



Cheadle Hulme Methodist Church

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Church Office Monday-Friday 9:30am – 3pm

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Welcome to Worship Notices for Sunday 25th August and Sunday 1st September 2013

10am Morning worship led by Angela Clowes and John Harrington. Richard Spurr will lead the music. Derek Booth will lead Reflect. There will be Summer Young Church and crèche
6.30pm Evening Worship will be led by Gill Newton and Rick Price and will include Holy Communion and Prayers for Healing and Wholeness. The music will be led by the Worship Band.

A prayer as you prepare for worship

Father - Why is life so busy? Sometimes it feels as if you haven't given us enough hours in the day. Sometimes we don't have enough time for the phone call, knock on the door or needy people we meet. Yet Jesus, you taught us to look for you in the poor and needy. Lord your time is your gift to us. Help us to use it wisely. Amen

Bible Reading: Hebrews 12 vv 18-29 New Testament page 287 in the pew Bibles

We remember in our prayers Angela Clowes and John Harrington, Gill Newton and Rick Price, Derek Booth leading Reflect, Chris Goddard and Rick Price leading worship, Richard Spurr and the Worship Band leading the music and the leaders of Summer Young Church and crèche We also pray for Gill Newton at Bramhall, Carol Jack at Lawton Moor and Kathryn Price at Styal.

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. The meeting will be led by Liz Parkinson.

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. From Monday 29th July until Monday 2nd September the church will be open 10am – 12noon. If you wish someone to meet with you for prayer please contact the church office. Please feel able to use the prayer resources available in the basket at the front of church.

This Week

Access to Building on Fri 30th Aug

Please will everyone note on Friday 30th August 2013 from 8am until 8am on Saturday 31st Aug there will be NO ACCESS to the church building except the church office which will be accessed via the front door. This is due to the Narthex floor being sealed and polished.

Praying Together

All churches of Cheadle Hulme are invited to meet together in a time of prayer on Tuesday 27th August at 7.30pm at Grove lane Baptist Church

Future events

Circuit Welcome Celebration

On Sunday 1st September there will be a Circuit Service at the Wythenshawe Forum to welcome two new Ministers to the Circuit: Rev Tim Nicholls and Rev Louise Gough. This will be the only service in the Circuit that day. The service will begin at 10.45am and be followed by coffee and cake with displays of how our churches are involved in serving the communities around us. There will be a crèche and a children's and young people's programme alongside the service.

Cakes please!

At the Circuit celebration service at the Forum on September 1st there will be, as last year, a cake stall. Any donations of home-made cakes brought to the service would be MOST WELCOME!

Craft items needed

Please would you collect your 'coloured sweetie wrappers' for a rainbow craft at the Circuit Service on 1st September and give them to Emma

Directions – on the green and red printed card it speaks of a roundabout on Simonsway, this is now a crossroads with traffic lights, please go straight ahead, you will then pass Asda on your right.

Members Directory

We are revamping and updating the Members' Directory and as so many people are now communicating by e-mail it would be very helpful to have as many e-mail addresses in it as possible.

Also if you have a different title to Mr. Mrs. or Miss it is important to let Maggie know.

Please let Maggie have these details by Sunday 15th September

CAMEO

We will not be meeting in August. We hope to resume on every Tuesday from the beginning of September. As we have an increasing number of members who come regularly we need to increase the number of helpers who work as a team hosting each meeting. If you could manage to come and help at any stage during the meeting (Tuesdays 9.30 – 2.30) please express your interest to Margaret Clarke.

We all benefit from meeting each other CAMEO = Come And Meet Each Other

Bookstall

Please note that the bookstall will not be available from 28th July until 25th August inclusive.

We will however still be taking orders for the Prayer Handbook. Please contact John or Helen Harrington if you would like to order a copy.

WE REALLY NEED SOME HELP!

We want to set up one mobile contact number for people to call if they need help out of office hours when using our building such as not being able to lock the door or finding a broken window. We would like a rota of people to take responsibility for a week at a time, the more volunteers we have the fewer weeks you will be responsible for. WE WANT THIS TO BE SET UP AT THE BEGINNING OF SEPTEMBER BUT ARE UNABLE TO DO SO UNLESS WE GET AT LEAST TWO MORE PEOPLE. We want to set up this system so we don't have to give out private phone numbers. If you feel able to help or would like to chat about the role further, please contact Maggie in the office.

Foodbank

The Foodbank has opened a branch in St Petersgate, Stockport, and as a result there is a need for new person power! If anyone has any time to spare please contact the manager at Chelwood, Marc Goddard (details on the WNAT noticeboard).

Healing and Wholeness

In the July/August magazine Gill wrote:

“During September and early October we will be considering the theme of healing and wholeness in our Sunday morning worship, culminating with our Harvest Celebrations on October 13th. The planning for those acts of worship has yet to take place and we want them to be opportunities for us all to learn and grow together as we explore this ministry of healing and wholeness. So if you have questions or things that concern you about this theme, then please place them in the box in the narthex which you can identify from the tree that it carries. Similarly if you have any testimonies or stories to tell about your experience of the ministry of healing and wholeness or ways in which you have experienced “fullness of life” then please share those through that box too. We will then use those questions, concerns and stories to help us discern what is included in the preaching and teaching provided within those acts of worship.”

Please do give Gill's request some thought and write down your questions and stories and pop them into the box in the narthex - it is not necessary to sign your name unless you want to! Gill and the preachers meet to plan the services in mid August and so you still have time to do this.

Thank you

for making my birthday so memorable. We raised £230 for Guide Dogs for the Blind. Also a big thank you for the cards and presents. Ros Brown

Halle Orchestra

Bramhall Methodist Church, Thursday 12th September at 7.30pm

Players from the Halle Orchestra present a varied programme of clarinet and string quartet music, to include works by Mozart, Ravel and Dvorak.

Tickets £9 and £7(concession) and includes refreshments.

Tickets available from the Church Office, the Thrift Shop, or at the door. Under 18s are free.

A trip to Amsterdam

including the Keukenhof Gardens is being organised for late April 2014. If you are interested contact Jeff Tuck of Bramhall Methodist Church

Week beginning 2nd September:-

CAMEO

Will recommence on Tuesday 3rd September 10am – 2pm and anyone who would like to join us for coffee, lunch and a chat will be most welcome

Friendly Food

Is also starting again this week and will be on Wednesday 4th September

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.

Caring Team Meeting|

Will be on 4th September at 8pm

Collection for Foodbank

Our next collection for Chelwood Baptist Church's Foodbank will be **on Sunday 8th September**. 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 very gratefully received

