

CHURCH LIFE

MAY

prayer focus

### 6th May

Ask God's Blessing on the National "Thy Kingdom Come" initiative from Ascension Day on Thursday May 10<sup>th</sup> to Pentecost Sunday on May 20<sup>th</sup>.

Pray that many Christians will be promoted to pray for others to know Jesus as Lord and Saviour.

### 13th May

Give thanks for our Queen and Royal Family as Prince Harry and Meghan Markle are married next Saturday May 19<sup>th</sup>.

Pray that God's Gift of Marriage, recorded in Scripture, will be honoured in our society.

### 20<sup>th</sup> May Pentecost

Rejoice at the coming of the Holy Spirit as Jesus promised. Pray for our Boys' & Girls' Brigade as they share in our Pentecost Café today and ask a blessing on those who lead them week by week.

### 27th May

Give thanks for our Coffee Hub, open on Monday and Thursdays.

Pray for those who often attend and that others will discover this lovely facility.



WOOTTON NEW LIFE METHODIST CHURCH  
CAUSE END ROAD  
WOOTTON



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#### General Information

**REFRESHMENTS:** These are available in The Hub before, during and after the service.

Please do feel comfortable enough to help yourself.

**CRÈCHE:** Whilst we don't have a separate crèche there is an informal seating area where Toys, books and activities are available. This area is also used when there is an ALL AGE/FAMILY service, when the young people stay in the main church. There are no age barriers in this church.

**GIVING:** There will be an opportunity to give during the service, *visitors are our guests so please feel free to let the collection bag pass you by.* If you intend to give regularly, please speak to Brian Pawlett to get our bank details or offertory envelopes and/or a Gift Aid form.

**PRAYER MINISTRY:** Prayer is offered after services either at the front of the church or if you'd prefer in the Prayer Room. If you would like to pray about anything, please ask one of our ministry team or put your prayer request in the prayer book.

**PASTORAL CARE:** We are seeking to be a community where everyone can be supported and cared for. We encourage you to ask for support, or get someone to ask on your behalf and we will respond as best we can. If you know of someone who is in need please speak in confidence to one of the leadership team.



WOOTTON NEW LIFE  
METHODIST CHURCH

TO KNOW GOD BETTER - TO LOVE OTHERS MORE -  
TO SHARE THE GOOD NEWS OF JESUS

A warm welcome to all

If you are new or visiting, we hope you feel at home. If you require help, please speak to one of the welcome team on the door.

We have an informal style of worship where we actively seek to hear and respond to the word of God and encourage everyone to fully participate. Please make yourself known to us or let us know if you would like to get more involved including joining a Small Group.

Suzy & David Goodson

Lay Pastoral Leaders

10:30am Morning Worship  
Teaching Series for May

May 6th Joel 2:18-27 The Restoration!  
Led by Amos Salisbury

May 13th Joel 2:28- 3:21 The Promise of the Spirit!  
Led by Thea Lee

May 20th Pentecost Parade & All Age Café Worship  
Led by Suzy & David Goodson

May 27th Trinity Sunday, Holy Communion  
Led by Rev. Kath Pawlett

CHRISTIAN BOOKS & CARDS 

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**TUESDAY: 09.30 –10.00 am**  
Prayers in the Hub followed by Bible Study  
All are welcome



**ALTERNATE WEDNESDAY'S: 7:30PM**  
**HOME GROUP**  
CAFÉ CHURCH @ 8 SUMMERFIELD DRIVE



**PAT - A - CAKE**  
**Term Time only**  
Thursday 1:30 – 3.00pm  
Toys, crafts and activities for pre-school  
Refreshments available



**GIRLS' BRIGADE**  
Thursday's 6:00—7:30 pm  
**Term Time only**



**BOYS' BRIGADE**  
Friday's 6:00—7:30 pm  
Rec. (from 5th birthday)—Yr. 6  
& 7:30—9.30 Yrs. 7—13  
**Term Time only**

**ROCK 'n' ROLL** **Term Time only**

Rock 'n' Roll Messy Church

**12th MAY**

**3—5 pm**



Free Church Services to be held in the Lady Chapel on the 1st Wednesday of each month at 11 am  
**6th June 2018**  
**The Reverend David Gregory,**  
Senior Minister, Croxley Green Baptist Church  
President of the Baptist Union of GB.

The service is followed by a Fellowship Lunch



**COMMUNITY CAFÉ 10:00 12:00**  
Monday and Thursday

Senior Citizen's Tea



Wootton & Stewartby Churches invite you to tea at Wootton Baptist Church on Tuesday May 22nd at 3pm preceded by singing from Wootton Lower School Choir and a short message by Caroline Weaver. Entry is by ticket only and a free ticket can be obtained from Betty Brittain. We are asked to provide some salad items and Rose Clark has a list if you could offer an item.

St Albans & Welwyn Methodist Circuit  
Worship Academy  
**Engaging with Digital Congregations**

A talk by Revd Dr Rob Marshall,  
Writer, Broadcaster  
and Parish Priest, Digswell  
On Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> May 2018  
at Digswell Village Church  
Supper at 7pm

(NB you need to book for supper by contacting Ann on

[Admin@midhertsmethodists.org.uk](mailto:Admin@midhertsmethodists.org.uk)

[by Monday 14<sup>th</sup> May](#))

Talk at 8pm

**Everyone Welcome**



**Yard sale**  
**Sunday 24th June**

I am organising a Yard Sale to raise money for our church to help improve our acoustics.

If you or your family and friends would also like to offer any good quality things that you would normally take to a charity shop, please save them up until 24th June and bring them along on the day.

More details nearer the time; but for now take an opportunity to have a summer sort out

Thank you! Becky