

## DIARY FOR THE WEEK

**Monday 17<sup>th</sup> May** 7.45pm Church Life Group in the Sycamore Room. An important meeting for all representatives of Church groups & uniformed organisations, please use back car park and entrance.

**Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> May** Circular Walk from Jepson's Gate, Anglezarke to Leadmine's Valley, Round Loaf and Pike Stones (Remains of Chambered Long Cairn). Meet at Church rear car park at 9.30am. Bring packed lunch and a drink.

Approx 4 miles / 6 kms on rough moorland. Details from Dave Ridout tel 733295

**Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> May 10am. AM Club.** A programme planning meeting will be held at 66 Conway Drive - all members welcome

**10.30am** Holy Communion & Fellowship meeting at **URC**

**7.00pm** District World Church Evening, Ingol Methodist Church. This will include updates on Uruguay and Papua New Guinea and Sierra Leone, and will be attended by the Rev David Gamble, President of Conference

**Friday 21<sup>st</sup> May** 7.30pm Centenary Songs of Praise at the Ecumenical Chaplaincy, Lancaster University, Bailrigg

**Saturday 22 May** 9.30am-4pm - Inspire 4 - 'Rediscovering Holiness - Christian Spirituality for Living in Today's World'. This is the fourth Christian conference in the North Lancs District, to be held this year at Westholme School, Blackburn. Please contact the Circuit Office or see Margaret Squire for further details.

**Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> May** 6.30pm, at Penwortham, Revd David Gamble, President of the Methodist Conference

## LOOKING AHEAD

**Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> May** 7.30pm Church Leadership Meeting

**Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> May** 6.30pm - 6.30pm - Circuit Service at Fulwood, including dedication of Easter offerings. preacher Rev Paul Weary

**Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> June** In order for local residents, community groups and others to view the new premises, we will be holding an 'Open Day', to which you are also invited, to view or to help. The premises will be open from 10.00am through till 4.00pm with refreshment available throughout the day, please come when you can. If you belong to a charity, group or organisation who would be interested please take an invitation this morning from the coffee hatch.

**CAKE STALL** No Cake Stall on Sun June 6<sup>th</sup>, as the day before will be an Open Day for the community to view the Church and lots of cakes will be needed then

**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> June** 6.30 pm at Penwortham, Revd David Walton, ex Vice-President of the Methodist Conference

**Saturday June 12<sup>th</sup>** SAFARI SUPPER. If you feel you would like to host this event, please see the form on the Notice Board. Thank you

**Saturday June 26<sup>th</sup>** SPONSORED CANAL WALK 3, 5 and 10 mile walk ending at Haslam Park. Details of times, registration & sponsor forms from members of the Fund Raising group.

**ACTION FOR CHILDREN STEP OUT WALKS** There are 3 sponsored walks on Saturday August 7<sup>th</sup> around Rivington Reservoir, on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> August to Hilbre Island and Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> September across Morecambe Bay. Details on the notice board. Registration forms available from Barbara Tel. 716203

**Welcomers / Door Stewards** 4 volunteers are needed for Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> June (afternoon). Your help would be much appreciated. Roy Smith, 716772

The publication date of the Summer magazine has had to be brought forward by a month. Anyone hoping to have something included needs to contact Roy Smith IMMEDIATELY!

Does anyone have a heavy duty hedgecutter they would be willing to lend so that the hedges around the Church can be got into order before the Official Opening Weekend in June? Please contact Roy Smith

Please note that the new Booking Secretary is now Ray Armstrong. All groups need to contact him about using the premises in future, including regular events. tel: 01772 718800, mobile: 07761134569 or email: ednaarmstrong@btinternet.com

**Theatre visits:** Here are 4 dates for your diaries: **Wednesday 19 May** -

Canterbury Tales (Northern Broadways - unmissable) at the Lowry;

**18 August** - Les Miserables at the Lowry; **Saturday 11 December** - A Christmas Carol at the Lowry; **19 January** - Zack (a northern comedy) at the Royal Exchange. Watch out for details or see Joyce now to reserve a place.

**Vouchers** Sainsburys and other school vouchers can be given to Revd. Peter for Ribblesdale Avenue Methodist Junior School.

**NCH BOXES** (Action for Children) are now due for emptying.

Please hand your box to Shirley Stock or Pauline Kirkham on a Sunday morning.

**Book this date in your diary NOW**

**Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> June, 3.00pm Opening and Rededication Service**

**Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> 10.30am Thanksgiving Service**

Please invite friends and neighbours to join us.

## SUNDAY 23rd MAY 2010

9.45am Choir Rehearsal

10.30am MORNING WORSHIP, Sister Myrtle

6.30pm EVENING WORSHIP at URC, Revd Peter Sheasby

DOORS: am: Mrs J Smith, Mrs M Southwood, Mrs M Squire  
pm: Mr A Clarke, Mrs J Clarke  
CRECHE: Mrs L Fenton, Mrs L Stone  
FLOWER DISTRIBUTION: Mr & Mrs A Barker  
TRANSPORT: Mr J Butterworth 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, new opening hours: Fri 10.00am - 4.00pm,

### 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 Judith Harvey, either by phone (787500) or e-mail (judith@judithharvey.orangehome.co.uk)

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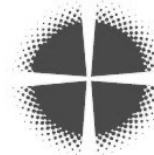
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## **Fulwood Methodist Church Crossroads Centre**

## SUNDAY 16th MAY 2010

9.45am Choir Rehearsal

10.30am MORNING WORSHIP, Kate Bosman

**Coffee/Tea after church - to help traffic flow please queue away from the door into the church, sort of down the middle of the Willow Grove, so that the way to the toilets isn't blocked either!**

6.30pm EVENING WORSHIP at URC,  
**Revd Gillian Houghton**

DOORS: am: Mr T Lowes, Mr E Waterhouse, Mrs M Crossley  
pm: Mr B Sumner  
CRECHE: Mrs B Hothersall, Mrs J Myatt  
FLOWER DISTRIBUTION: Mr & Mrs A Barker  
TRANSPORT: cars COFFEE: Team 4

### Prayer

Spirit of God, shape our lives and recreate us in your image  
Spirit of God, light the fire of your love in our hearts,  
and put your words in our mouths.  
Spirit of God, keep us moving in your way,  
and walking in your light.  
Spirit of God, may we bear and share your fruits,  
Love, joy, peace, patience  
Faithfulness, gentleness, self-control