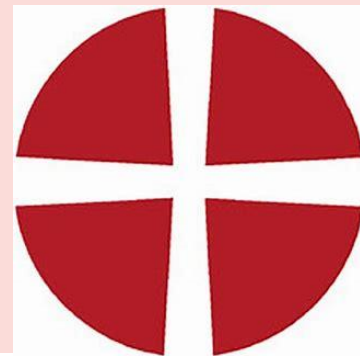


Burnley & Pendle Methodist Circuit Newsletter

Tuesday 17th January 2023



Prayer

God, Creator and redeemer of all things, teach us to look inward to be grounded in your loving spirit, so that we may go outward in wisdom and courage to always choose the path of love and justice. This we pray in the name of your son, Jesus Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

Prayer points

Please pray for

- those people struggling at this time, let them receive the support they need
- for those mourning lost ones, let them know that God is carrying them in their darkness
- for those who are celebrating a special milestone in their life, we ask that you will bless them in their celebrations
- the prayers said during the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, that they are answered.

Prayer Requests

Can we pray for you and/or the people you know? Do you have a special need or concern? God listens to and answers prayers. Our prayer warriors are ready to pray on your behalf – please forward your PRAYER REQUESTS to subashriedbarg91@gmail.com. Suba will then forward them in confidence to the Circuit Prayer Warriors.

Request for Cakes

Can you provide a cake for Saturday's Circuit Heritage event please?

If so please contact Kath on kathheyworth@hotmail.co.uk or 01282 699895. Thank you.

Circuit Event – this Saturday

Circuit Methodist Heritage A Winter Celebration

Saturday 21st January 2023

at

St John's Church/The Exchange Project, Colne.

11.30am - 2.30pm

A series of short Heritage Talks,
alongside a local Methodist exhibition.
Soup, cake and hot drinks available.

All welcome.

Donations towards costs.



Week of Prayer for Christian Unity - 18th - 25th January 2023

A united ecumenical service will be held at **3:00pm on 22nd January at Higherford Methodist Church, followed by a Jacob's Join tea.**

There will be prayers for Christian Unity at 12:00 noon throughout the week:

- Wednesday 18th January at St Thomas's CE, Barrowford
- Thursday 19th January on Zoom – details from Richard Hoyle

WANTED. A volunteer to take over Christian Aid in the Circuit. I have been doing it for over 10 years. Essential involvement is for about 4 weeks (a few hours a week) leading up to and actual Christian Aid Week itself from May 14th . My offer is to shadow me this year, with the view to take over next year. Very worthwhile and fulfilling, helping the poorest of the world. Thanks

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THE METHODIST CHURCH IN BRITAIN

Methodist Women in Britain



Asian Theologians
International Conference

Saturday 3rd June, 2023
09:30 - 16:00
Mayflower Methodist Church, Leicester, LE5 5ND.

Topic: PUBLIC GOD TALK: ASIAN PERSPECTIVES

Keynote: Professor Sarojini Nadar (The Desmond Tutu Research Chair in Religion and Social Justice at the University of the Western Cape).

For more information contact:
Inderjit Bhogal on inderjitbhogal53@gmail.com, or
Jasmine Devadason on devadasonj@methodistchurch.org.uk

To book a place
https://www.circuitbritain.co.uk/c2/public_god-talk-asian-perspectives-tickets-46489922292

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COMMUNITY NEWS

New Church on the Street website

Please take a look at the new Church on the Street (COTS) website

[Home - Church on the Street \(cots-ministries.co.uk\)](http://cots-ministries.co.uk)

The next newsletter will be published on Tuesday 24th January 2023. Please forward any contributions to me before 5pm on Monday 23rd January 2023.

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- Friday 20th January at the Inghamite Church, Fence
- Saturday 21st Jan: Prayer Stations at St Thomas's
- Monday 23rd Jan: St Thomas's
- Tuesday 24th Jan: Wheatley Lane Methodist Church
- Wednesday 25th Evening Prayers (7:00pm) at St Thomas's, Barrowford

Future Circuit Events



Disney Pixar 'Soul'

Jamie Foxx leads an all-star cast in this hilarious, heart-filled adventure. Pixar's SOUL introduces Joe, who lands the gig of his life at the best jazz club in town. But one misstep lands Joe in a fantastical place: The Great Before. There, he teams up with soul 22 (Tina Fey), and together they find the answers to some of life's biggest questions.

**Christ Church,
Carr Road, Nelson
Friday 17th February**

4pm

There will be a break when pie and peas will be served

To reserve a place
please contact
Wendy Fryer

Email: wendyryer@2101methodists.org

Tel: 07961044563

Future Church events

WHEATLEY LANE - Baroque in the North:

On Sunday 12th March (2:30-4:30pm) there will be a family friendly concert in church. About an hour of live music on a variety of instruments, followed by tea and cake and a chance to chat to the performers. More details later, or follow the link: [Baroque & Beyond Winter Whispers at Wheatley Lane Methodist Church event tickets from TicketSourcest](#)