and agricultural tools to help produce more crops, and mosquito nets to reduce malaria cases. It has built health centres, trained midwives and built kindergartens to give children an education. It is now planting trees to slow the encroachment of the Sahara desert. Ibrahim, whom Patricia first met as a boy, is now a man who has been to university and has a family of his own.

Almost since the start of independence in the 1950's Sudan has suffered civil war, genocide and misplacement of people. The UN reports that "the complete loss of communications across Sudan hinders all efforts to coordinate the delivery of humanitarian aid, which is urgently and vitally needed by more than 25 million Sudanese". Over 10 million people have lost everything and are homeless. The UN has said that Sudan is the worst humanitarian crisis in the world today. Children are dying right now from starvation in Darfur. The charity's latest initiative is providing Kids Kitchen Kits including lentils, ground nuts, vegetable oil and fresh vegetables to families who have children aged 5 and under. The Kits will supply the essential proteins and minerals for malnourished children who face stunted growth, bone, teeth, hair and even brain damage through lack of vital nutrients.

In our prayers for Ukraine and other crises in the Middle East let us add Sudan, areas in our world suffering from man's inhumanity to man, and for the many charities who are trying to help.

Gloria Tavinor

Next Spotlight Issue – Double issue for December & January

Please send all submissions to Sarah Moore at nmmc@hotmail.co.uk (or in my church pigeonhole). Please send me anything you think might be of interest: memories, news of members, advice for life, poems, photos, recipes, etc, by **Wednesday 4th December**.

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NMMC Diary Dates – November

Friday 1 st	11.30am	Writers' Workshop
Saturday 2 nd	10.00am – 12.00pm	Wesley's – Cancer Research
Tuesday 5 th	10.30am	Tai Chi
Thursday 7 th	2.00 – 4.00pm	Creative Arts
	1.00 – 3.00pm	Short tennis in the Upper Hall
Friday 8 th	11.30am	Writers' Workshop
	2.00 – 4.00pm	Board Games
Saturday 9 th	10.00am – 12.00	Wesley's – VACANT. Please contact Sarah to book
Sunday 10 th	3.00pm	Music in New Malden concert (see page ---)
Tuesday 12 th	10.30am	Tai Chi
	2.30 – 4.00pm	Bereavement Café
	7.30pm	Wives & Friends – Crafts for Christmas
Thursday 14 th	11.00am – 12.30pm	Knit & Natter in Wesley's
	1.00 – 3.00pm	Short tennis in the Upper Hall
Friday 15 th	11.30am	Writers' Workshop
Saturday 16 th	10.00am – 12.00pm	Wesley's - Kingston & Malden Scout & Guide Band
Tuesday 19 th	10.30 – 11.30am	Walking group
	1.10pm	Lunchtime concert (see page -----)
Thursday 21 st	1.00 – 3.00pm	Short tennis in the Upper Hall
	2.00 – 4.00pm	Creative Arts
Friday 22 nd	11.30am	Writers' Workshop
	5 for 5.30pm	Wesley's Volunteer Year-End Celebration
Saturday 23 rd	10.00am – 12.00pm	Wesley's – Inner Wheel
Tuesday 26 th	10.30am	Tai Chi
	7.30pm	Wives & Friends –
		Prison Chaplaincy – Jane Bishop
Thursday 28 th	11.00am – 12.30pm	Knit & Natter in Wesley's
	11.00am	Sanctuary set-up for Christmas Fair
	1.00 – 3.00pm	Short tennis in the Upper Hall
Friday 29 th	11.30am	Writers' Workshop
	4.30 – 7.00pm	Christmas Fair
Saturday 30 th	10.00am – 12.00pm	Wesley's – NMMC Table Tennis Club



November Music at NMMC

On **Sunday 10th November at 3 pm Vox Duo** – Karla Grant (soprano) and Julia Solomon (mezzo soprano) with David Palmer (piano) - will be offering a Handel programme based on his (sometimes scandalous!) relations with two 18th-century operatic divas. Something somewhat unusual for MiNM, but promises to be very entertaining.

