

# Cheadle Hulme Methodist Church



## Notices for Sunday 11th March 2018

### A prayer in preparation for worship

As this day begins, we turn to you, our God.

By your Holy Spirit, be with us in all we have to face.

In each step we take, walk by our side.

In every conversation, guide our thoughts.

In all our actions, show us your way.

In our challenges, grant us wisdom.

And at the end of the day, we commend to you our faults, failings, and frailty

Just as we commit to you our devotion, dedication, and discipleship,

in the name of Jesus Christ, our beginning and end. Amen.

### Services

#### Sunday 11th March

10am Morning worship with Holy Communion, led by Mr. Malcom Gunn and Rev'd Philip Peacock

6.30pm Iona Evening worship, led by Rev'd Philip Peacock; with the Singers

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#### Sunday 18th March

9.30am for 10am Taste  
10am Morning worship. Cradle Roll service and baptism of Conway Sim. Led by Rev'd Phiip Peacock.

6.30pm Evening worship, led by Rev'd Philip Peacock; with the Band

### Prayer

Please pray for those leading our worship today.

Please pray for Mrs. Pat James, preaching at Christ Church today and Mr. Bob Bartindale preaching at Lawton Moor and Northenden

If you would like someone to pray with you after the service there will be a member of the Prayer Team in the Prayer Space at the back of church.

### Quiet Room before worship

From 9.15 - 9.45am and 5.45 - 6.15pm each Sunday, Room 2 will normally be available for quiet reflection, personal preparation for worship and for anyone to pray for those leading worship

# Notices

## Lent Lunch

You are invited to a Lent Lunch, next Saturday March 17th from 12 midday to 2pm. At Grove Lane Baptist Church. Donations for Traidcraft.

## Reunion Memorabilia

Many thanks for all contributions of memorabilia and photos. Please collect your memorabilia as soon as possible from the table in the Narthex on Sunday. However, if people are happy to leave the photos with us, we will be happy to display throughout the Anniversary year.

## Cradle Roll Service

The annual Cradle Roll service and a baptism will taken place on Sunday 18th March.

## Church Groups

Could all Church group Leads/ Leaders, please visit the office during office opening hours, to sign room user forms. Many thanks.

## Passover Meal

We hear a lot about Passover and the meal associated with it. But what is the Passover Meal? Well come and find out. On Tuesday March 27th commencing at 7pm a representative from the organisation called 'Jews for Jesus' will be at church to take us through the Passover Meal and explain all about it. So you will have the opportunity to taste some of the various items included in the meal and understand their significance. Apart from the Passover experience we will also be sharing together with a 'normal' meal during the presentation and as such therefore, a charge will be made for this meal of £5.00 per person to be paid on the night. The whole evening will be concluded by 9.30pm. Children from the age of 10 upwards will be welcome and the charge for them will be £2.50 each. This event will be open to the Circuit so we will need to take booking for the meal. Booking numbers are limited so book your seats as soon as possible. To book, contact the CHMC Church Office on either: 0161 485 1605 or e-mail: [chmc145@hotmail.com](mailto:chmc145@hotmail.com) and give your name and contact details. Bookings close on March 18th.

## Prayer in our Circuit Prayer - the heartbeat

An invitation to join hands across our Circuit to pray together. Circuit Prayer will happen in a different church each month.

For further details contact Rev Louise Gough [trinity.minister@gmail.com](mailto:trinity.minister@gmail.com)

Next heartbeat... Wednesday March 14th at 2.30pm at Northenden Methodist Church. 407A Palatine Rd, Wythenshawe, Manchester M22 4JS

Please see notice board for more details.

## **Focus**

Focus meets on the third Friday of each month, in the Coffee Lounge at 7.30pm. The next meeting will be held on 23rd March, with an Easter theme.

## **Big Sing**

On the 29th April at 6.30 p.m. as part of our Church Celebrations we are holding a 'Big Sing' and we are asking you to contribute to the service. Most of us have our favourite hymns and we are asking that if you would like yours to be included, please send it to me with a short explanation of why you have chosen it.

We are also hoping to have some of our user groups joining us, including St Ann's Hospice choir.

Please put the date in your diary and send me your favourite hymn via email or pigeon hole.

Lilian

## **Praying Together at Cheadle Hulme Methodist Church**

On Saturday 17th March at 10am we meet to pray together.

We hope that you will be able to join with the Church Family as we reflect on God's word and seek God's plan for His Church here in Cheadle Hulme.

## **Women's Network Programme**

Meetings are held at Church, every Thursday at 2.30pm.

