



Welcome to Springdale Methodist Church

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Thursday 10am, Prayers in the atrium - All are welcome

Sunday 9th July 2017

Steward on duty: Sam Cartwright & Michael Oakes

Church flowers have been provided by Phillippa Cooper– Thank you

10.30am

All Age Worship

Led by

Revd Chris Collins

Door Stewards - Josie Daly & Gill Nock

Reader – Sue Readshaw & Karen

Grandison

6.30pm

Holy Communion

Led by

Revd Chris Collins

Reader – Bernard Davis

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 as how it works and who is part of the chain can be found on the notice board by the ladies toilets. To initiate the chain please call Revd Chris or Val and Denis Campion.



Children and babies are welcome in Church. There is also a crèche available if you wish to use it.



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



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

If you are a visitor and would be interested in knowing more about worship here at Springdale then please have a chat with one of the Church Stewards (who will be wearing a badge) and they should be able to help you. **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 News & Events

*New this week

***Summer Activities for Junior Church Children** - As you probably know during the school summer vacation period the numbers of Junior Church age children is very unpredictable and usually quite small. At this time our Junior Church staff are able to take a well-earned break. We are planning to cater for the children who come; with a programme that will include a craft project that it is expected will take the whole period to complete. In order for this to run we need 2 volunteers per week. If anyone is prepared to help with this programme please give your details, including whether you hold a current DBS at Springdale, to one of the stewards.

***Methodist World Church Fund** - Thanks to the generosity of the Springdale Family £523 was sent to Methodist World Church Fund last year. The financial year 2016/2017 ends in August and it would be great if we could match that total. Many thanks to those folk who have already given. Anyone else who would like to make a contribution, I am here most Sunday mornings and evenings and would be delighted to receive amounts large or small. Thank you in anticipation. Judy Staley.

***Quiet Communion** for July will be on 20 July instead of 13 July. Usual time of 10.00.

*Judith and David Pilsbury are pleased to announce that their daughter Elizabeth will be marrying Julian Pelling on Saturday 5th August at 3.30pm here at Springdale. All are welcome.

***Poetry group** - Wednesday 12 July from 10.00 for coffee - subject 'Babies'

***Circuit Fair Trade Summer Social** – 7-9pm Monday 10th July, Fallings Park Methodist Church, Wimborne Road WV10 0NS

***Summer Garden Party in aid of Palestine Solidarity Campaign** – Sunday 16th July, 3-6pm, Tudor Crescent

Calling all knitters! - This Christmas we would like to give out knitted angels for folk to find and take home, with a message of hope attached. Please see Penny or Lesley for the pattern and get started. Then we can send out hosts of Angels this December.

Pop In Centre will be open on 22nd July from 10.30am to noon. Why not pop in for a while for a cuppa and piece of cake/biscuit and some conversation. Dates for the second half year are now available - please pick up a leaflet.

Penn Churches' Summer Bible Study - This will take place on the 1st 4 Wednesday evenings of August at 7.15 for 7.30 in the Fellowship room here at Springdale. Further details on notice in the Atrium, or pick up a flier. As usual, you don't need to be available for every session - come when you can!

Our own Revd Chris will be leading the Circuit **MWiB Quiet Evening on Thursday 13th July at 7.30 pm at Darlington St.** Please note that this is an opportunity for anyone, male or female, to share in an evening of bible study and quiet reflection. I have valued this occasion very much in the past, and regret that family commitments mean I cannot go this year. Please try to go along if you can - you'll be very welcome. Wendy Gould

Monday House group is now having a break for the summer. We hope to recommence in September. Watch this space and we will let you know. Val and Liz.

InterFaith Wolverhampton. There will be a **Srebrenica Memorial Service** on Tuesday 11th July at 10.30 in St Peter's Square. All welcome.

We will be having a bring and share lunch after the service on 16th July to bid Reverend Chris a farewell and celebrate his ministry here at Springdale. All are welcome. Please contact the stewards for any enquiries.

Kitchen Fund -Target - £30,000 Total raised so far - £16,662.81.

Next Sunday
16th July

Church Flowers to be provided
by Wendy Gould – Thank you

Stewards on duty:
Penny Baldwin & Paul
Merchant

10.30am
Holy Communion
led by
Revd Chris Collins

Reader – Sarah Harrison
and Steve Weir
Door Stewards - Lyn
Langford & Ruth Hipgrave

6pm
Circuit Farewell Service
at
Darlington Street
Methodist Church

Offerings for May amounted to **£2715** and **June £3427**. 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.