



**Showing God's love in Christ to our community through prayer,
witness and service**

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Minister's Day Off: Monday

Ministers Study Day : Tuesday

Welcome!

In the name of Jesus Christ, we warmly welcome you to our service today.

Thank you for the enrichment you bring to our worship by your praise and fellowship. Please continue in fellowship by joining us for refreshments after the service

Prayer is offered at the end of Morning Service – please sit on the front row and a member of the Prayer Team will come to you.

Please ask a Steward about large print hymnbooks if required.
Hearing Loop available

Sunday 11th February

Duty Steward: John Dearden

10.00am Pre Worship Prayer in the Oasis

10.30am Mike Ridley

6.30pm Blakelees – Rev F Bernard Dodd

“and a voice came from the cloud: ‘This is my son, whom I love. Listen to him.’ Suddenly, when they looked round, they no longer saw anyone with them except Jesus .” Mark 9:7+8

Sunday 11th February 2018

**'Before the service, speak to God. During the service, let God speak to you.
After the service speak to one another'**

Thank you everyone for the gift and flowers given to me last Sunday. It was a very kind thought and very generous. It is with regret that I find it necessary to finish playing the piano in Church; however I treasure many happy memories going back quite a long time. Thank you all for your kindness. Chris Weller

Please note that **Steve and Nicola's House Group** wont be meeting on 21st February.

A message from Nicola

A friend of mine, **Jill Towell**, will be running a four week **Pilates taster course** starting on Thursday 15th February in the Link at 6pm. The course is for total beginners and is open to all. Please pick up a flyer from the table in the entrance area for full details. Nicola

Its time again to organise the **Church Rota for the next quarter**. If are unavailable for your duty anytime between March to May please contact Jane Futter asap.

Can anyone who has an **Action for Children** home collection box let **Lucy** have it for emptying asap. Thanks

West Cheshire Foodbank - We donated 31 Kg of food on 29th January.

Thank you very much from everyone at the West Cheshire Foodbank.

Please continue to help by donating an item or two from our shopping list to ensure we can provide help to people in crisis:

What we need most this week:

UHT Fruit, Juice, Mashed Potato, Custard, Coffee.

Other items needed.

Tinned Vegetables, Tinned Meat and Fish, Tinned Tomatoes, Pot Noodles,

Tinned Fruit, Jams and Spreads, Instant Coffee 100g, Rice Pudding,

Tinned Soup. Tinned Potatoes, Biscuits, Tinned/ Instant Custard, Pasta Sauces,

Cuppa Soups Instant Pasta, Instant Mash, UHT Milk, UHT Fruit Juice.

There is a prayer diary on the small table in the vestibule and it will remain there throughout the year. You are invited to put in anyone's name that you wish us as a church family to pray for in the service each Sunday.

Service recordings – Our morning services are usually recorded and available on a memory stick to be played on computer at home, or on listening devices available from Church. If you know of someone who is unable to be at this morning's service please let the Duty Steward know and we will do our best to make it available.

Viv Robinson has now taken on the role of **Booking Secretary**, and so she now has the Church Diary .Please contact her if you need to make a booking [tel.722338](tel:722338) or email her on geofviv@gmail.com

We are in the process of retiring the **hmcadmin@btinternet.com** email address and very soon it will be unavailable.

Our new email address is admin@helsbymethodist.org.uk

Please update your address book with our new contact email for any notices and anything for Heather or the Church Office .

Activities for the Week Ahead	
Monday 12th	Muddles 10.00am – 12.00 noon in the Link. Muddles is a friendly and fun mums and tots group, we also welcome of course dads, grandparents, carers and child-minders. We enjoy play-time, healthy snack time and song-time, so why not come along and join the fun! <i>(Cath Clarke 727217)</i>
Tuesday 13th	Walking Football for the over 55's 5.00pm – 6.00pm at Frodsham Leisure Centre £3.00
Wednesday 14th	
Thursday 15th	Muddles 9.30am – 11.30am in the Link followed by: Church Mice 11.30am – 12 noon in Church <i>(Cath Clarke 727217)</i>
Friday 16th	“Time For Prayer” 9.30am – 10.00am in Church Friday Drop-in 10am – 12 noon in The Link <i>(Church Office 727217)</i>

Rota Duties	This Week	Next Week
Welcoming Stewards	Helena Richards Lloyd Richards	Gill Lockett Janet Mather
Tea	Colin Holden Catherine Holden	Gill Lockett Janet Mather
Sound desk	Steve Hughes	Celia Smith
Reader	Lloyd Richards	Janet Mather
Pre-Worship Prayers	Steve Lightfoot	Nicola Lightfoot
Flowers	Greta Watkin	Phylis Bickerton
Foodbank Rota	Ian Oulton	Derek Colville

The Leadership Team:
 Rev David Bintliff 209818
 Cath Clarke 723304, John Dearden 722292, Jon Ford 724968,
 Michelle Heald 725159, Nicola Lightfoot 723071, Ian Oulton 724587,
 Dave Taylor 724524,

Church Office

The Church Office is staffed on Wednesday and Thursday mornings.

Weekly Notices: Prepared by Heather Oulton 727217 or admin@helsbymethodist.org

Item for inclusion in the Notices should be advised before 12.00 noon on Thursday

Next week – Sunday 18th February
 Duty Steward: **Dave Taylor**

10.00am Pre Worship Prayer in the Oasis

10.30am Wendy Ross-Barker

6.30 pm Blakelees - Revd David Bintliff – Holy Communion