

Monday 6 November

10.15 am Prayer and Meditation in the Quiet Room

Tuesday 7 November

7.30 pm Badminton

Wednesday 8 November

10.00 am Coffee Morning

12 noon Lunches Served

7.30 - 10.00 pm Sequence Dancing

Saturday 11 November

10.00 - 12 noon Coffee Morning

Remembrance Sunday 12 November

10.30 am Service led by Rev Roy Widdows

Stewards Anne Gill and David Varley*Pianist* Anthony Butterfield*Door* Jean and David Varley*Coffee* Margaret Sharp and Muriel Freeman*Flowers* Mary and Roy Widdows**Tuesday 14 November**

7.30 pm Badminton

Wednesday 15 November

10.00 am Coffee Morning

12 noon Lunches Served

7.30 pm Bible Fellowship Meeting at 6 Villa Grove

7.30 - 10.00 pm Sequence Dancing

Saturday 18 November

10.00 - 3.00 pm Christmas Fayre

Sunday 19 November

10.30 am Service with Holy Communion led by Rev Barbara Walls

Stewards Joyce Dykes and Jean Varley*Pianist* Katherine Watson*Door* Alice Madeley and Jean Boardman*Coffee* Rosalie Large and Joan Moore*Flowers* Muriel Freeman

Items for Sunday 12 November's News Sheet to be handed to
Bryn Morgan, 551805, by Tuesday 7 November at the latest.

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Bingley Methodist Church

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Welcome!

Sunday 5 November 2006

10.30 am Creative Worship led by
Rev Nick Blundell

Stewards Bryn Morgan and Jean Varley

Pianist Roy Hemsley

Door Heather Tidswell and Ann Walls

Coffee Millie Emmerson and Andrea Scargill

Flowers Joyce Dykes

We welcome you to our church today. We sincerely hope that you will receive a blessing from the service. If you would like a visit from our Minister, or if our Church Stewards can help in any way, please let us know.

Coffee and tea will be served following this morning's service, please stay and join us. The Traidcraft Stall will be in the dining room after the service.

Prayer for Today

Eternal God,
grant to us that flame of our love
which you kindle
in the hearts of all the saints;
and as we rejoice in their triumphs
so may we profit by their example;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Methodist Homes Sunday

Today is Methodist Homes Sunday.
Envelopes will be put on chairs and I
would ask please if we could support
this cause to help us improve the
quality of life for older people. Bryn.

Church Dinner/Dance

Our now Annual Dinner/Dance will be
held on Friday 24 November at St Ives
Golf Club. Tickets £25 per head -
same as last year.
Anyone wanting tickets please see
Jean Varley. Bryn.

Letter to God

A Sunday school teacher challenged
by her children to take some time on
Sunday afternoon to write a letter to
God. They were told to bring this
letter back the following Sunday.
One little boy wrote, "Dear God, we
had a good time at church today.
Wish you could have been there."

Methodist Publishing House

The order has now been placed as the
deadline was last Sunday. However,
individual orders can still be made. I
have put some blank order forms in
with the catalogues. Bryn.

Loans to the Church

At the Church Council last week, John
and myself gave our financial report.
We reported that the Church finances
were such that we could now repay
all the loans back to everyone who
had contributed. This was proposed
and passed unanimously.

Arrangements will shortly be put in
place to commence this process.
Could we again thank everyone who
made a loan, without this help we
would not have paid the loan off
when we did.

Balance sheets for the General and
Building Funds are on the notice
board for your perusal.

God Bless. Bryn and John.

Fun Night / Party

To celebrate paying off the loan and
reimbursing everyone who loaned the
Church money for his purpose, we
propose to have a Fun Night / Party
early in the new year.

We will get in outside caterers so that
nobody is working and a thoroughly
good night will be enjoyed by
everyone. Watch this space for more
details. Bryn.

NCH

Anyone who would like an NCH diary
please see me. Price: £2. Thanks,
Sheila.

JMA

This year £266.83 was raised for
missions from JMA supporters. Thank
you to everyone who helped. Anne.

Flower Rota

Thank you to all who have provide
flowers for the Church during 2006.
They are very much appreciated by
the congregation and by the
recipients after the service.

I will be doing the flower rota for
2007 at the end of November so if
anyone would like any changes
making please get in touch with me
before then.

Thank you once again, Pam
Butterfield.

Postage Stamps

I still collect all used postage stamps
so with Christmas quickly approaching
when we usually get a lot, I thought it
a good time to remind everyone in
the hope they will save them for me.

Thank you, Margaret S.

Loving Kindness

The teacher asked the pupils to tell
the meaning of loving kindness. A
little boy jumped up and said, "Well,
if I was hungry and someone gave me
a piece of bread that would be
kindness. But if they put a little jam
on it, that would be loving kindness."

October 2006	
Date	Collection
1 October	£231.49
8 October	£329.25
15 October	£163.05
22 October	£394.20
29 October	£294.00

Christmas Fayre - Saturday 18 November

At the recent working party meeting we agreed to have the following stalls
at the Fayre this year:

Gifts (Margaret Ward), Crafts & Candles (Mary Widdows and members of
Banner Group), Cakes (Andrea Scargill and Shirley Dixon), Provisions
(*Volunteer Required*), Books (Mike Scargill and Barry Large), Tombola
(Joan Wright and Catharine Sykes), Meals (Rosalie Large, Jean Varley and
Pam Butterfield), Sandwiches (Katherine Watson), Refreshments (Barbara
Beardmore and Mignon de Jager).

Raffles etc: Guess weight of Christmas Cake/Amount of Smarties in Jar
(Ellie and Joel Fulford), Bran Tub (Lindsay Schofield and Lindsey Butler),
Door Stewards (Joe Armstrong and *Volunteers*).

Please note that there will not be a Bric-a-brac or Toy Stall this year. If you
can donate anything towards any of the stalls or if you can help on a stall
on the day, please contact the person responsible for that particular stall.