

**Sunday Club**

29 October - NO Sunday Club

05 November - Sunday Club in the Church

**Sunday - 05 November - Shoe Box Sunday**

10.30 am - Local Arrangement  
6.30 pm - No service at either Church

**The next Church fellowship lunch will be on  
Friday 3rd November at the Toby Carvery.**

**All are welcome - we will meet at 12-15 for 12-30.**

**Please let David know if you would like to go.**

***Stewards today***

*Vestry Stewards: Paula & Jenny*

*Door steward: : Jean Coffee: Eileen & David*

*AV: Martin: Sound: Kathleen:*

*Music: David Jenkins: Readers: David & Eileen*

**Please save this date – Saturday 11 November - Next Circuit  
Gathering, at Christ Church Chineham RG24 8LT  
Full details on Notice Board**

**CAVERSHAM METHODIST CHURCH**

**Gosbrook Road**

**Ministerial team**

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**Open to God, walking with Jesus, serving His world**

**Sunday 29 October**

10.30 am - Revd Jenny Dowding  
6.30 pm - No service at Either Church

**Welcome to Church today**

Jesus replied: “Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. Matthew 22 v27

Fair trade tea and coffee served after the service

**What's on this Week**

**Mon. 2.00 pm - Art Group**

**Tues. 10.00 am - Babies & Toddler Group**

**Wed. 10.00 am - Prayer meeting**

**10.30 am - Coffee Companions**

**Coffee Host - David**

## Dates for your Diaries

### REInspired Volunteers Coffee Morning

**Thursday 2 November** at 11.00am to 12.15pm at  
Caversham Baptist Church.

This is for current volunteers and anybody who might be interested in volunteering in the future. Please feel free to come along for coffee and a chat without any obligation. A chance to find out a little bit more about the churches work with Caversham schools.

**Saturday 4 November** Autumn Fair at Caversham Heights  
11.00am to 2.00pm (and not 5th November as stated in newsletter)

**Sunday 5 November - Shoe Box Sunday** Leaflets now available .

This year they are suggesting a **donation of £5.00 to cover the transportation costs. Please keep to their list of items.**  
We still have some Shoe Boxes available - suggested donation 40p

**Sunday 5 November** - All Souls Service at Caversham Heights  
at 3.30pm

Joint **Church Council 9 November** at Caversham Heights Methodist Church at 7.30pm. Please make every effort to attend this important meeting. We will be starting to consider the future of our church as requested by the Circuit meeting.

### Saturday 25 November - Christmas Fair

See list of Stalls.

**Wanted: GOOD quality items. Items suitable for the Raffle; cakes; jams and preserves; Items for Tombola; Toys and puzzle (make sure all the pieces of the puzzles are in the box including all items for Board games).**

**Please only donate items that are new, or nearly new and in very good condition.**

### Christmas Services

**Sunday 17 December** Carol Service – 10.30 am

5.00 pm at Caversham Heights

**Christmas Eve** - Nativity Live.

Further details to follow.

## Have you heard - Reading Buses are proposing to scrap bus 24. See poster on Board.

Proposed major changes to the Pink Bus route that runs throughout Caversham will inconvenience people greatly.

Please contact Reading Buses with your concerns.

The consultation document is at

[www.reading-buses.co.uk](http://www.reading-buses.co.uk).

The more people who contact them - the better the outcome will be.

## Please remember in your Personal Prayers

Derek & Mary Richings

David Shaw

Paula's granddaughter Senna home now from RBH but still poorly  
Church friends unwell at this time

Circuit Stewards who are working hard on new appointments

The Methodist Churches in our Circuit

All countries affected by the current storms and hurricanes.

## Nativity Live 2017- Your help is needed!

Yes I know it is a long time until Christmas, but with the growing success of this event on Christmas Eve we need to have a greater number of marshals and we will also be using them at fixed points to ensure the safety of all involved. Please could anyone who is able to help on Christmas Eve from about 3.30pm until 5.00pm give their contact details (email if possible) to a steward for passing on to the chief marshal, so that he is able to allocate specific positions to each marshal.

We as Methodists also need to provide shepherds and angels.