

## DIARY FOR THE WEEK

### TUESDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> NOVEMBER -

2.15pm - Women's Fellowship : Devotional Afternoon led by Revd Gillian Houghton

7.30pm - Church Leadership team at Myrtle's

### WEDNESDAY 4<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER

10.30am - Fellowship & Communion

7.45pm - Junior Church Meeting at Janet Wales'

### FRIDAY 6<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER

"Indian Evening" at the home of Edna and Ray Armstrong. Enjoy a traditional Indian meal. Contact Edna (718800) for details.

### SATURDAY 7<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER

10am -12 noon our 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).

**NB PLEASE SEE NOTICE BELOW ABOUT CHURCH CHRISTMAS CARD**

## LOOKING AHEAD

**Tuesday 10th November at 8pm:** House Group at 17 Highgate Ave (Tel 719953)

**Thursday 19th November LADIES AFTER EIGHT 8.01pm**

"An up-date on FOMO". Please bring knitted blankets, any articles, i.e. toiletries, pens paper etc. Children's shoes and clothes. An additional collection will also be made in lieu of a bring & buy. If you are unable to come please contact a committee member who will arrange collection.

**FRIDAY 13<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 7.30pm - AT URC.** A talk by Tony Yates "Buying and selling pictures, the experiences of an amateur. Tickets £4.00 (including refreshments) available from Fund Raising Team.

**SATURDAY 21<sup>st</sup> NOVEMBER 10.00am - 1.00pm** Craft Fair at Christ Church. See board for details. Also at Christ Church, Organ Recital by James Davey Tickets £8 on door (incl refreshments). See Board for details

### CHURCH REDEVELOPMENT

There are now 516 photos + 4 videos on site. The latest news, 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 around Easter. [www.flickr.com/photos/fmc-re-development](http://www.flickr.com/photos/fmc-re-development)

**COMMUNICATE! - En Vacances** a chance to brush up on your French for holidays, work or just for fun. We are sponsoring this course in association with Archbishop Temple School, at URC for 6 Mondays from November 9<sup>th</sup>, 7.30 - 9.00pm. All welcome, please encourage your friends and family to come and join in.. Led by Janett Malbon

**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 21<sup>st</sup> (cheques to FMC). **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 Nov at 7.30pm, the venue will probably be Ingol Methodist Church but this will be confirmed asap.

**SATURDAY 5<sup>th</sup> 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**; only 26 seats remain. 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

**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! 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!). 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 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 14<sup>th</sup> Nov (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)

### **Church Christmas Card**

From Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> December a large Christmas card will be available for you to give your Christmas greetings to all your church friends. Save on postage and Christmas cards and give a donation instead to our current Church Project supporting the Methodist Church in Columbia. More details nearer the time.

**Church Membership** If you are a regular attender please consider becoming a church member, by confirmation in January or transfer if you previously have been confirmed., for more details please speak to Peter or Myrtle

**Weekly Teapot Collection for Kitchen** Janet and Thelma wish to thank everyone who has contributed to "The Pot". To date £279-45p has been raised. All the money will be used to purchase kitchen equipment including teapots, pans, T towels, serving spoons, kitchen knives etc so keep donating. No foreign coins, please

**SUNDAY 8<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2009 REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY**

9.45am Choir Rehearsal

10.30am FAMILY AND PARADE SERVICE at Pius FOR  
REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY - SISTER MYRTLE POXON

6.30pm EVENING WORSHIP at URC - REVD DAVID WOOD

DOORS: am Mr J Ferris, Mrs D Highley, Mr P Jackson,  
Mrs E Jackson, Mr J Kirkham  
pm : Mrs B Hothersall Mrs J Hughes  
CRECHE Mrs Margaret Squire Miss Lucy Topping  
FLOWER DISTRIBUTION: Mrs Chris Oldham  
TRANSPORT: Mr Nick Dulley COFFEE: Team 5

**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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Church Web Site: [www.fulwood.org.uk](http://www.fulwood.org.uk)

Church Magazine web address: [www.hawkhurst.f2s.com/fmcmag](http://www.hawkhurst.f2s.com/fmcmag)

Items for the notices should be emailed to: [fulwoodmethodist@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:fulwoodmethodist@yahoo.co.uk),  
[sue\\_whiteford@hotmail.com](mailto:sue_whiteford@hotmail.com) (864478), [jnmalbon@mac.com](mailto:jnmalbon@mac.com) (863900),

**FULWOOD METHODIST CHURCH**



**SUNDAY 1<sup>st</sup> NOVEMBER 2009**

**ALL SAINTS DAY**

9.30am - 12.00noon - Junior Church Training Morning at Lea Methodist

9.45am Choir Rehearsal

10.30am All Age Worship led by Sister Myrtle at Pius  
*Cake & Produce Stall after the service. Please bake for us.*

6.30pm Memorial Service at URC,  
Please invite friends or family who have suffered bereavement.

DOORS: am Mr R Jolley, Mrs G Jolley, Mr M Rae, Mrs C Seddon,  
Mr A Smith  
pm : Mr B Crossley, Miss P Wright  
CRECHE Ms S Naylor, Mrs M Willis  
FLOWER DISTRIBUTION: Mrs M Witham  
TRANSPORT: Mr J Butterworth COFFEE: Team 4

**NB Changes to services in November**

15<sup>th</sup> November, 6.30pm Songs of Praise service is now an own arrangement  
service at URC, please tell Peter, Myrtle or Liz Huddleston if you have a  
favourite hymn you would like included.

**PRAYER FOR AUTUMN**

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.