

Springdale Methodist Church

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Sunday 9th September 2018

Church flowers to be donated by James Beska – Thank you
Stewards on duty: David Crook & Val Campion

	Baptism 10.30am	Evening Worship 6.30pm
Worship Led by	Revd Teddy Siwila	Mr Edward Newton
Door Stewards	Lyn Langford & Ruth Hipgrave	
Reader	Josie Daly	



Coffee is served after morning worship. Do stay for a drink and fellowship.



Babies and children are welcome in Church. There is also a crèche available.

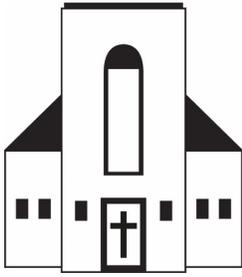


There is a Traidcraft stall after morning worship on the last Sunday of every month.

If you are a visitor and want to know more about worship here at Springdale then please have a chat with one of the Church Stewards (who will be wearing a badge) who will be able to help.

In cases of special need or illness, please contact the Minister or Lay Worker as soon as possible (contact details are at the top of this page).

Springdale has a 'prayer chain' where emergency prayer requests can be shared and will be prayed for over the seven days. All information will be kept confidential. Further details can be found on the notice board by the ladies' toilets. To initiate the chain please call Revd Teddy or Val Campion.



Springdale News & Events

- * New this week
- * **Contemplative Prayers** - Dates for the next few months are September 19th, October 17th, November 14th and December 12th. This a group open to anyone who wants to explore silence. For more information speak to Helen Cook
- * **Hot Pot** - September 9th. The pudding at Hot Pot will be Apple pie. Any contributions of either home-made or shop bought apple pies will be most appreciated. Either pass them onto Liz Green or myself on Sunday or just let us know that you will bring them on Tuesday.
- * **PEC, Barn Dance** - St Michael's: Sept 22nd at 7.30. Tickets (£6) available now . See poster for details. (In aid of our ecumenical charities: the Haven, the Good shepherd Ministry.) Tickets available from Helen Cook
- * **Harvest Festival and All Age worship** - Sunday 16th September 10.30am. All donations will be given to The Good Shepherd Ministry. They have asked for the following in particular; Coffee, Long life milk, squash, jam, pasta, rice, pasta sauces, pot noodles, cup-a-soup, tinned fruit, biscuits, deodorant, wet wipes, soap, toothpaste, toothbrushes, shampoo and shower gel. Any donations can be brought to church on Friday 14th about 7.30 and left in the atrium. They will then be displayed in church. Or you can bring them on the Sunday morning. Thank you for your generosity, *Penny (Senior Steward)*.

Re-digging the Wells - Methodist

Evangelicals Together is hosting a day of Prayer on Saturday 22 September from 10.00am -4.00pm at Englesea Brook Chapel & Museum, Englesea Brook Lane, Englesea Brook, Crewe, to spending time:

- Seeking God's presence.
- Searching our hearts.
- Revisiting the past to inform the future.
- Prayer and Teaching Sessions.

Jill Wilson has hired a minibus to the above event on sat 22nd September. A few free seats are still available if you are interested. Please ask for further details and she will put you on her list

Engleberg Bring and Buy Sale – Wed 26th Sept, 11am - 12.30pm. All welcome.

The Methodist Prayer Handbooks are now available. They are £3.50 each, the same as last year. If you usually have one, I have one for you, *Liz Green*

Action for Children Diaries - These will be available from me over the next few weeks. I already have a list of requests so please contact me if you would like one. I will be away for most of October so would like to sell them before then. Cost this year is £3.00. Many thanks, Val.

Methodist Women in Britain - First District Meeting of the new Methodist Year, on Monday 17th September, 10.30 - 3.30, at Chadsmoor Methodist Church in the Cannock Chase Circuit. This will include the dedication service for the new District President, Mrs Margaret Dunn, and holy communion with Rev Rachel Parkinson. In the afternoon session, Carolyn Parkes will speak on "Work with the Eskimos".

- * **Methodist Women in Britain**, Wolverhampton Circuit - Wednesday 3rd October at 2.15pm at Upper Ettingshall Methodist Church. Brenda and Phil Shuttleworth will speak on

their visit to India with a Fair Trade group earlier this year. Bring and Buy stall.

Hot Pot Review - A massive thanks to all of you who support the Hot Pot meals during the year. Some give food items as we request and others give regular monetary donations. Both enable us to provide a good quality meal for the families who attend. A full review, together with the year's accounts, and next year's meal programme is available on the welcome desk. Please help yourself to a copy if you would like.

Garth Hewitt concert, Against the Grain. Two years ago, Garth gave a moving concert here at Springdale. Now he is returning to Beckminster on 12 September, which I am sure many of you will want to support. Tickets are £12 on the door, but I have advance tickets at £10 or £8 concessions. Please speak to Lesley Cook.

Kitchen Fund -Target: £30,000; Total raised so far: £24,328.63

Offerings for June - £3,300,
July - £2,544
Aug - £2,069
Thanks for all your giving
in whatever way you do it,
cash, standing order,
cheques, envelopes, online
and not forgetting all the time
you freely give to enable our
church to show the love of
God in our community and
beyond. Should you wish to
Gift Aid your offering,
envelopes are available.
Any bronze coins received
in collections will be banked
for the annual bronze coin
charity.

Notices

Any notices for inclusion
in next week's sheet should
be sent to Rachel Peterson
in text format at
notices[at]springdalechurch.org.u
k before 7.30pm Wednesday.
Notices received after this will
be included the following
week. Please keep notices as
brief as possible. Thank you

Next Week: Sunday 16th September 2018

Communion table flowers to be donated by Brenda Turton in memory of Colin Turton – Thank you

Stewards on duty: Penny Baldwin & Dianne Price

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Worship
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Revd Samantha Hagerman

Door Stewards

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Reader

Karen Grandison
