

MEETING TOGETHER

People to Contact

Sunday

Young Church	10:00	Rick Price
Great Heights	20:15	Phil and Jacqui Sarbutts

Tuesday

CAMEO (Social group for the elderly)	10.00	Margaret Clarke
Banner Making	14:00	Sue Jacklin
Rock Solid (fortnightly during term time)	19.15	John Harrington
Contact (Monthly)	15.00	George Lea
Tues Evening Reflective Worship	19.00	Kathryn Price

Wednesday

Wednesday Worship	10.30	Liz Parkinson
Toddlers (Term Time)	10:45	Emma Coe
Friendly Food (Term Time)	12:15	Hazel Crummett
The Singers	18:45	Christine Watson

Thursday

Baby Chat (Term Time)	10.30	Emma Coe
Network (September – Easter)	14:30	Margaret Pattie
Scouts	19:15	David Heatley

Friday

Tiddlywinks (2 nd and 4 th in the month term time)	10.30	Emma Coe
Beavers (6-8 years) (Parish Rooms)	18.30	Jacqui Metcalfe
Cub Scouts (Woods Lane Guide HQ)	18:30	Neil Kidd
Focus (last Friday of each month)	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

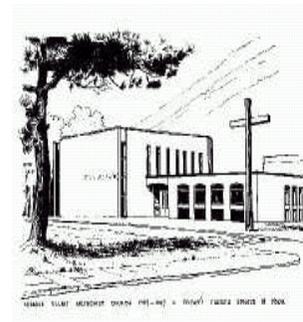
Christian children's books are available to loan from Emma Coe.

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.**

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")



Cheadle Hulme Methodist Church

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Welcome to Worship Notices for Sunday 7th December

Sunday 7th December

Advent 2 - Toy and Gift Service

- 10am** Morning Worship led by Rev Philip Peacock and Colin Taylor will include the Baptism of Logan Spence. Richard Spurr will lead the music. Reflect will be lead by Derek Booth. Crèche and Young church will be available.
- 6.30 pm** **Community Carol Service** will be lead by Philip Peacock. Richard Spurr and the Singers will provide the music

A Prayer as you Prepare for Worship

Lord Jesus, Light of the world, John told the people to prepare, for You were very near. As Christmas grows closer day by day, help us to be ready to welcome You now. Amen.

We pray for Philip Peacock and Colin Taylor, as they lead our worship today and Derek Booth as he leads Reflect; for Richard Spurr and the Singers as they lead the music. We also pray for Logan Spence and his family and friends. We pray for the leaders and members of Young Church and crèche

We also pray for Malcolm Gunn as he leads worship at Bramhall and David James leading at Handforth

Join us for Worship and Prayer this week

Tuesday Evening Reflective Worship

Tuesday Evening Reflective Worship_ at 7pm – 7.30pm in the Sanctuary.

Wednesday Worship

Wednesday at 10.30am when the group meets for a time of worship, prayer and fellowship in room 1. Worship this morning will be lead by Rev Philip Peacock All are welcome, please come and join us.

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 at church

Open Church

Usually the Church is open 9.30am – 3pm Mon – Fri for your own prayer, a reflective time and space to come worshipfully and peacefully before God. 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 14th December

Advent 3

- 10am** Morning Worship led by Rev Philip Peacock will include an Advent Communion. Richard Spurr will lead the music. Reflect will be lead by Margaret Clarke. Crèche and Young church will be available.
- 6.30 pm** Tim Nicholls and Kieran Metcalfe will lead a Folk Carol Service. The Band will lead the music.

TODAY

Community Carol Service at CHMC, Today at 6.30pm

All are welcome to come to this service and celebrate with other groups who we have contact with us throughout the year. Please bring your friends and family.

Collection for Chelwood Baptist Church's Foodbank is today. 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

CHRISTMAS TREE DECORATIONS - this year the theme for the tree in church is 'Hand-made'. There is still time to bring along a decoration made either by yourself or handmade by someone else, any material, any design - this is your chance to be creative with paper, glitter, felt, anything! (It doesn't have to be perfect, just enjoy making something). Please then enjoy hanging it on the tree and looking at all the other decorations.

Christmas Cards. The main Christmas Bookstall will run until today

Christmas cards The cost is 50p each or £4.50 for 10. Order from Peter Crummett

2015 Calendar These are priced at £5.00 each, and are available from the church office

TODAY 10am Toy & Gift Service –The 10am service is the toy/gift service when we bring new or good-as-new toys and gifts which will be given to families who have very little. **As in previous years we are supporting the following charities** who have given some ideas as to the type of gift to offer. (Gifts can be received by the church office up until Monday 8th December.

