

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
Banner Making	14:00	Sue Jacklin
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
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.

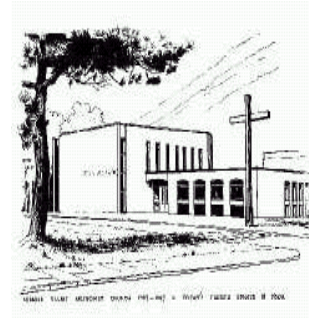
Please note the **Communion Wine we use is non-alcoholic**. Please let one of the Stewards know prior to the start of the Service if you require Gluten, wheat and dairy-free wafers for communion

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

Church Office 0161 485 1605

Monday-Friday 9:30am – 3pm

Website: www.chmc.org.uk

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Charity Registration No. 1130718

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 5th January 2014

10am Morning worship will be led by Rev Charles Nevin with Liz Parkinson
Richard Spurr will be the organist. Reflect will be led by Helen Harrington
6.30pm Evening worship will be led by Margaret Parker with Kieran Metcalfe
and the Worship Band

A prayer as you prepare for worship

Our Father and our God, as we stand at the beginning of this new year we confess our need of Your presence and Your guidance as we face the future. We each have our hopes and expectations for the year that is ahead of us—but You alone know what it holds for us, and only You can give us the strength and the wisdom we will need to meet its challenges. So help us to humbly put our hands into Your hand, and to trust You and to seek Your will for our lives during this coming year. Amen.

We pray for Charles Nevin, Liz Parkinson, Helen Harrington, Margaret Parker and Kieran Metcalfe as they lead worship and Richard Spurr and the Worship band as they lead the music.

We also pray for church members leading worship elsewhere; Pat James at Bramhall and Kathryn Price at Christ Church, Colshaw

This Week

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

Wednesday at 10.30am when the group meets for a time of worship, prayer and fellowship in room 1. All are welcome, please come and join us. Liz Parkinson will be leading this time of worship

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 419 9317 or taywing4@hotmail.com

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 12th January Covenant Sunday

10am Morning worship will be the annual Covenant Service and will be led by Rev Gill Newton, this service will include Holy Communion. David Watt will be the organist. Reflect will not meet today.
6.30pm Evening worship will be a Circuit Service at Bramhall when the Circuit will join together to celebrate the accreditation of Sarah Hooks as a Local Preacher.

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")

Bereavement

We have received word that Jean Jones died on Sunday 22nd Dec in hospital.

Monday 6th January

World and Neighbourhood Action Team Meeting at 7.45 p.m. in the Coffee Lounge

CAMEO

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

Friendly Food

A hot meal is served at 12.15pm, £3 for adults, and now a reduced price of £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

Crisis in the Kitchen – Help.....

Recently three people who help run the Wednesday Friendly Food Lunch have had to come off the rota. We did have eight people (+ Kathryn, our cook) which meant being on duty just four Wednesdays per term 10.30 – 1.30. Please we *need* more helpers for this to be able to run each week. If you think you could be part of this team please speak to Kathryn Price or Hazel Crummett.

Wednesday 8th January

Leadshep Team Meeting at 7.30 p.m. at 2 Thorn Road, Bramhall

Churches Together in Cheadle Hulme

Soup & Cheese Lunch, Grove Lane Baptist Church, Friday 10th January 12.30pm, 'Signpost for Carers', An explanation of this local charity's role. Bring your neighbour

Men's Breakfast - 11th January

The first Men's Breakfast of 2014 will take place on Saturday 11th January commencing at 8.30am at church. The cost of the cooked breakfast will be £5. After our talk and chat we plan to be away by 10.30am. All men, whether church members or not, are very welcome to join us. Please let John Harrington know by Wednesday 8th, if you plan to attend.

Covenant Lunch

On **Sunday 12th January** we will have the opportunity to share in a Covenant lunch following our morning worship. This gives us a great chance to celebrate the New Year together so we hope that many of you will want to come and be part of this gathering.

There is a sign up sheet in the Narthex on which you can indicate your attendance and also whether you might be willing to provide a sweet or help to clear up after the event. Please sign up **TODAY** to help those who are catering make the necessary arrangements.

Collection for Foodbank

Our next collection for **Chelwood Baptist Church's Foodbank** will be on Sunday 12th January. All donations will be gratefully received but if we can especially provide tinned meat and fish that would be great. If you are unable to bring groceries cash donations are also be appreciated.

Next Week

Worship Team Meeting

Tuesday 14th January, 7.30 p.m. in Room 1

Twining Brook Road Home Group

will be meeting on **Wednesday 15th January at 7.45pm.**(not in the normal homegroup week commencing 20th January)

Network

The Network programme for this year will begin with The New Year Lunch on 16th January when Rick Price will be the speaker.

Befriending the Elderly in our Community.

I am hoping to establish a befriending scheme through church for the elderly and lonely/ housebound in our community.

If you are willing to volunteer to visit somebody, in Cheadle Hulme, who would be referred to us by Age UK, then please come and speak to me about this scheme.

The minimum number of visits asked for is one a month to one person.

It would be wonderful to be able to offer this from the church and even just one volunteer can make a huge difference to the life of one person.

If you can offer the time and are able to volunteer then please speak to Alison for more information.

Bereavement Friendship Group

Following on from feedback received around the subject of "Dying Matters"

I would like to offer the opportunity to anyone who has been bereaved, either recently or at any time in the past, to come and meet with others in our church family who have been through a similar experience.

Commencing January 10th we will meet weekly on a Friday afternoon between 2.00 and 3.30pm in Room 1 at the church. There will be refreshments available and simply the opportunity to meet with others for conversation, support and friendship, tea and cake!

If you are interested in coming please speak to me or just come along

Alison Gunn

Church Car Park - Reminder

Church members who are not attending an event on the premises have permission to park **on an occasional basis** but must obtain a 'Church Member' badge from the church office, which needs to be displayed on the dashboard.

Please note, our very busy times are Monday mornings, all day Wednesday and Thursday, so if you could avoid parking at these times when not on the premises, that would be very much appreciated.

Please check with the office

Bible Study

Please note that we will continue our series on the Gospel of John on January 27th,

Note for your diary

On the weekend of March 8th and 9th 2014 Rev Paul Wilson will be at Cheadle Hulme. He will be preaching at both services on the Sunday. On the Saturday there will be a District Day at our church when Paul will be leading sessions entitled ***Healing Touch – Exercising a ministry of healing and wholeness.***

Following on from our recent series on healing and wholeness this is a timely opportunity for us to learn more.

Paul was at one time the minister at Handforth, and is currently the development worker for Methodist Evangelicals Together. He has always had a special interest in the healing ministry.

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.