

**Tuesday 6 March**

7.30 pm Badminton

**Wednesday 7 March**

10.00 am Coffee Morning

12 noon Lunches

7.30 pm Sequence Dancing

**Friday 9 March**

11.30 am Lent Meditation in the Quiet Room

12.15 pm Bread and Cheese Lunch

7.00 pm Outing to Pantomime

**Saturday 10 March**

10.00 am Coffee Morning

**Sunday 11 March**

10.30 am Creative Worship and Baptism led by Rev Ruth Parry

*Stewards* Mignon de Jager, Carol Lake and Molly*Music* Anthony Butterfield*Door* Joan Wright and Gill Neasham*Coffee* Anne and Eddie Hamlin*Flowers* Maggie Newby**Tuesday 13 March**

4.00 pm Messy Church

7.30 pm Badminton

**Wednesday 14 March**

10.00 am Coffee Morning

12 noon Lunches served

7.30 pm Sequence Dancing

**Friday 16 March**

11.30 am Lent Meditation in the Quiet Room

12.15 pm Bread and Cheese Lunch

**Saturday 17 March**

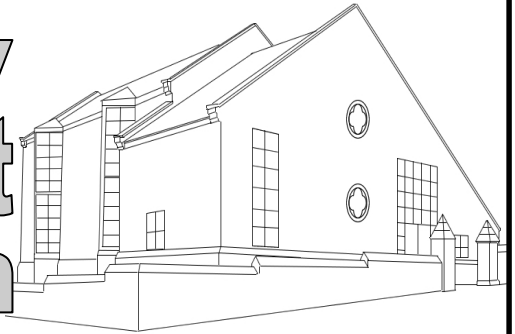
10.00 am Coffee Morning

**Sunday 18 March**

10.30am Mothering Sunday Service led by Mrs Ann Fox

*Stewards* Mignon de Jager, Carol Lake and Lucy*Music* Katherine Watson*Door* Rosalie Large and Rachael Slater*Coffee* Lindsay Schofield and Lindsey Butler*Flowers* Marian TurnerWebsite: [www.bingleymethodistchurch.org.uk](http://www.bingleymethodistchurch.org.uk)

# Bingley Methodist Church



Minister: Rev Ruth Parry - Tel: 01274 563227

## Sunday 4 March 2012

**10.30 am** Communion Service led by  
Rev Michael Chapman*Stewards* Barbara Beardmore, Mignon de Jager  
and Ellen*Music* Roy Hemsley*Door* Margaret Sharp and Andrea Scargill*Coffee* Katherine Watson and Dorothy Mawson*Flowers* Elaine Slater

**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.

Items for Sunday 11 March's News Sheet to be handed to Pam Butterfield (774637) by Wednesday 7 March at the latest.

## Today

Please would all Sunday Club leaders attend a short meeting after the service this morning.

Thank you. Katherine

### **Lent Meditation and Lunches**

Ruth will be leading a Lent Meditation in our Quiet Room each Friday during Lent at 11.30 am and it will last about thirty minutes. These will be followed by the Christian Aid Bread and Cheese lunches also at our church.

### **Pantomime**

Katherine is now collecting the money for the pantomime tickets — £8.50 for adults, £6 for children and concessions.

Please meet at Bingley Arts Centre around 7.00 pm on Friday 9 March.

### **Circuit Quiz**

The Annual Circuit Quiz which is held at our church but is run by The Eldwick Church is being held on Saturday 31 March starting at 6.00 pm. Tickets are £5.00 which includes a light supper. Katherine is now taking names of willing participants and onlookers. As the final numbers are required by The Eldwick Church for catering purposes please see Katherine as soon as possible.



# News

## **Messy Church**

Tuesday 13 March is our next Messy Church. Please remember us in your prayers.

## **Musical Evening in aid of our Sierra Leone Fund**

Carol and Ian are organizing an Evening of Music on Saturday 24 March when Shipley Musical Union Male Voice Choir and Silsden Town Band will be entertaining us. It will be held here at our church and tickets are now available from Carol or Ian for £5.00 which includes tea or coffee and biscuits.

A poster is on the door in the small hall.

## **New Local Preacher**

We have a new Local Preacher in our Circuit ~ Mrs Louise Makin from Oakworth.

Louise has invited us all to her service of recognition and admission as a local preacher on Sunday 11 March at 5.30pm at Oakworth Methodist Church. It would be really good if every church in the circuit could be represented.

## **Sierra Leone Fundraising**

On Saturday 14 April we are holding a Bag-Pack at Asda Supermarket, Keighley and need volunteers to help. If you can help please give your name to either Bryn or Joyce together with the times you would like. If we get enough helpers we may be able to organize shifts.

On Saturday 19 May we are having a Fundraising Lunch with stalls. Please keep that date free.

We have done so well with our fundraising for our first £5,000 so please help us raise our second £5,000 by supporting any events we have.

If you have any ideas for fundraising please let us know.

## **Circuit Prayers**

This week we are asked to pray for the church at Silsden.

## **Hot Cross Bun Master Class**

An award-winning baker from Sainsburys, is holding a master class in making hot cross buns in Haworth on Monday 19 March. This is a fundraising effort for Haworth Parish Church. Admission is restricted to 20 people and is £10. If you are interested contact Catherine Price on 01535 645045.