Our **Tuesday lunchtime concert on 19th at 1.10 pm** features **Connor Fogel**, a prize-winning pianist, who is playing a virtuoso all Liszt programme, including arrangements of Schubert songs and themes from Mozart's Don Giovanni. Not to be missed.

Christmas Music at NMMC

There will be two opportunities for you to sing carols this year: the first on Saturday 21st December when we sing carols and Christmas songs to the community on the High Street for half an hour at 11:30 to raise money for charity, and the second, our service of Lessons and Carols on Sunday 22nd December at 10:30.

There will be an enlarged singing group to lead the carols and to contribute some choral items on 22nd, which we are hoping will be drawn very widely from the congregation and beyond, including some who have not joined us before.

The items will be easy to pick up and all you'll need is enthusiasm and be able to sing more or less in tune! **Please let Peter know if you would like to come along** p.f.bullett@blueyonder.co.uk 020 8942 0666.



Rehearsals for the Lessons and Carols will take place on two Saturday mornings:

Saturday 14 th December	10:00 – 11:30	in the Choir Vestry
Saturday 21st December	10:00 – 11:15	In Church

You can also hear Part 1 of Handel's *Messiah* on Sunday 8th December at 3 pm when The *Harmonie Choir* and *Orchestra* present this timeless retelling of the Christmas story from the prophecies in Isaiah to the fulfilment of them in the birth of Jesus Christ, related by St. Matthew.



Please make a note of these events and come to support them. Peter Bullett

Circuit Plan

	CHESSINGTON 10.00 am	KINGSTON 10.30 am; 6pm	NEW MALDEN 10.30 am	SURBITON HILL 10.30 am
	Korean Language Service at Chessington on Sundays at 12.30 led by Rev Paul Han			
03 November	Maraj-Ogden: HC 4pm: Maraj-Ogden: RSV	Rutlidge: CF/HC	Vernon: AA	D Lloyd 4.30: Coveney: PP
10 November	Cocking: RS	Webb: RS	Rutlidge: RS	Maraj-Ogden: RS
17 November	S Lloyd: C	LA: AA Rutlidge: HC	Rutlidge: HC	LA
24 November	Fullbrook	Rutlidge	Stonehewer	Maraj-Ogden: HC
01 December	Maraj-Ogden HC	Vernon G/HC	Rutlidge G/HC	Stonehewer 4.30 B Coveney PP
08 December	Han G	Rutlidge	Rush	Maraj-Ogden G
15 December	D Lloyd	Rutlidge MN Rutlidge SJ	Fullbrook	Maraj-Ogden 4.30 Maraj-Ogden CC
22 December	S Lloyd N	LA C	Rutlidge C	Maraj-Ogden HC 4pm Maraj-Ogden CL
24 December	11.15pm Maraj-Ogden MH	No Service	5pm: LA/CG 8pm: Rutlidge HC	4.30 B Coveney CG
25 December	Han AA	Rutlidge AA	Rush AA	Maraj-Ogden AA
29 December	LA	LA	Coffee, Catch up & Dismantling	LA
05 January	Maraj-Ogden CV/HC	Rutlidge CV/HC	Stonehewer	Bridges
12 January	Han	S Lloyd AA	Rutlidge CV/HC	Maraj-Ogden CV/HC 4.30 B Coveney PP
19 January	D&S Lloyd CO	Fullbrook Rutlidge	Maraj-Ogden	Rutlidge
26 January	Maraj-Ogden	Bridges CF	Rutlidge	B Coveney
02 February	Maraj-Ogden HC	Rutlidge HC/PV	S Lloyd AA	Vernon 4.30 B Coveney PP
09 February	Stonehewer	D Lloyd	Rutlidge HC/PV	Maraj-Ogden HC
16 February	D&S Lloyd CO	LA AA Maraj-Ogden HC	Vernon	Maraj-Ogden
23 February	Maraj-Ogden	Rutlidge	LA	LA
Abbreviations AA: All Age Worship C: Carol Service CC: Choir Café CF: Café Church CG: Christingle		CO: Contemporary Service CV: Covenant Service G: Gift Service HC: Holy Communion LA: Local Arrangement MH: Midnight Holy Communion		MN: Messy Nativity N: Nativity PP: Praise Party PV: Pastoral Visitors Rededication RS: Remembrance Sunday Service SJ: Carols at St John's
Online services (follow links): Kingston: Sundays & You Tube: Windows on Worship New Malden: Sundays & You Tube: Windows on Worship Surbiton Hill: 10.30 Sundays. You Tube: Surbiton Hill Methodist Church				