Forthcoming meetings:

Thursday 15th March Stockport Refugee Group with Rev'd Steve Hough

Thursday 22nd March Rev'd Philip Peacock

## **Easter Trail**

Please consider coming on an Easter Trail at Bramhall Methodist Church from 20-24th March. Simply turn up some time after 7.30pm on Tuesday & Wednesday or from 6.30pm on Thursday and Friday. It will also be open from 10am – 2pm on Saturday. The story of the Last Supper through to the resurrection will be told at 5 scenes around the Church. It takes about 15 minutes and it's free. No need to book. Refreshments served. All welcome. Please see flyers on the hymn book stands for more details.

## **Please note**

The flower visitor for March is Jenni

### **Traidcraft Stall at CHMC- 11th March**

As part of Fairtrade Fortnight we shall be welcoming Ann Watkins who will be setting up her Traidcraft stall at the morning service of 11th March.

Please note she will be including 'The Real Easter Egg' amongst her other goods for sale.

### **Church Defibrillator**

We now have a Defibrillator, to be used if anyone in the building has a cardiac arrest. It is easy to use, as a voice gives full instructions as soon as it is taken off the wall bracket and switched on. It is above the fire extinguisher on the left, just through the double doors to the kitchen/hall area. There will be more details in the March magazine or you can ask Hazel, Gill or any member of the Caring Team

### **Chelwood Foodbank**

Our next collection for Chelwood Baptist Church's Foodbank is this Sunday 11th March. If you are unable to bring groceries, cash donations are also very gratefully received. The Foodbank is currently very short of milk, sugar, squash/fruit juice, tinned rice pudding, tinned custard/powder, instant coffee, tinned fruit, toilet rolls, shampoo, sanitary products for ladies, nappies sizes 4 and 5.

Please buy items with at least six months left before 'best by/use by' date.

With many thanks.

### **At the Methodist Centre in Manchester**

Throughout Lent we are following 'Live Lent: Let your Light Shine.'

This is taking us on a discipleship journey through the Gospel of John exploring what it means to be a witness.

Each week a different theme will challenge us to change and be part of bringing about change. As part of this we have a prayer wall in reception which people are invited to contribute to.

Do drop into the Centre to add to the prayer wall and take up a challenge that will enable the light of Jesus shine through our everyday lives.

Alongside this we are hosting the 'I Witness' exhibition from Christian Aid in the Chapel which shows how the work and ministry of Christian Aid is 'shining a light' in Haiti.

The exhibition is open throughout each day though the Chapel will continue to be used for regular worship, prayer and bible study during this time

## **Church Council**

A number of representatives from the General Church Meeting to the Church Council will come to the end of their term of office at the end of April. This means that there is an opportunity for up to ten people to fill the vacancies in order to sustain our quota of representatives. If you are a Church member and wish to be considered for this role, please add your name to the nomination list in the Narthex and ask another Member to sign as your proposer. If you are a Church Member who wishes to propose someone else, please ask the person concerned first and then put their name on the notice and sign as their proposer. Nominations must be in place by Friday 13th April 2018. Additional names may only be put forward at the meeting itself if insufficient names are recorded on the notice. If more than ten nominations are received, then an election will take place at the General Church meeting on Sunday 15th April 2018.

## **Stockport Amnesty Group**

Stockport Amnesty Group invites you to an exhibition, talk and discussion on Syria, entitled 'Silenced Voices' on Friday 16th March 2018.

This is free and all are welcome at Stockport Quaker Meeting House, Cooper Street, SK1 3DW.

Exhibition from 10am to 7pm, followed at 7.30pm, by a talk by a former detainee, and discussion.

## **Notices**

Please e-mail or hand in any items for the Church notices to the Church office by Wednesday each week.

# Calendar for March 2018

*Details of all groups can be found in the Church Magazine*

## Monday

**Refugee Matters** - a group meets regularly to share information and to PRAY about this on going crisis. This is usually on the FIRST MONDAY of the month, but as April 2nd is Easter Monday Bank Holiday, things may change - details nearer the time.

## Tuesday

CAMEO meets again on Tues 13th, 20th, 27th March at 10.30am to 2.15pm.

Banners meets again on Tuesdays in March at 1.30pm

Reflective Worship meets again on Tuesdays in March at 7.00pm

Rock Solid meets again on Tuesdays 13th and 27th March at 7.15pm

## Wednesday

Toddlers meets again on Weds 14th, 21st, 28th March at 10.30am

Contact meets again on 21st March: 'Jewish Way of Life' with Barbara Frazer

Third Wednesday Lunch on 21st March

## Thursday

Baby Chat meets at 10.30am on Thursday 15th, 22nd March

Network meets on Thursday 15th and 22nd March at 2.30pm.

Scouts meets on Thursdays at 7.15pm

## Friday

Tiddlywinks meets again at 10.30am on 23rd March 2018.

Focus meets next on 23rd March

### Contact Information.

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