



Woodstock **Methodist** Church



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Notices for the week beginning 17 June 2018

Sunday 17 June	10.30am	David Harper
Sunday 24 June	10.30am	Local Arrangement
Fridays	10.00am	Friday Prayers

Methodist Homes Sunday There are envelopes in church today and on 24 June for those who would like to donate to MHA, making a difference to the quality of life for older people.

School governors Both Woodstock Primary School and The Marlborough School are looking to appoint new school governors. If you would be interested, please contact Canon Adrian Daffern in the next three weeks on 01993 811415 or write to him at the Church Office, Rectory Lane.

Centenary Handbook Following a request, more copies have been printed of the *Woodstock Methodist Church Centenary Handbook 1906-2006*. These are available at the back of the Church at a charge of £1.

Garden Party Tuesday Afternoon Fellowship's Garden Party is this Tuesday at Philip & Sue's.

Notices for next week will be sent out on Wednesday, so please send in any items by then.

Don't Forget the Food Bank Please bring in food e.g. tins/packets of soup, tins of meat or vegetables, baked beans, pasta, rice, breakfast cereals, tea, coffee, etc. Or why not buy something from the Fair Trade stall after the service and put it in the food bank box? That way you'll be helping poor people twice over.

Community Chaplain Oxford Methodist Circuit is seeking an enthusiastic, caring person to be a visible Christian presence at places where people meet on the Rose Hill estate in Oxford and to form relationships based on service and friendship. This is a part-time post for two years at £10,608 per annum. Details from kate.dobson@wesleymem.org.uk. Closing date for applications is 27 June, with interviews on 11 July.

How can heritage be a tool for mission? Helen Ghosh and Carole Souter, former Chief Executives of the National Trust and the Heritage Lottery Fund, will discuss this in a debate chaired by Revd. Gareth Powell, the Secretary of the Methodist Conference, at Wesley Memorial Church, Oxford on Thursday 12 July from 7.30pm.

Ministerial support Please contact Revd. Rosemary Davies if you need to be in touch with a minister (rosemary.davies@oxfordmethodists.org.uk) or the Circuit Office on 01865 243 216.

We welcome all visitors to our service this morning.

Please make yourself known to one of the stewards and do stay for tea or coffee after the service!

This week			
Date	Time	Venue	Event
Tuesday	9.45am	Church	Tuesday Tots
Tuesday 19 June	2.30pm	40 Merton Way, Yarnton	Tuesday Afternoon Fellowship Garden Party
Thursday	10.30am - 12.00	Hall	Thursday Coffee Club
Friday	10.00am	Church	Friday prayers

Forthcoming events			
Date	Time	Venue	Event
28 June – 5 July	-	Nottingham University	Methodist Conference

Grant to us, Lord, the peace of those who have learnt to serve you, the joy of those who are glad to obey you and the delight of those who rejoice in your praise; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Aidan of Lindisfarne (d. 651)



For settled peoples in fear of expulsion, we pray.
 For opinionated peoples in fear of truth, we pray.
 For stubborn peoples in fear of change, we pray.
 For Jews and Druze,
 Shia and Sunni,
 Copt and Orthodox,
 Armenian and Kurd, and
 for all who live in the Holy Lands of sacred scriptures,
 we pray. Amen.

Bruce Thompson, Lincolnshire Methodist District Chair

