

Tuesday 8 December

3.15 pm Messy Church
7.00 pm Bible Study Group
7.30 pm Badminton

Wednesday 9 December

10.00 am Coffee Morning
12 noon Lunches served
7.30 pm Sequence Dancing

Saturday 12 December

10.00 am Coffee Morning

Sunday 13 December

10.30 am Service led by Rev Alan Raine
Stewards Joyce Dykes and David Varley
Music Anthony Butterfield
Door Joan Wright and Gill Neasham
Coffee Millie Emmerson and Joyce Hutchinson
Flowers Barbara Walls
4.30 pm Flute Concert

Tuesday 15 December

7.00 pm Bible Study Group
7.30 pm Badminton

Wednesday 16 December

10.00 am Coffee Morning
11.30 am Christmas Lunch served
7.30 pm Sequence Dancing

Saturday 19 December

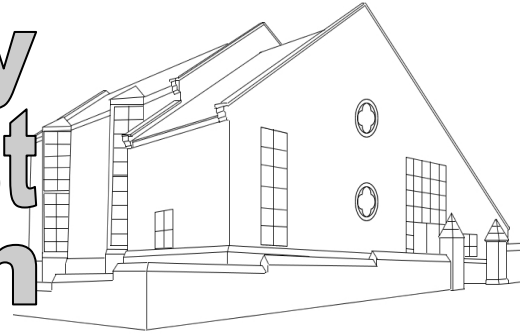
10.00 am Coffee Morning

Sunday 20 December

10.30 am Service led by Mrs Janet Clark
Stewards Joyce Dykes and Rosalie Large
Music Katherine Watson
Door Rosalie Large and Rachael Slater
Coffee Lindsay Schofield and Lindsey Butler
Flowers Joyce Dykes
4.00 pm Carol Service

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Bingley Methodist Church



Minister: Rev Rosemary Nash—Tel: 01274 568163

Sunday 6 December 2015

10.30 am Communion Service led by Rev Rosemary Nash

Stewards Pam Helyar and Lindsay Schofield
Music Roy Hemsley
Door Katherine Watson and Jean Boardman
Coffee Elaine Slater and Susan Atherton
Flowers Maureen Maskell

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 13 December's News Sheet to be handed to Pam Butterfield (01274 774637) by Wednesday 9 December at the latest.

Pastoral Visitors

The service this morning will include the dedication of the Pastoral Visitors.

Flute Concert

The Windstruments Flute Orchestra have kindly agreed to come to our church on Sunday 13 December at 4.30 pm to give us a Christmas Concert. Admission is free but there will be a jar for donations to our church.

Please come and join us for an enjoyable afternoon.

Circuit Prayers

This week we are asked to pray for the church at Long Lee and our church here at Bingley.

Action for Children

The Annual Christmas Coffee Morning for Action for Children at The Eldwick Church is on Saturday 12 December from 10.00 am to 12 noon. There will be Bring & Buy, Cake and Christmas stalls as well as a Tombola. Please support them if you can.

Advent Sundays

It has been suggested that instead of an Advent Liturgy, this year we ask people to volunteer to say a prayer before lighting the candle. If you would like to do this please speak to Joyce, and she will allocate you a week. Thank you.

Flower Rota 2016

I am preparing the Flower Rota for next year. If you are wanting/needing any alterations please see me as soon as possible. Pam

Bible Study Group

This group is continuing to meet to discuss 'Advent' on Tuesdays at 7.00 pm.

Christmas Cards

Once again we have decided to use the 'One Card for the Whole Church' system of sending cards to friends at church.

Instead of sending individual cards you send one card which is placed on the sliding doors in the Small Hall and the money which you would have spent on individual cards is put into the collecting box for Action for Children. From today the box will be by the Serving Hatch in the Small Hall to receive your cards and donations if you wish to participate.

Thank You.

Messy Church

We meet for our last session for 2015 on Tuesday 8 December at 3.15 pm.

If anyone wishes to join us and see what we get up to please do. We would be very happy to see you.

Sheep Trail

This is still ongoing and completed forms haven't to be in until 14 December so there is still time for you to have a walk around Bingley and see if you can spot one of Katherine's knitted sheep. This is for all ages so please do join in.

Winter Quiz

There were three entries, all of which scored full marks, 30/30. So the prize has been shared between them. The winners are David Atherton, Steve West and Joan Simpson.

Thank You, Colin

Gift Day for Action for Children

The amount raised at our Gift Day last Sunday was £178.00. This will be forwarded to Action for Children.

Thank You to all.

Circuit News Sheet

The December edition of the Circuit News is on the Hymn Book table.

Invitation to a Party

There will be a Christmas Party for the Christian Youth of Bingley at Holy Trinity Church at 6.00 pm on Sunday 13 December. For further information please see the poster.

Carol Service

Our Carol Service will be held on 20 December at 4.00 pm and will be led by our Minister Rev Rosemary Nash. We would be very pleased to see as many of you as possible. As the dark nights are with us, if any of you need a lift to church, if you mention it to a steward I am sure something can be arranged.

Christmas Day

Our Christmas Day service will be led by Rev Barbara Walls and is at 10.00 am not 10.30 am.

Sunday 27 December

There will be a service at our church on Sunday 27 December and this will be a Local Arrangement led by our Worship Leaders.