Trafford Young Carers Project of Action for Children particularly need toiletries for its young carers.

Stockport Without Abuse gifts for mums as well as children's toys for all ages

Family Info Link in Stockport would like toys/gifts for all age children and teenagers up to 18 years old.

Thank you in anticipation for your gifts.

THIS WEEK (Details of all groups can be found in the magazine)

Times and Contact details of regular groups are listed on the back of the notices

CAMEO meets on Tuesday 9th December 10.15am – 2pm when we will be celebrating the season of Advent with Christmas Lunch.

If you feel able to come occasionally to help at CAMEO, talking with our members, playing a game, offering entertainment, Margaret Clarke would love to hear from you.

Friendly Food- At 12.15pm on Wednesdays. The hot meal costs £3 (£1 for children) Do come along and enjoy a good meal and a time with others. Bookings for Christmas Lunch on Wed 17th are being taken by Kathryn Price.

Network on Thursday 11th December 2.30pm Christmas Celebration

Contact Friday 12th December at 6.30pm Christmas Party

Men's Breakfast - 13th December

The next Men's Breakfast will take place on Saturday 13th December commencing at 8.30am at church. The cost of the cooked breakfast will be £5.

This will be the first of a series considering major issues from a Christian perspective prior to the forthcoming General Election. The subject this month will be the NHS. After our chat and clearing up we should 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 10th, if you plan to attend.

Christmas is approaching!

Lifeshare

Jenni Hardman is once again helping with Lifeshare, providing food and shelter in the holiday week when many other places are closed (23rd - 29th Dec). Please help with donations - really needed items are listed in the Church Magazine

Sunday 14th December at CHMC

10.00am Advent Communion

6.30pm Folk Carol Service

Saturday 20th December Carols in Oak Meadow

11.00am Churches Together Carol Singing with Salvation Army Band

Sunday 21st December at CHMC

10.00am Young Church Nativity

6.30pm Silent Night Carols

Wednesday 24th December at CHMC

3.45pm-4.30pm *Come and make your own Christingle and enjoy festive music and refreshments*

4.30pm *Christingle Service for the young and young at heart*

11.15pm *Candlelit Christmas Communion a quieter symbolic service*

Christmas Eve Carol Singing at Stepping Hill Hospital

Once again we invite people from local churches to join with us to go carol singing around the hospital wards at Stepping Hill on Christmas Eve. This is always very much appreciated by patients and staff. We meet in the hospital chapel for 7.00pm and aim to finish around 8.00pm with coffee and mince pies. Musicians are very welcome - it helps with the planning if you let us know if you are bringing an instrument (email: hospital.chapel@stockport.nhs.uk)

Thursday 25th December at CHMC

10.00am *All-age Christmas Celebration bring along a present that you have received to show everyone*

Help needed!

Please can you help? We urgently need more helpers on the drinks rota for Toddlers on Wednesday mornings. This is such a great and popular service to our community, we would be really grateful for any help to start after Christmas. If you wanted to do it as a couple or with a friend that would be fine! Please see Emma for more details.

Carbon Offset Fund

In Feb 2009 it was agreed to set up a 'Carbon Offset Fund' to enable those who wish to 'offset' their carbon emissions incurred through travel to do so at church. The fund is used to support projects which are set out in CHMC's 10-year plan aimed at reducing the church's carbon footprint; this includes draught exclusion, roof insulation, cavity wall insulation, double glazing and light sensors.

Suggestions for contributing to the fund:-

Air travel outside Europe - £12 per person (one way)

Air travel within Europe - £7 per person (one way)

Car Travel - £3 per thousand miles (per car)

Envelopes are available near the pigeon holes, if you pay tax, you may wish to gift aid your contribution. Thank you, projects already completed are making a big difference to our carbon footprint.

Safeguarding

If you have been sent safeguarding forms to complete (please check the pigeonholes), please could you do so and return to Maggie ASAP so we can complete our safeguarding audit? Thank you

Flower Fairy change

Jane Kemp will be doing January and Jenni Hardman will be doing February

Christmas Greetings.

Let's invite the whole of Cheadle Hulme to come and celebrate the real meaning of Christmas! Please take a pile of leaflets from the Narthex, to deliver anytime before the 18th.

