

Welcome to
**CAVERSHAM HEIGHTS
METHODIST CHURCH**
Sunday October 29th 2017



10.30am Morning Worship

Led by Robin Gowers

Organist: Peter Bernard

Vestry Stewards: Colin Hinks and Lesley Turner

Traidcraft, Tea & coffee will be in the hall after worship

Let the favour of the Lord our God be upon us, and prosper the work of our hands - O prosper the work of our hands!
Psalm 90 v 17

Our flowers today are provided by Pat Bennett and Sylvia Tompkins and arranged by Lesley Turner

Pray for our preachers today: Jenny Dowding at Gosbrook Road and David Jenkins at Emmanuel

Sunday November 5th

Welcome/Door stewards; Tom Chadwick, Ron Robson & Brenda Andrew

Coffee: Linda Dudley, Margaret Mynett and Margaret Withers

Counters: Peter and Katherine Canavan

AV; Rosemary Nagle; George Allen and Ken Macrae

Readers; Jean Graham and Peter Boardley

If you cannot make your date on the rotas please arrange your own swap and let the rota organiser & notices stewards know:

For Coffee and Counting; Christine Pollard

For Welcome & Door; Viv Emerson

For Readers; Lesley Turner

Sunday November 5th

**9.00am Holy Communion
Led by Revd Jenny Dowding**

**10.30am Morning Service led by
Revd David Shaw**

**3.30pm All Souls Service
Led by Revd Jenny Dowding**

About the service:

- Please put your envelopes or any money for the offertory into the green bags in the bowls near each door **before** the service
- Hymn books, Bibles, Worship Books are available in the vestibule.
- We have a loop system for Hearing Aid users - please switch to "T"
- Any children are welcome to go out to Sunday Starters during the service. Toys/activities for children are also available in the vestibule

Our Ministerial Team and contacts:

Minister - Rev'd Jenny Dowding, 0118 947 2223 (Day off Friday)
minister@cavhmc.org.uk

Minister - Rev'd Dr John Ogden john.ogden4@btopenworld.com

Minister - Rev'd David Jenkins 0118 327 1592 davidjenkins@clara.co.uk

Church Bookings - 0118 947 0040 bookings@cavhmc.org.uk

Treasurer - Peter Boardley phboardley@btinternet.com

Contact notices@cavhmc.org.uk if you would like notices via email.

If you would like an item included in next week's notices please send by **Monday** or put a note in the senior steward's pigeonhole today.

What's on this week

Monday October 30th.

10.30am Morning Coffee in the church,
followed by Stay Awhile lunch

Thursday November 2nd

2.30pm Network Fellowship meet in the hall.

Members Afternoon.

7.30pm Moving chairs in Church for Autumn Fair

Friday November 3rd

Preparation for Autumn Fair & donations etc received
after 6.30pm

Saturday November 4th

11am - 2pm Autumn Fair in the church and hall

Dates for your Diaries

Thursday 2nd November

Reinspired Coffee Morning - 11.00am - 12.15pm at
Caversham Baptist Church

This is for volunteers and anybody wishing to know
more of the Christian work in local schools.

Sunday November 5th

Shoebox Sunday - Operation Christmas Child -
see in vestibule. Boxes available - 40p.

Thursday 9th November

Joint **Church Council** in the church at 7.30pm
Please make every effort to attend this important
meeting. We will be considering the future of our
churches, as requested by the Circuit Meeting

Churches in Reading Women's Centre welcome day

As you may be aware the C.I.R.W.C has now moved to a
new home at Emmanuel Methodist church, 448 Oxford
Road, Reading, RG30 1EE.

Our mission is to provide companionship, a safe
environment, good food and a listening ear for women
from all our communities.

Having been at Wesley Methodist Church for all of
our 20 plus year history, we have now moved to new
premises and we would like to invite you to come to see
what we do, and to think about women you know who
might find the services we offer of value.

We are holding an open event from 1 -3 pm on Tuesday
21 November and we would love to see you and your
contacts. We will be providing tea and cake and we will
also have a short service of commissioning the Centre
and its team of volunteers led by Maria Howard of
Emmanuel Church at 1 30 pm.

We would love to see you as we are keen to make new
relationships in the community, and also to think as we
are keen to make new relationships in the community. To
help us with getting the right amount of cake (!) please
do RSVP to enquiries@cirwc.org.uk

Our prayers are asked for:

David Shaw, who is now looking after 3 Basingstoke
churches as well as Wesley , Whitley & his Circuit
Superintendent's role.

The Circuit Stewards who are working hard on the
future staffing needs in our Circuit.

Members of our congregation who are unwell.
Jean Bean and Tom Chadwick, both in hospital

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.

District and Circuit notices

Advent to Christmas 2017 Prayer Resource

"for the circuit, by the circuit". Theme: the Light of
.....Hope, Peace, Love, Joy.

Please save this date – Saturday 11th November 2017 ; Next Circuit Gathering, at Christ Church Chineham RG24 8LT, the theme will be "How to"

Christmas Craft Evening at Silchester Methodist
Church RG7 2NY Thursday 23rd November, 7
for 7.30pm Tickets to include Refreshments £5,
available from Kathy 0118 9701234 and Rosemary
0118 9792219

David Young has a website:

www.primitivemethodism.com

containing a history of Church Street Methodist from
John Wesley's visits till its first purpose-built chapel,
plus details of a 234-page paperback "The great
River" (Tentmaker Publications, Stoke-on-Trent,2016)
which traces the history of Primitive Methodism in
northern Hants till 1868. David grew up in
Basingstoke and began preaching in the circuit.

Safeguarding Training

Refresher Courses

Saturday November 25th Trinity Lower Earley 10am
To book places, please contact Jan Talbot