Answers to the Chemist Quiz

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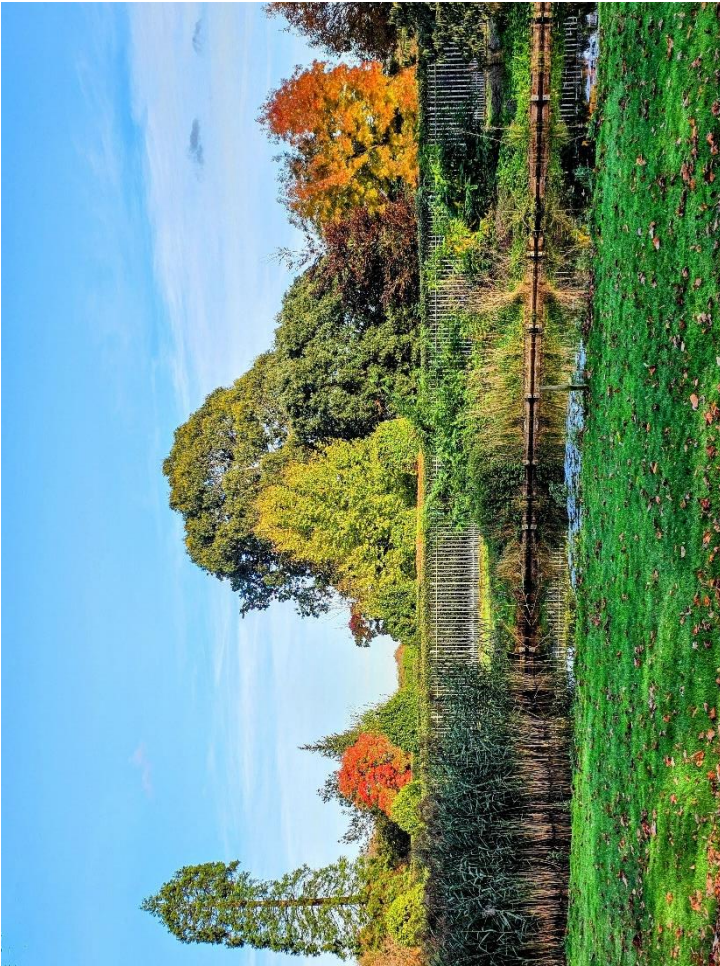
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3. GEADNAB Bandage
4. NOBARACTEBI FO DAOS
Bicarbonate of Soda
5. NITL Lint
6. ARTTOH SPITSLAEL Throat Pastille
7. TANDSICTIEFN Disinfectant
8. HAMOSTC RWOPDE Stomach
Powder
9. CEDMIEN Medicine
10. MINTOTNE Ointment
11. ECLNMAIA NOTLOI Calamine Lotion
12. WRESDNA VERIL ASTLS Andrews
Liver Salts
13. IRCCTI DAIC Citric Acid
14. MOPSE TSSLA Epsom Salts
15. GREOAN WREOFL TREWA Orange
Flower Water
16. CRIEENYGL Glycerine
17. STAPEHOOTT Toothpaste
18. ASTOALLSETP Elastoplast
19. MNIIIVTA ETTLBAS Vitamin Tablets
20. HUCOG TUXERMI Cough Mixture

