



South Hub Notices

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*"To welcome everyone with the Love of God; To be a guiding light in the community;
To provide a safe space where all can feel they belong"*

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Registered Charity Number 1129901

"Sharing God's love with our community by reaching out with open hearts"

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Acts 2: 1-4

When the day of Pentecost came, [the apostles] were all together in one place. Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting. They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.

Sharing Sunday Worship 10:30am

Sunday 24th May - Pentecost - Amy Driver - JOINT SERVICE AT CULCHETH - No service at Glazebury - Steward Joyce McComb

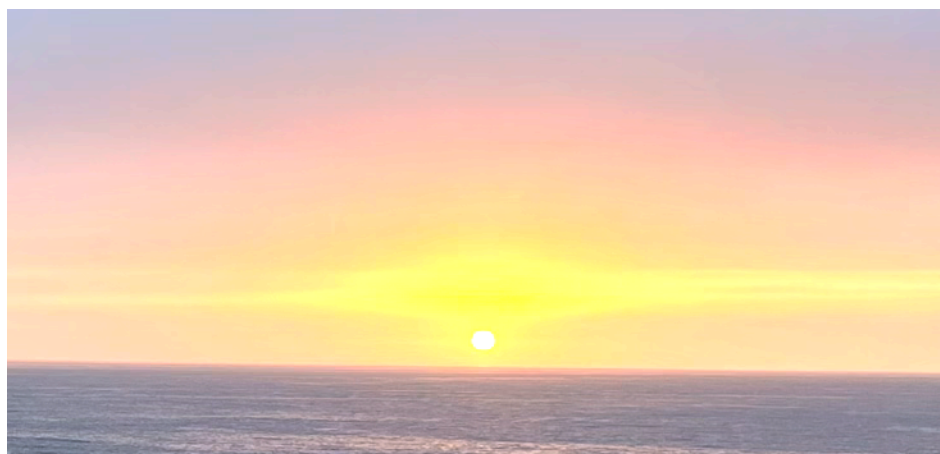
Sunday 31st May - Trinity Sunday - Reverend Alan Bradley - CIRCUIT SERVICE AT KINGSLEIGH (WN7 4LR) - No service at Culcheth or Glazebury

Sunday 7th June - Reverend Jenny Pathmarajah - JOINT SERVICE AT CULCHETH - No service at Glazebury

Sunday 14th June - Local arrangement - Breakfast Church - JOINT SERVICE AT GLAZEBURY - No service at Culcheth

Everyone is warmly welcomed to join us after the service for tea, coffee and fellowship

Thank you to everyone who has helped with the service this morning especially to Janette Hutchinson for the flowers.



24th May, 2026

Coffee Shop at Culcheth

The Coffee Shop will be open as usual from 10.00am to 12.00noon this **Saturday 23rd May**. Do come along to enjoy a warm welcome and fellowship, a hot drink and a toasted tea cake or crumpet.

Thank you, David Ogilvy

Service at Culcheth on 24th May

There is a change to the service at Culcheth this Sunday, when our worship will be led by Amy Driver instead of Rev Jenny Pathmarajah as shown in the plan. Jenny will preach at Culcheth on 7th June.

Service at Culcheth on 7th June

We're very pleased to welcome Reverend Jenny Pathmarajah back to Culcheth to lead our worship on **Sunday 7th June**, as part of our 60th Anniversary celebrations. Jenny grew up in Culcheth Methodist Church of course, was confirmed here, was part of our Junior Church, uniformed organisations and youth groups and came to Glazebury Camp, amongst many other activities. We would like to think this background was significant in her calling to candidate for the Methodist ministry and we have followed her career with great interest and pride.

Churches Together Pentecost Service

There will be a Churches Together Pentecost Service this **Sunday 24th May** at Newchurch Parish Hall starting at 4.00pm with refreshments afterwards. Please see the notice below. All are welcome.

David Ogilvy

Circuit Spiritual Weekend 2026

We look forward to a great weekend together on **29th to 31st May**. Transport will be organised for those who need it

David Ogilvy

Alfresco French Buffet

You are invited to an Alfresco French Buffet on **Saturday 6th June** at 5.00pm. The venue is The Bungalow, Hurst Mill Lane, Glazebury. Tickets £10.00 in aid of Glazebury Methodist Church Funds. Bring your own wine.

