

MEETING TOGETHER

People to Contact

Sunday		
Young Church	10:00	Rick Price
Great Heights	20:15	Phil and Jacqui Sarbutts
Tuesday		
CAMEO	10.00	Margaret Clarke
Rock Solid (fortnightly during term time)	19.30	John Harrington
Contact	15.00	George Lea
Tues Evening Reflective Worship	19.00	Kathryn Price
Wednesday		
Wednesday Worship	10.30	Liz Parkinson
Toddlers	10:45	Susie Metcalfe
Friendly Food	12:15	Hazel Crummett
Banner Making	14:00	Sue Jacklin
The Singers	18:45	Christine Watson
Thursday		
Baby Chat	10.30	Emma Coe
Network	14:30	Margaret Pattie
Scouts	19:15	David Heatley
Friday		
Tiddlywinks	10.30	Emma Coe
Beavers (6-8 years) (Parish Rooms)	18.30	Jacque Metcalfe
Cub Scouts (Woods Lane Guide HQ)	18:30	Neil Kidd
Focus	19.30	Val Pickwell
Messy Drinks (Friday before Messy Church)	20:00	Phil Sarbutts
Saturday		
Men's Breakfast (Monthly)	8.30	John Harrington
Playgroup (Weekdays, Term Time)	9:15	Christine Watson

Activity bags are available for children to use during services. (see a steward for assistance)

An **INDUCTION LOOP** is provided for the benefit of hearing aid users.

Please note the **Communion Wine we use is non-alcoholic**. Please let one of the Stewards know prior to the start of the Service if you require Gluten, wheat and dairy-free wafers for communion

Christian children's books are available to loan from Emma Coe.

Large print bibles and hymn books are available, please ask a steward.

The Notices are published on the web (at www.chmc.org.uk).

Any personal contact information (phone numbers, email addresses, etc) will be omitted from the website unless it is explicitly stated that they should be left in. To book a room phone the office or go onto <http://mid.as/chmc/request> where you can click onto the date you want to book using the calendar to the left of the page.

Cheadle Hulme Methodist Church



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Minister: Rev Gill Newton Day Off - Friday
Pastoral Worker: Alison Gunn Day off - Thursday
Children and Family Worker: Emma Coe

Welcome to Worship

Notices for Sunday 10th November

Remembrance Sunday

10.00am Morning Worship led by Charles Nevin and Colin Taylor. Margaret Gulson will lead Reflect. Richard Spurr will be the organist. Young Church and crèche are available.

6.30pm Evening worship led by Louise Gough and Kieran Metcalfe with the Worship Band

A prayer as you prepare for worship

God of heaven and earth, God of power and might, we worship You - high and lifted up - above and beyond our understanding. We cannot bind You with words, confine You in phrase and sentences. We cannot see beyond the veil of Your glory, but, sensing Your majesty, we worship You. Amen.

We remember in our prayers Charles Nevin, Colin Taylor, Margaret Gulson, Louise Gough and Kieran Metcalfe leading worship and Richard Spurr and the Worship Band leading the music. Also Bob Bartindale leading worship at Centrepoint, Bramhall Pat James leading worship at St Mary's, Handforth

Join us for Worship and Prayer this week

Tuesday Evening Reflective Worship

Tuesdays at 7pm – 7.30pm, a quiet, reflective time and space to come worshipfully and peacefully before God.

Wednesday Worship

On **Wednesdays** at **10.30am** a group meets for a short time of worship, prayer and fellowship in room 1. All are welcome, please come and join us. This week's worship will be led by Gill Newton and will include Holy Communion.

Prayer

If you'd like the opportunity to share your joys or concerns in prayer with someone, a member of the Prayer Team will be in the Prayer Space at the back of the church after the morning service. Alternatively, speak to the Minister/ Preacher, the Pastoral Worker or a Church Steward.