Animal Kingdom Quiz

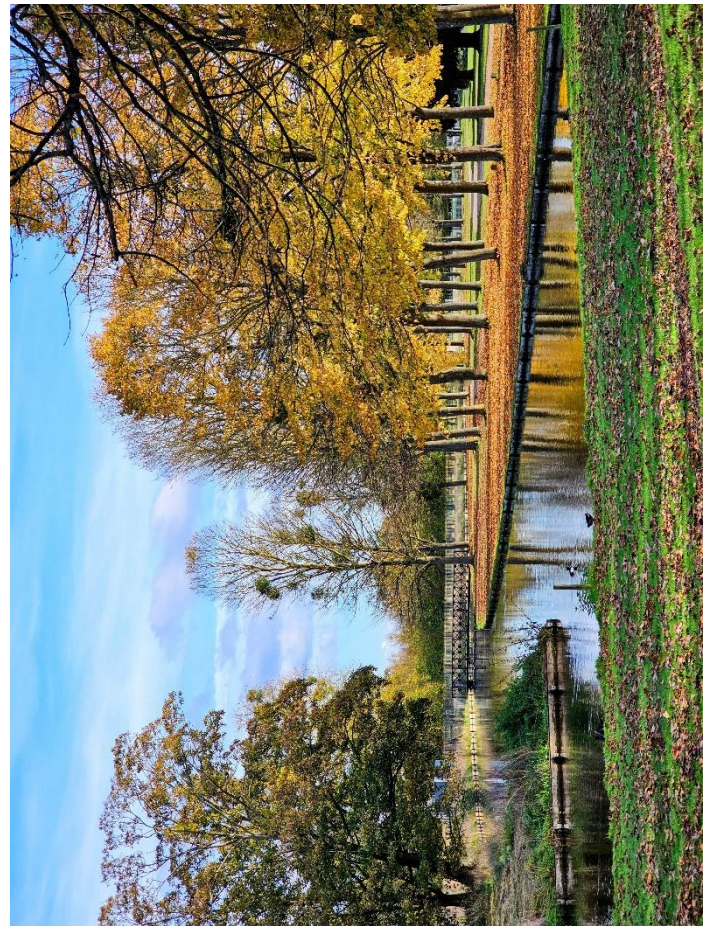
Some more anagrams for you to try

1. APPLIED LUCKY BUT SLID
2. MOURN WORD
3. SROTIC BACON ROT
4. A RANK GOO
5. A HEN Y
6. KAC JAL
7. HE CHEAT
8. SIP UP HOOT MAP
9. I SCORE HORN
- 10.SAW EEL
- 11.CRIED COOL
- 12.BALL WAY
- 13.LIAR LOG
- 14.A GROAN NUT
- 15.IN A HARP
- 16.SEE LONG HIP GOLD SHED
- 17.HOLDS FIG
- 18.LING MEM
- 19.LAND LED DOGGYS
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Autumnal Photos from Karl



