

Wesley Place Methodist Church,
Lawton Road, Alsager



Welcome to worship today. We are pleased that you are able to join us. Whether you are visiting briefly or are new to Wesley Place we hope that you feel at home and among friends. Please introduce yourself to one of the stewards.

Sunday 24th September 2017

10.30am: Service led by Rev Rob Hilton

Please join us for coffee and fellowship after the service

3:00pm - Service held at New Milton - led by Miss Joyce Owen

6:30pm: Service led by Rev Rob Hilton

O God, surer than the breaking of the day,
in the morning, fill us with your love,
and in the evening, as the dew falls,
refresh us with your mercy,
that we may live according to your promises;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Readings for your Devotions

Exodus 16: 2-15	(OT p72)
Psalm 105: 1-6, 37-45	(OT p601)
Philippians 1: 21-30	(NT p246)
Matthew 20: 1-16	(NT p29)

PLEASE TURN OFF YOUR MOBILE PHONE

Diary for Week Beginning Monday 25th September, 2017

Mon: 2pm-4pm: Monday fun - table top games with Stamp Party

Tue: 2:30pm: Women's Fellowship - Jean Williams

Wed: 9:30am: Walking Fellowship meet at Wesley Place

10.00am: Church open for prayer from 10 to 12 noon with
"Time Out" at 10:30. Followed by Tea and Biscuits

7:00pm: Housegroup at the home of Sylvia Minger

Thur: 7:30pm: Choir rehearsal

Sat: 10am-12noon: Action for Children Coffee Morning

Next Sunday 1st October, 2017 - Harvest Sunday

10:30am - Service led by Rev Rob Hilton

6:30pm - Service led by Mr Alec Needham

PRAYER HANDBOOK.

The new edition “Jesus the first and last” has now arrived. They're on the tables at rear and front of Church..

Cost this year is £3.50. Take one and leave cash on the plate.



Date for the Diary - Safeguarding Training

There will be a retraining session for all those who have previously undergone training and were recently given a DBS check, on Thursday 28th September at 7:30pm at Wesley Place. Places need to be booked through Jenny Marshall.

Stamp Party

There will be Stamp parties on Mondays 25th Sept, & 2nd Oct 2pm -4pm in room 4 at Wesley place.

Come and have fun trimming and sorting the stamps we collect for various charities(Bring your own scissors) enjoying the fellowship and a cuppa.

Food Bank

Can anyone help with any of these items as the food bank is seriously low on the items below.

- Ladies sanitary products
- Tinned veg including potatoes
- Instant smash
- Jam

Funeral Service

A funeral service is being held for Eunice Jackson at Bradwell Crematorium on Wednesday 27th at 11:20am



Harvest 2017

On **Saturday 30th September** between 10am and 12pm the church will be open for everyone to drop in and help make a decoration for the Harvest display in the front foyer along the theme of this year's Harvest Service 'Chirp for Joy'. All are welcome, of all ages, and there are absolutely no artistic skills necessary! No need to bring anything but yourselves, for any more information just speak to Harriet but otherwise just turn up on the day, whenever you can, and pitch in, there may even be the chance of a bacon sandwich!

The church will also be open at the same time for people to bring their harvest items to decorate the inside of the church with, so do come along with some produce for the display and participate! There is a call for the odd wheelbarrow and if you have one the church may borrow for the weekend, again, please let Harriet know.

Harvest produce donated this year will be split between the Elizabeth Trust and Alsager Food Bank. Specific items that have been requested are fruit, vegetables, and also tins, packets, biscuits and chocolate but, as ever, everything is welcomed.

On Sunday 1st October a frugal lunch of vegetable soup will be held after the service for us all to share in Harvest fellowship together. Donations for 'All We Can Zimbabwe Appeal' suggested donation £5. If you would like to attend please let one of the stewards know so we have an idea of numbers for catering purposes.

Decorating Windows in Church For Harvest

For any church groups who wish to decorate a window in church for next week's Harvest services, please can you see Margaret Keeling (if she has not already asked you) about this year's theme. The church will be open on Friday 29th September from 5pm until 7pm, and on Saturday 30th September from 10:00 until 12:00 to allow decoration of the windows to take place.



Can't Sing(?) Choir Concert at Wesley Place Church

Saturday 21st of October at 7:30pm.

A concert to raise church funds with a wide variety of songs including tributes for the people of Manchester and London after their recent tragedies. Songs will include "Puppet on a String", "King of the Road", "Love me Tender", "Downtown" and "The Streets of London". There will be some classical and crossover music "O mio babbino caro" by Puccini, "Cantus Iteratus" by Jenkins, a trip to Ascot on the opening day and some audience participation in "Flash, Bang, Wallop" from Half a Sixpence. (Bring a small percussion instrument if you like!). The Rhinestone Cowboy for Glen Campbell and a violin solo or two from Jack completes the picture and should add up to a full evenings entertainment.

All the money raised from the concert will be donated to Wesley Place church. Tickets available from stewards..



CHESTER AND STOKE-ON-TRENT DISTRICT

AUTUMN DAY

and Induction of Kath Roberts as District President

on Tuesday 3rd October, 2017

**at Tunstall Methodist Church, Queen's Avenue,
Stoke on Trent, ST6 6EE**

10.00 Coffee for 10.30 start: devotions, MWiB business

**11.00 Carol Broad talks about Hope for Justice, our
new President's Project**

**12.30 Lunch, please bring sandwiches, drinks
provided.**

Time to look at stalls including Fair Trade, books & cards.

**2.00 Induction service and Communion led by Rev'd
Pat Percival**

3.30 Tea and cakes

Minister: Rob Hilton robakiddles@icloud.com - Day off Friday
Lay Leader: Mrs Bronwen Degg, (01270) 872832 - Day off Wednesday
Lay Worker: Jonathan Newbould

Senior Steward Team:

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Booking Secretary: Ann Pask (01270) 879633

Notices for next week: Please see Sarah Simpson 07718140733 or e-mail sarahsimo28@live.co.uk by Thursday 8pm please.

Church e-mail address - Wesley.Place@tesco.net
 Wesley Place facebook page - Wesley Place church

If you miss a copy of the pew leaflet or would like to see photos of what has been happening here at Wesley Place you can find them on the Wesley Place website - www.wesley-place.org.uk

Visit the Circuit website (www.cheshiresouth.org.uk) for the Circuit news letter and forthcoming events.

A paper copy of the weekly news letter is available to read on the Circuit notice

Church Rota	24th Sept, 2017	1st Oct, 2017
Morning Readers	Geoff White Margaret Keeling	Sandra Rawlinson Ruth Heeks
Stewards	Janet Keen Helen Robertson	Isabel Brislen Andrew Shaw
Offertory	Sarah Simpkin Janet Keen Jean Walker	Doris Bach Kathleen Berisford David & Hilary Gray
Welcome Morning	Liz & Tony Hough	Anne Milner Gwyneth Godfrey
Evening Stewards	Hilda & Geoff White	Margaret Keeling Carol Challinor
Coffee Morning	Women's Fellowship	JOY
Counting	Helen Robertson Geraldine Higginson Alicia Crompton	Isabel Brislen Gwynneth Proudlove Hilary Gray
Vestry Steward	Gordon Degg	Doris Bach