Prayer Web requests may be sent to Colin & Kathryn Taylor

Open Church

Usually the Church is open 9.30am – 3pm Mon – Fri for your own prayer and reflection. If you wish someone to meet with you for prayer please contact the church office 0161 485 1605. Please feel able to use the prayer resources available in the basket

Sunday 17th November

10.00am Morning worship led by Phil Meadows and Alison Gunn to be followed by lunch and workshop on the Inspire Network.

Refect will not be meeting this week. Richard Spurr will be the organist. Young Church and crèche are available.

6.30pm Evening worship led by Rev Gill Newton and The Singers will include Holy Communion and prayers for healing and wholeness.

Listen again!

If you missed last week's services (or want to listen again) they are both available on the church web site (go to "Missed a Service" "Listen Again")

November Magazine

Is available today, please remember to collect yours from the pigeonholes.

Members' Directory

The new membership Directories are now in the pigeon holes for collection. They are in sealed envelopes as they contain confidential information

Today

Collection for Foodbank

Our next collection for **Chelwood Baptist Church's Foodbank** will be TODAY. All donations will be gratefully received but if we can especially provide tinned meat and fish that would be great. Jenni will be taking the donations on Tuesday if anyone would like to bring items before then to the office.

If you are unable to bring groceries cash donations are also very gratefully received

Advent Bookstall -

Come and see our Advent Bookstall where Christmas Cards are now available.

This week

CAMEO

Will meet as usual on Tuesday 10am to 2pm Anyone who would like to join us for coffee or lunch and a chat will be welcome

Leadership Team Meeting

Tuesday 12th November at 7.30 p.m. at 2 Thorn Road, Bramhall

Friendly Food

A hot meal is served at 12.15pm, £3 for adults and £1 for children. No need to book, all welcome. If you would like to help on a rota please speak to Hazel Crummett or Kathryn Price.

Meeting of Leadership Team and Team Leaders

Wednesday 13th November at 7.30 p.m. in the Coffee Lounge

Network

Will meet on Thursday 14th Nov at 2.30pm when Rev Louise Gough will be speaking.

User Group Meeting

Thursday 14th November at 7.30 p.m. in Room 1

Nov 17th Visit by Rev Dr Phil Meadows - How Discipleship renews the Church

The morning service, led by Rev Dr Phil Meadows from Cliff College will be followed by a simple lunch and a workshop, with input from Phil and time for reflection and interaction. Phil is the leader of the Inspire movement and he will offer encouragement to our existing Inspire bands as well as introduce the Inspire vision to others. All are welcome. The event will end by 2.0pm

Future events

JMA box collection time

It's count up time for those who collect for JMA. So check down the back of the sofa for any spare coins, pop them in, and bring them to church so I can get it all counted up in preparation for World Church day on the 24th November, when certificates and badges will be presented. We're really looking forward to hearing from Rev Katie Thomas from Wilmslow & Styal in that service, to learn more about JMAs work from her experience as a mission partner in Chile.

Thanks for your support! Gez Butterworth (JMA Secretary)

Bible Study Group

Please note that we will continue our series on the Gospel of John on the following dates: November 25th, January 27th,

Contact Group

"A Dickens of a Christmas" on Tuesday 26th November at 3pm. We have arranged for an illustrated talk by Ann and Don Metcalfe on Christmas customs and traditions. Please come if you are interested; visitors will also be most welcome.

Christmas Trail - Evening dates ERROR

The latest church magazine contains an error with regards the evening dates for the Christmas Trail.

The CORRECT dates for the evening trails are:

Thursday 5th December; Wednesday 11th & Thursday 12th December.

There is NO Tuesday 10th December evening Trail.

Carol Singing

I am pleased to say that Styal and Wilmslow will be organising the usual Christmas Carol singing - this year to be held at Sainsburys Cheadle Royal.

Saturday 7th December 2013 from 10 am to 12 noon. Everyone will be welcome.