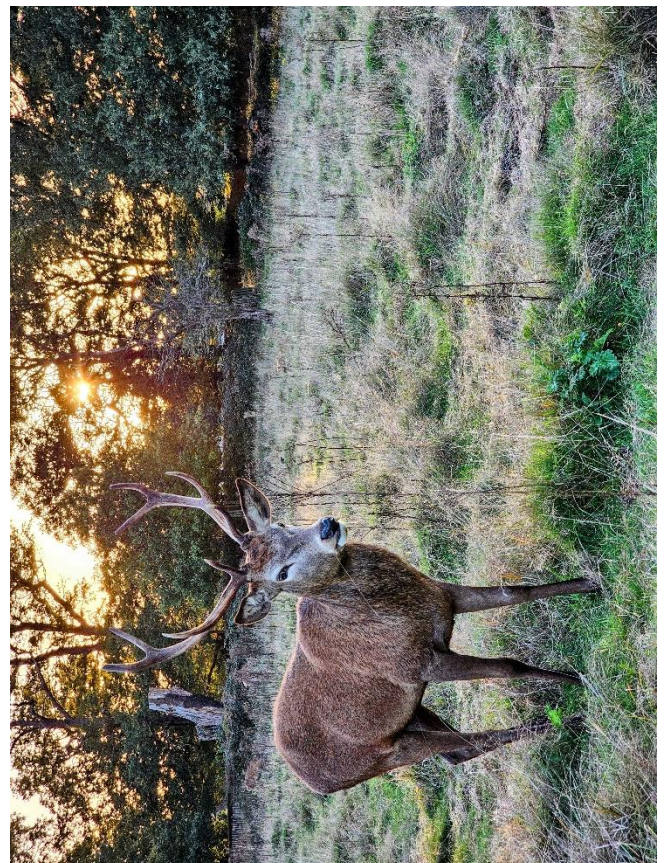
Hampton Court Gardens



Hampton Court Reflections



Seen in Kensington Gardens



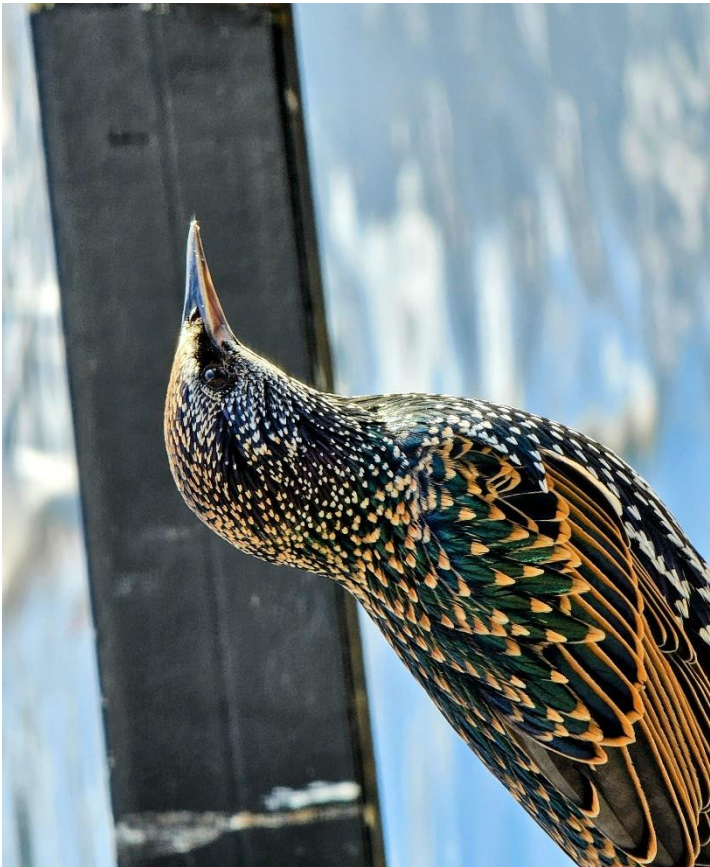
Posing Stag in Richmond Park



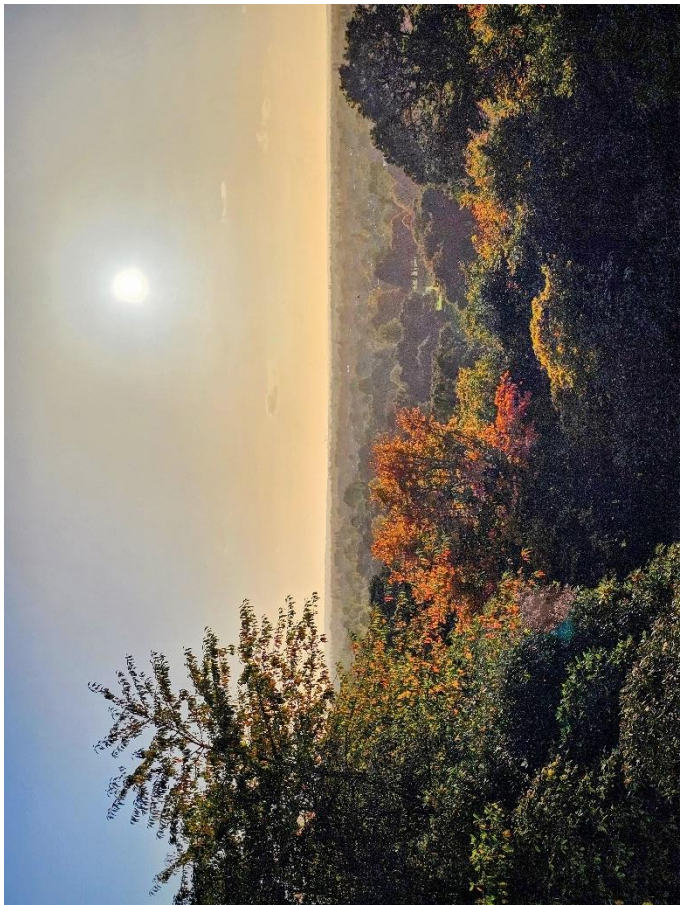
Sunset in Bournemouth



View from Hampton Court Bridge

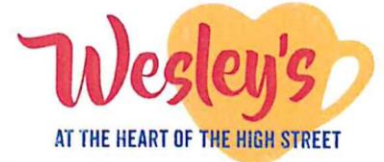


Starling in Hyde Park



View from Pembroke Lodge

Wesley's Calendar - November 2024



Date	Day	Coffee Bar	Wellness Activities & Social Connection	
28/10/24	MON	10-2pm Community Cafe		
29/10/24	TUE		10:30 Tai Chi Qigong	
30/10/24	WED			
31/10/24	THU		10:30 Knit & Natter	1-3pm SHORT TENNIS
1/11/24	FRI		11:30 Writers Workshop	
2/11/24	SAT	10-12 Charity Bake Sale - Laura for Cancer Research		
3/11/24	SUN	10:30-11:30am Sunday Service (All Age Worship)		
4/11/24	MON	10-2pm Community Cafe		
5/11/24	TUE		10:30 Walking Group	
6/11/24	WED			
7/11/24	THU		1-3pm SHORT TENNIS	2-4 Creative Arts Group
8/11/24	FRI		11:30 Writers Workshop	
9/11/24	SAT	10-12 Charity Bake Sale		
10/11/24	SUN	10:30-11:30am Sunday Service (Remembrance Service)		
11/11/24	MON	10-2pm Community Cafe		
12/11/24	TUE		10:30 Tai Chi Qigong	2:30 Bereavement Cafe
