



The Methodist Church

Horfield and Bishopston Methodist Churches.

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We are part of the Bristol and South Gloucestershire Circuit (www.bsgc.org.uk) a family of churches serving communities across the local area.

Sunday 26 May 2024

WORSHIP DETAILS for 26 May

Horfield at 10.00. Local Arrangement

Bishopston at 10.30 conducted by D. North

Lectionary readings. Isaiah 6: 1-8, Psalm 29, Romans 8: 12-17, John 3: 1-17

OTHER WORSHIP DETAILS for 26 May and the week

Please refer to your preferred TV and radio guide for details of broadcast worship.

You will also find an online service of Morning Prayer to cover each day of the week, available from first thing each Monday at <https://westburyparkchurch.org.uk/worship-service>

WORSHIP DETAILS for 2 June

Horfield at 10.00 conducted by Revd M Slocombe with Holy Communion

Bishopston at 10.30 conducted by R Sledge

GENERAL NOTICES. Please send items for the notices to secretary@horfieldmethodist.org.uk by Tuesday.

Eurfron Parry. There will be a thanksgiving service for Eurfron's life at Horfield Methodist Church on Friday 31st May at 11.30am. Refreshments will be served afterwards. The service will be on Zoom with the usual Sunday morning link. (Details of link on last page of these Notices)

Horfield and Bishopston. An important part of our discipleship is to pray for our community and one another. This week you are asked to pray for the following and their families: Joan Lewis, Arthur and Chantal Lewis, Sandra Lloyd, Brian and Sheila Lomas, Pauline Lush, Lucy Manners, Josie Mather, Katherine Matthews.

Spring Fayre. A big thank you to everyone involved in the fayre, from the fundraising committee, to the volunteers and all who came along on the day. Everyone enjoyed themselves and the feedback has been very positive. The good news is that we raised over £1,500 on the day and in addition to that, Margaret's plant sale was a huge success and raised an additional £700. A really great effort by everyone!

Art Class. There will be no art class on 31st May.

Advanced Safeguarding Module face to face at St. Andrew's on Tuesday 18 June, 9.30 for 10.00 until 1.30, for those who need to attend or update their training. Eventbrite link for bookings to follow.

Bristol Churches shelter update. As you know, several members of our church were part of a 100+ group of volunteers from over 20 churches who supported the work of the Bristol Churches Shelter. It is recognised by Bristol City Council for its part in reducing rough sleeping in the city. While the City Council provides some

funding, this does not cover the whole costs incurred. Although many donations have been received there is still an urgent need for further contributions to try to ensure that this project can run successfully again in winter 2024/2025. If you wish to make a donation please use bank account number 01408518, sort code 40-14-13, with the name inHope, using reference BCS.

Calling all BMC Financial Supporters - Transfer of the Methodist Centre to Turnaround Bristol. Are you a regular financial supporter of Bristol Methodist Centre? The Circuit has been working hard to contact financial supporters to keep everyone informed about changes to arrangements. Existing standing orders to Bristol Methodist Centre will need to be stopped and (if desired) new ones set up for Turnaround Bristol. New gift aid forms will also be needed.

Please contact Naomi Sharp (churchandcommunity@bsgc.org.uk 0117 239 2875) OR the Methodist Centre for more information.

What is a Dementia Friendly Church? Saturday 8 June, 09.30 - 3.00 at Stockwood Free Church, Ladman Road, Stockwood, BS14 8QH. More details - Tel: 07741 142701, dementiafriendlychurch@bdaa.org.uk
Tickets from Eventbrite. Poster on Notice Board.

Dates for your Diary

Worship Consultation meeting - Horfield on Wednesday 5 June at 7.30

Church Council - Horfield and Bishopston on Tuesday 11 June at Horfield at 7.30

Bring and Share lunch - for Horfield and Bishopston on Sunday 14 July

Worship Consultation meeting - Horfield on Thursday 5 September at 7.