We have arranged a couple of rehearsals Wednesday 20th and 27th November at Styal Chapel at 7.30pm., but whether or not you can make them you are welcome on the day. Remember we try and wear something red if possible.

Regards, Janet George, Steward at Styal

Shoe boxes

A huge thank you to all who helped to fill the shoe boxes for Operation Christmas Child, 166 boxes have been sent, an increase on last year.

Farewell To Gill Newton And Family

Please keep the evening of Friday April 25th free for our farewell event to Gill, Leslie and Laura. The details are not confirmed yet. There will also be a Circuit Farewell Service on the evening of Sunday 27th April at Bramhall.

Gloves etc!

The people running the Chelwood Baptists 'Loaves and Fishes' scheme in Stockport (i.e. a hot meal served to homeless and needy people at 6.30pm each Sunday) have asked us, please, to collect gloves, hats, socks, scarves which could be offered to those who come for food. Please leave them in the office for Margaret Clarke. Thank you

Prayers for others

A helpful reminder that both the prayer book and the prayer tree are available for everybody to use to request prayer for specific situations and people. (Please ensure any people included have given their consent to be named)

Prayers on the prayer tree will be offered by the prayer team for a period of 2 months following request.

Prayers in the prayer book will be offered in Sunday worship, either all together as the whole book is offered to God during prayers of intercession or the names may be read out individually. These prayers will also be included on the weekly prayer web.

Please take time to read the requests so you can also include the people and situations in your own personal prayers.

Property Repair File

The property repair file is now kept on the desk in the outer office, if you see a job which requires attention please put it in the file under the appropriate room section and it will be done at some point in the following month. If you consider the job urgent and needs attention during the following week please inform Maggie via email or a note on her desk. If it requires immediate attention please inform Barbara Clark. Thanks for your help in this matter.

Christmas is Coming!

We are now displaying a number of Christmas event posters on the general church notice board which we have received from other churches, please have a look at what is going on!

Focus

Will meet on Friday 29th Nov when the subject will be Christmas Theme Contributions and Food (not as advertised in the November magazine)



HOME *group* IMPROVEMENTS

For new, established
and prospective leaders .

An informal evening to share
ideas for facilitating in small
groups.

**Thursday November 21st
at 7.30pm in Room1**

**All welcome. No experience
necessary!**

Getting Nearer. (A note from the Ministerial Invitations committee)

We would like to give you an update about progress so far with the appointment of a new minister from September 2014. You might recall that the invitations committee were working through the list of 120 available presbyters in order to match them to our church profile and, as the appointment is also for a superintendent minister, match them to the Circuit section of the profile too. This has now been done and at a meeting of the committee on 30th October we were able to produce a shortlist of 5 and a long list of 10 for Keith Davies (Chair of the District) to consider prior to the meeting of the Stationing Committee (November 4th to 7th).

The Invitations committee were agreed on 3 names, from the short list of 5, who we believe best match both the needs of the church and those of the circuit. These names were submitted by Sylvia Cowling (Circuit Steward and Chair of the Invitations committee) to Keith on 31st October and he has taken these forward to the Stationing Committee for its consideration.

Before very long now the Invitations Committee may know the name of the presbyter who will be invited to come to look round the church/circuit, be interviewed by Duncan, Maurice (Church Stewards) , Sylvia and the rest of the Invitations Committee with a view to ensuring that we have the best possible match for both ourselves and them. However, if the particular match doesn't work out to the satisfaction of both parties, then our appointment will be considered at the next meeting of the Stationing Committee in December when the same process will be followed.

The visit will take place a little later this month and will include a tour round the church, a look at the Manse, a tour round the circuit, lunch, a meeting with all our church stewards and an interview "questions and answer" session as noted above where the potential presbyter will be asked questions by, and have the chance to ask questions of, the invitations committee.

During this vital phase, please pray for all involved in this process (Chairs of District, Presbyters, Invitations Committee, Stewards)

Duncan, Emma, Maurice

