

Extracts from a Circuit Announcement

The Circuit Superintendent advises:

The recent Methodist conference meeting in Birmingham passed a series of **provisional** resolutions on the proposals set out in the report, "God in Love Unites Us" and commended the report for prayerful discussion and response across the Church over the next year.

Final resolutions will be voted on at the Conference in 2020 after District Synods have had the opportunity to consider the proposals.

In the Yeovil & Blackmore Vale Circuit there will be an open Forum Meeting on Saturday 16th November at Cheap Street at 1 pm (hall open from 12.30 pm to eat packed lunches).

The report is long, but it is recommended that each person reads the report to fully appreciate how the resolutions have been arrived at. It can be downloaded at: <https://www.methodist.org.uk/media/11672/conf-2019-10-marriage-and-relationships-task-group-2019.pdf>. Hard copies will be made available.

There are copies of the full announcement in the welcome area.



DO STAY A WHILE AFTER THE SERVICE to enjoy refreshments and further fellowship in the church hall.

Church Website

If you have any information, photos etc. that you would like put on the church website - cheapstreetchurch.co.uk. - please send them to joseph@josephcrocker.co.uk.

Items for next Sunday's pew sheet to PENNY GARDNER by WEDNESDAY EVENING please, preferably by email, pennylgardner@gmail.com or telephone 01935 389153.



CHEAP STREET CHURCH SHERBORNE

To know the love of God through the power of the Holy Spirit and with Jesus as our teacher to show and share our faith

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Welcome To Our Sunday Service

14th July 2019

Service for **Methodist Action for Children Sunday**

Led by **Mr Robert Rickards**

Councillors on duty – **Jackie Bullen and Eirwen Cox**

Music – **Christina Le Moignan, Crèche – Denise Gould**

Sound – **Don Farquharson**

Leader *God said "Let there be light"*
All *Jesus is the light of the world*
Leader *The Lord is here*
All *His spirit is with us. Amen*

Today's Readings

Luke 18: 15-17 & Matthew 18: 1-9

This week we are asked to pray for

The Society of Friends (Quakers)

The Prayer Ring

The Prayer Ring is available for an urgent need or situation. Call any of the numbers below and the circle of prayer will begin.

Eirwen Cox.....01935 815960
Penny Gardner..... 01935 389153
Janet Le Moignan01935 389662

Fellowship of Prayer

Whenever and wherever we pray in the silence of our hearts, we are part of a rich and powerful fellowship, which serves to sustain everyone in our Church Family. Anyone can join the prayer group by just coming along Thursday at 9.45 am in the church.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Monday 15th July

3.00 pm Senior Service followed by tea in the hall
7.00 pm Table Tennis

Tuesday 16th July

10.30 am Church Open – **Jackie Bullen**
2.30 pm Meeting with **the Revd Clare Downing** (URC Wessex Synod Moderator) to prepare for worship on the 28th.

Thursday 18th July

9.45 am Holy Communion
10.00 am Church Open – **Don and Colleen Farquharson**
Coffee Morning in the hall
10.30 am Thought for the Day – **the Revd Duncan Goldie**
11.30 am – 11.50 am Ecumenical Prayers for Peace in the Sepulchre Chapel in the Abbey

Friday 19th July

9.00 am Ecumenical Communion in Sherborne Abbey
10.30 am Church Open – **Jackie Bullen**

Saturday 20th July

10.30 am – 12.00 Church Open – **Jan Wallace**

Sunday 21st July

10.30 am Service led by – **the Revd Duncan Goldie**

Prayer

We continue to hold in prayer all those who are in special need:

Janet Baker and her family; Denise Gould and her family; Janet Le Moignan; Duncan's mother, Margaret; Phyllis Batchelor; Robin Legg, Alex and Jan's family; Sylvia Smith; Rosemary McCleery and those unable to worship with us today.

From the Secretary:

The Methodist Tolpiddle Pilgrims with Simon and Jane Topping (Jane is John Stanfield's daughter) will be staying in the church hall on Thursday night (18th). They would be happy to receive any visitors who would like to hear more about their pilgrimage between 7.30 and 8.30 pm.

Message from Janet Baker: Thank you to everyone who took me to Taunton Hospital during the weeks George was there. It was such a blessing and comfort. A very special thank you to Eirwen for organising and putting the rota together. Your prayers and kindness have kept me lifted up during this difficult time.

Exploration of Post-Modern Mission: with the Revd Duncan Dormor, CEO of the United Society Partners in the Gospel. Tomorrow at 7.30pm in the Digby Church Hall. Synopsis: to many the very concept of Mission is tarnished with post-imperial guilt and the zeal of proselytism. Yet the command to the church remains, "go ye to all the nations". How can this be done in a post-modern, relativistic world where all stories and truths must be given equal weight and value?

Verse of the Day

Take delight in the Lord, and he will give you the desires of your heart.
- *Psalms 37: 4 (NRSV)*

Prayers for the persecuted church – Vietnam

Believers from ethnic minority groups are seen as traitors to their culture and identity and face harassment, violent attacks and social exclusion. Let us pray that God will build up the faith of new believers; for safety for Open Doors workers distributing Bibles to believers, and that the Holy Spirit will move government leaders to loosen restrictions on the Christian minority. Amen.

Prayer of the Day

O Lord, mercifully receive the prayers of your people who call upon you, and grant that they may know and understand what things they ought to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to accomplish them; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*