Communication:

Weekly Notice Sheet: Joyce McComb by Wednesday 6pm for inclusion that week - email to culchethmethodist@gmail.com or phone 01925 767308

Website: www.leighandhindley.org.uk

Facebook: CulchethMethodistChurch; Glazebury Methodist church and LeighandHindleyMethodist

If you have a safeguarding concern please contact your church's Safeguarding Officer (Linda Bloomfield or Janet Rowlinson). If they are not available please contact the District Safeguarder Helen Bolton 07799 902 573.

Meeting Point at Culcheth

Meeting Point has restarted after the Easter break. We usually meet at 2.00pm on Thursdays. The Music group will continue to meet on alternate Thursdays to listen to mainly, but not exclusively, classical music.

The programme for the remainder of the session is as follows:

MAY	28th	Music Group	
JUNE	4th	Lisa Moorhouse	Speech Therapy and a Career in the NHS
	11th	Music Group	
	18th	Jackie Mafie	I Am All talk
	25th	Music Group	
JULY	2nd	Philip Jeff	Robberies Register, 1909-1916 Margaret, Joyce and Betty

Meeting Point trip to Yeomen of the Guard

Twelve of us thoroughly enjoyed a lovely evening of musical entertainment last Tuesday watching the Three Towns Operatic Society perform "The Yeomen of the Guard" at St Joseph's Hall in Leigh. This is reckoned to be Gilbert & Sullivan's best work which was brought to life in a production of real quality.

Thanks are due to Joyce Daniels for organising the tickets and minibus and we're glad she was able to come with us just a few weeks after her operation. David Ogilvy

Culcheth Methodist Choir

We're very pleased that the Choir will continue under the leadership of Margaret Jones, to whom we're extremely grateful for taking on this role. The Choir would like to take part in services regularly, something which the Joint Leadership will discuss.

You don't have to attend the Methodist Church to join us - we have members from other churches and none. We welcome new members, especially men, who choirs everywhere are short of. Please spread the word, and if you're interested, or know of someone who might be, please contact Margaret or myself. You don't have to commit, just come along to Culcheth Methodist Church at 7.30pm on a Wednesday and try it out. David Ogilvy

Work Day at Culcheth

The next Work Day will take place on **Saturday 13th June**. Information about jobs to be done will be given nearer the date. The Property Team

24th May, 2026

Geoff and Val Pownall

I'm sorry to have to tell you that Geoff passed away last Tuesday, such a short time after the loss of his wife, Val. He had recovered from periods of illness over recent years but had been seriously ill in hospital for several weeks and finally lost his brave struggle. We are glad he is now at peace and reunited with Val. Our thoughts and prayers go to their family in this tragic situation.

Geoff and Val were a much-loved, integral part of the life and work of Bedford Methodist Church and were recognised throughout the Circuit for their constant support and dedication. Their loss leaves a huge void and they will be sorely missed.

Val's funeral will be held at Bedford Methodist Church (WN7 4DJ) on **Wednesday 3rd June** at 11.00am followed by committal at Howe Bridge Crematorium at 12.30pm. Information about Geoff's funeral arrangements will follow when known. David Ogilvy

Strawberry Tea at Bedford Methodist Church

Bedford Methodist Church (WN7 3DJ) invite you to join them for a Strawberry Tea on **Saturday 23rd May** at 2.00pm. Entertainment from the Davies Sisters.

Café Praise and Worship

The next Cafe Praise and Worship will be **Sunday 7th June** at Newchurch Parish Hall, Common Lane, Culcheth. Doors open at 6.15pm with running refreshments. Service starts at 6.30pm. Roddy Marr

Charity Collections

A total of £301.50, including Gift Aid, will be going to the Methodist Church's World Mission Fund following last Sunday's collection.

A total of £100.00 will be going to Christian Aid following the retiring collection the previous Sunday.

Thank you to everyone who contributed so generously.

Carol

Food Bank Collection at Culcheth


Desperately Needed: Tinned Meats & Biscuits

Other things in short supply: Pasta sauce; washing powder; tinned vegetables, fruit, and rice pudding; instant noodles and size 5 and 6 nappies

Things they do NOT want presently: Beans, Rice, Pasta and Sugar

Thanks for all your donations, they are greatly appreciated.

Ashley



CHURCHES TOGETHER IN CULCHETH,
CROFT, GLAZEBURY AND WINWICK

PENTECOST SERVICE

NEWCHURCH
PARISH HALL
NEXT TO SAINSBURY 'S

SUNDAY 24TH MAY

4PM START

TEA, COFFEE, CAKE SERVED
AFTER THE SERVICE

ALL ARE WELCOME