13/11/24	WED			
14/11/24	THU		10:30 Knit & Natter	1-3pm SHORT TENNIS
15/11/24	FRI		11:30 Writers Workshop	2-4 Board Games
16/11/24	SAT	10-12 Charity Bake Sale - Becky H for Scout & Guide Band		
17/11/24	SUN	10:30-11:30am Sunday Service (Holy Communion)		
18/11/24	MON	10-2pm Community Cafe		
19/11/24	TUE		10:30 Walking Group	
20/11/24	WED			
21/11/24	THU		1-3pm SHORT TENNIS	2-4 Creative Arts Group
22/11/24	FRI		11:30 Writers Workshop	
23/11/24	SAT	10-12 Charity Bake Sale - Inner Wheel		
24/11/24	SUN	10:30-11:30am Sunday Service (Morning Worship)		
25/11/24	MON	10-2pm Community Cafe		
26/11/24	TUE		10:30 Tai Chi Qigong	
27/11/24	WED			
28/11/24	THU		10:30 Knit & Natter	1-3pm SHORT TENNIS
29/11/24	FRI		11:30 Writers Workshop	4-7pm Christmas Fair
30/11/24	SAT	10-12 Charity Bake Sale		
1/12/24	SUN	10:30-11:30am Sunday Service (Gift Service HC - Donations of Luxury Goods for Food Bank)		

Wesley's Community Hub & Cafe

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**Therefore encourage one another and build each other up,
just as in fact you are doing. (1 Thessalonians 5:11)**

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