

DIARY FOR THE WEEK

TUESDAY 20th OCTOBER -

2.15pm - Women's Fellowship Raymond Beech from North West Air Ambulance

7.30pm - Pastoral Visitors meeting at Ingol Methodist Church -park with care.

WEDNESDAY 21st OCTOBER

10.30am - Fellowship & Communion

THURSDAY 22nd OCTOBER 8.01pm - Ladies After 8's Kim Robinson "History of Weight Watchers"

LOOKING AHEAD

WEDNESDAY 28th OCTOBER 7.30pm - Film Club showing "Evan Almighty" - Peter would like someone to provide drinks, please let him know if you can help.

SATURDAY 31st OCTOBER - Fair Trade Fair - 10am till 2pm at Fulwood Free Methodist Church. A wide variety of Fair Trade products will be on sale from various suppliers, selling food & drink, wine, crafts, jewellery, gifts, toys & paper goods including Christmas cards. Fairtrade refreshments will be available. There will also be tastings, films, tombola, raffle etc.

SUNDAY 1st NOVEMBER 9.30am - 12.00 noon - Junior Church Training Morning at Lea Methodist Church

FRIDAY 6th NOVEMBER "Indian Evening" at the home of Edna and Ray Armstrong. Contact Edna (718800) for details.

SATURDAY 7th NOVEMBER 10am -12 noon Charity Card Sale - at Fulwood URC. If you support a charity and would like to have a stall selling cards for them please contact Thelma Williams (863649) or Margaret Squire (715862).

CERAMIC MURAL to go in the redeveloped church is now fired and ready for painting and glazing. This will be done in stages on 5 Saturday mornings during **October**, in groups of 10 - 12 (a mix of adults and older children), for which you will need to book a place by signing the lists on the display boards. The glazing work will taking place at the Oldham's home "Slater's Barn" on Whittingham Lane. You need to sign in because places are limited - but if you are passing please stop and offer encouragement (and chocolate!) Contact Ken Wales

Copies of the Methodist Prayer Handbook are available from Ann Done £3
Copies of District Prayer Handbook & the Prayer Card are available - help yourself.

Derian House subscriptions are now due - if you would like to give £5, £10 or more to help the children's hospice, please see Ann Done

CHURCH REDEVELOPMENT

There are now 486 photos on the site, with more to come. The latest news, after 6½ months out of the building, is the contractors are working towards completion at end of January and after a period of cleaning and restocking the various rooms, we are aiming for a return about a month later with a formal re-opening perhaps around Easter. www.flickr.com/photos/fmc-re-development

Weekly Teapot Collection for Kitchen

Janet and Thelma wish to thank everyone who has contributed to "The Pot".

To date £238.97 has been raised. All the money will be used to purchase kitchen equipment, so please keep donating. No foreign coins, please

Theatre trips Sign up on the list on the notice board.

Saturday 12 December- matinee at The Lowry: The visit to *White Christmas* is now full (or very nearly so). Please check the list to make sure your name is there and to ensure that there are no double bookings arising from the list not being on permanent display, and some bookings being made by telephone. The cost is £38 and I would like to receive payments please by November 21st (cheques payable to Fulwood Methodist Church).

Oberammergau: this is to give advance notice that there will be a meeting for all those involved in the visit to Oberammergau next year on Monday 23 November at 7.30p.m. The venue will probably be Ingol Methodist Church but this will be confirmed as soon as possible.

SATURDAY 5th DECEMBER Full day visit to Grassington Dickensian Christmas Festival. Coaches will leave St Pius School 9.30am. Adults £14.00, Children FREE. The second coach is filling up FAST: to date, only 26 seats remain. To avoid future disappointment, register your interest by entering your name on the interest sheets on the promotional display units at back of church. Full details and £5.00 deposit with bookings please to Edward Steele-Wilson 01772 700057 & 07879 213462 and/or Ray Armstrong 01772 718800 & 07761 134569

Not to be missed: a truly brilliant full day out to the Yorkshire Dales.

The ThreeOneSix first album "It's a good day" is starting to sell, and we're getting some nice comments from people who have bought the CD! Thanks to those who have already bought copies - it's a great start towards our "2012 Campaign"! But, if we're going to hit our 2012 target, we need to sell, well, let's say a few more! The CD will make a great gift for Christmas - a stocking filler, or as something different if you don't want to buy someone socks (again!). Maybe your next door neighbour would like one as a thank-you for looking after the dog / cat / garden when you went on holiday? Maybe that neighbour will hear the CD and think "Gosh, his Church sounds lively, maybe I should give them a visit?" It's taken us 9 months to produce it - so its bargain at just £8 - order forms are in the serving hatch where you get your post-worship coffee!! Or, you can phone Mike on 07866 476639 to place your order.

Christmas Shoebox appeal

Please keep filling your shoebox, there are extra leaflets on the notice boards. Collection will be different this year. The URC are having a coffee and shoebox collection morning on Saturday 14th (9-12.30) . If possible please could you support the URC and take them there. If not please bring them on Sunday 15th November they will be sent to URC for collection. If you need to bring it earlier please let me know and I'll store it. Many Thanks Wendy Bennett (860965)

SUNDAY 25th OCTOBER 2009

9.45am Choir Rehearsal

10.30am Revd Peter Sheasby with Holy Communion at Pius
Please remember yellow Gift Aid envelopes for Communion

6.30pm Revd Gillian Houghton at URC

DOORS: am	Mrs L stone, Mrs M Talbot, Mr R Whiteford, Mr K Wiggins
pm :	Mr M Atkinson, Mrs C Oldham
CRECHE	Mrs B Chesworth, Mrs E Armstrong
FLOWER DISTRIBUTION:	Mrs M Black
TRANSPORT:	Mr J Butterworth
COFFEE:	Team 3

THE CIRCUIT OFFICE is now at: Ashton Methodist Church, Wellington Road, Ashton, Preston PR2 1BX Tel: 01772 723579 - e-mail address: prestonmethodist@yahoo.co.uk, opening hours: Wed 9.30am-11.30am, Fri 10am-1pm

PRAYER CHAIN:

If you would like the church Prayer Network to pray for you, someone you know, or for a particular situation, please pass your request to Christine, either by phone (715134) or e-mail (christinesheasby@yahoo.co.uk)

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FULWOOD METHODIST CHURCH



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SUNDAY 18th OCTOBER 2009

9.45am Choir Rehearsal

10.30am Sister Myrtle Poxon at Pius
Pastoral Visitors please collect folders with the Autumn magazine
We also need a few more people to stay on
and help clear up after worship, please offer

6.30pm Revd Peter Sheasby at URC
Healing Service with Holy Communion

DOORS: am	Mr R Armstrong, Mrs M Crossley, Mrs J Smith, Mrs M Southwood, Mrs M Squire
pm :	Mr A Clarke & Mrs J Clarke
CRECHE	Mrs S Burt & Mrs P O'Brien
FLOWER DISTRIBUTION:	Mrs E Hastwell
TRANSPORT:	Mr R Askew
COFFEE:	Team 2

PRAYER FOR OCTOBER

God of all goodness, all time and all space,
Autumn reminds us that there is a time for all things
to come to an end.
But we believe that You are always doing something new
In us and in the world around us.
Make us aware of your constant newness even as the
leaves fall to the ground.
Amen.