

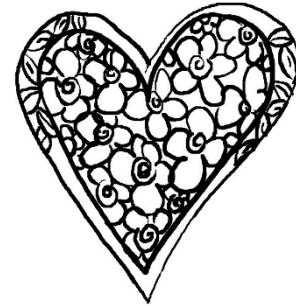


Culcheth Methodist Church

Transforming the World by meeting the needs of our community as God's people

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Welcome to our Church, it is lovely to have you with us.

If you are new to the church, please say hello, either to the welcome team in the foyer, or to anyone you see. If you would rather sit quietly, that's fine too.

On the 3rd Sunday of each month, Junior Church goes to Glazebury for Breakfast Worship at 9am.

Everyone is warmly welcomed to join us after the morning service, for refreshments, conversation & fellowship in the hall, or in the foyer after the evening service, follow the crowd.

Sun	19-May	9.45am Morning Worship – David Bushby 11am Community Garden Meeting in Room 1 6.30pm Evening Service – Rev Viv Smith
Mon	20-May	9.30am-10 Open Prayer time Open Doors in the Foyer
Tue	21-May	Tuesday Tots
Wed	22-May	Choir
Thu	23-May	7-9pm Hearts & Hands 2pm Home group @ The Bushby's
Fri	24-May	
Sat	25-May	10am-12noon Open Doors
Sun	26-May	9.45am Morning Worship – David Bushby 6.30pm Evening Service – Rev Viv Smith Flowers – Janette Hutchinson

Thanks to Celia Crow for the flowers, the preacher, worship leaders, readers, musicians, stewards, AV support and the refreshment providers.

John 13: 31-35

As I have loved you, so you must love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another.

Communication:

Weekly Notice Sheet: To Amy by Wed 6pm for inclusion this week, Tel 766550, culchethmethodist@gmail.com

Website: www.leighandhindley.org.uk Facebook: LeighAndHindleyMethodist contact Rev'd Bradley with content

Room Bookings: Linda Bloomfield, lindajbloomfield@yahoo.co.uk 01925 765875

Magazine entries to cmcnews57@gmail.com.

Prayer Circle requests contact Janette Hutchinson:766819/07729 313466 or Jane Bushby:509558/07949 390862

Upcoming Events & Notices

“Back to the 60’s”

A heartfelt thank you to everyone that supported this event last Saturday. Over two hundred people came and we raised a magnificent £2,600 for our two charities - The Walton Centre Neurological hospital and Cancer Research. We enjoyed a truly wonderful night with music provided by the band "80-40" and our church choir. The prize for the best sixties outfit was won by Linda and Mike Bloomfield.

Home Group

Next Home group at the Bushby's will be 23rd May when we shall begin to look at Colossians, ready for Bible month in June.

Meeting Point

Visit to Portland Lock. Please look at the menus on the board and write your lunch menu choice on the sheet provided by Sunday 26th May.

Paul Moores, Regional Manager for Leprosy Mission did not come as planned on Thursday 2nd May. He is now scheduled to replace 'Music of the Movies' on Thursday 13th June.

Church Community Garden

Our introductory meeting will be held in Room 1 on 19th May at 11 am, after the service, and is



open to everyone with any sort of interest in the project, so please come along and share any ideas or areas of expertise you might have. Hopefully we can agree on some initial tasks to start the ball rolling. If you are interested but unable to attend this time, please still feel free to pass on any suggestions and we will keep you posted. Thank you and hope to see you there. Ashley and Janette Hutchinson Tel:766819

Church Weekend with Glazebury

Abbots Hall, Grange over sands Fri 14th to Sun 16th June. A lovely relaxing weekend with our friends from Glazebury, with fantastic food and excellent company. If you are interested, please contact Delia on 01942 671938 or Daphne 01925 765561 or David O

Christian Aid Week – 12th to 18th May

Christian Aid Week this year is 12th to 18th May. Unfortunately, too few people can collect this year to make a door-to-door collection viable. A big thank you to all who have collected in the past. Envelopes will be available at the Church between 12th and 19th May for anyone who would like to contribute. You can also donate on-line at www.christianaid.org.uk. This year's appeal is for Sierra Leone, a country close to our hearts. Christian Aid wish to build new health centres and provide health training with a view to reducing the infant mortality rate.

Church Council Meeting

The next Church Council meeting is on Tuesday 11th June at 7.15. Anyone is welcome to attend. If you have any reports from your groups for the meeting, please can you let me have them by next Sunday (26th May), so I can collate and distribute them by Tue 28th.

The General Church Meeting is planned for Sunday 23rd June after Morning Worship.