

Tuesday 6 December

7.30 pm Badminton

Wednesday 7 December

10.00 am Coffee Morning

12 noon Lunches served

7.30 pm Sequence Dancing

Saturday 10 December

10.00 am Coffee Morning

6.00 pm Circuit Christmas Family Party

Sunday 11 December

10.30 am Communion Service led by Rev Alan Raine

Stewards Joyce Dykes and Rosalie Large

Music Anthony Butterfield

Door Katherine Watson and Jean Boardman

Coffee Dorothy Mawson and Pam Downs

Flowers Barbara Walls

Tuesday 13 December

7.30 pm Badminton

Wednesday 14 December

10.00 am Coffee Morning

12 noon Lunch served

7.30 pm Sequence Dancing

Saturday 17 December

10.00 am Coffee Morning

Sunday 18 December

10.30 am Service led by Mr Terry O'Shaughnessy

Stewards Pam Helyar and Barbara Beardmore

Music Katherine Watson

Door Anne and Eddie Hamlin

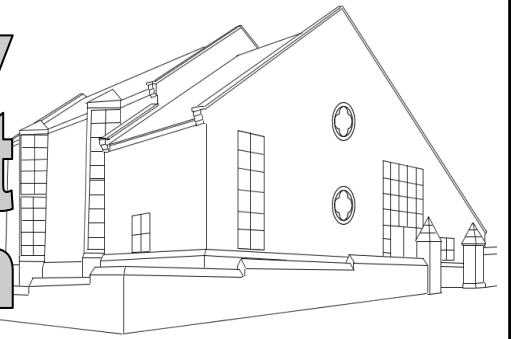
Coffee Rosalie Large and Joan Moore

Flowers Joyce Dykes

4.00 pm Carol Service led by Mrs Glenda Coogan

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Bingley Methodist Church



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Sunday 4 December 2016

**10.30 am Service led by
Mr Bernard Thompson**

Stewards Stephen Wilkinson and David Varley

Music Ian Horsman

Door Rosalie Large and Rachael Slater

Coffee Millie Emmerson and Joyce Hutchinson

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 11 December's News Sheet to be handed to Pam Butterfield (01274 774637) by Wednesday 7 December at the latest.

Christmas Fayre

The updated total is now £1,592.15. Thank You.

Circuit Carols

There are leaflets and posters around the church regarding a Circuit Carol Service on Wednesday 21 December at Oakworth Methodist Church when Rev Dr Roger Walton (President of Conference) will be there.

It says on the poster that tickets are required but are free so if you intend going please read the poster.

Christmas Cards

Once again we are going 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 cards is put into the collecting box for Action for Children. 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.

Biscuits for Missions

On Sunday 11 December the children will be selling home made biscuits in aid of our three mission funds. Please support them if you can.

November Quiz

Congratulations to Lindsey Butler, the winner of this year's November Quiz.

A small prize has been awarded. Thank you to everyone who took part.

Colin.



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Circuit Christmas Family Party

The Circuit is holding a Family Christmas Party at our church on Saturday 10 December from 6.00 pm to 7.30 pm. There will be games suitable for all to join in and plenty to do.

ALL are invited so please put the date in your diary.

There are posters around the church.

I think this is the first time a Christmas party has been held for the whole Circuit so please come along and enjoy meeting other people.

Carol Service

Our Carol Service will be held on Sunday 18 December at 4.00 pm. This will be led by Mrs Glenda Coogan. It will be followed by Tea/Coffee and Mince Pies.

Circuit Prayers

This week we are asked to pray for our church here at Bingley.

Coffee Money

The coffee money for September, October and November amounted to £207.66 and will be sent to Manorlands.

During December, January and February, the money collected will be sent to Open Doors – who have for over 60 years have been serving persecuted Christians. They supply Bibles, train church leaders and support Christians who suffer for their faith in the most hostile places around the world. Read more about their work at www.opendoorsuk.org.

Christmas in a Box

If you fancy a trip out during Advent call in at Silsden Methodist Church for a coffee and have a look at their exhibition 'Christmas in a Box' which depicts different views of Christmas in a shoe box. The church is open 9.30 am to 12 noon Tuesday to Friday as well as a Saturday morning.

Church Trip 2017

On 20 May 2017 we will visit the National Glass Centre in Sunderland. This is a really good morning and very interesting. Coffee and scones are included. There will be time to get some lunch then we carry on to the Hartlepool Maritime Experience for another fascinating visit. There is plenty to see and do there. If you would like to go the cost is £35, including entrances, coffee etc. Please see Stephen to book a place.

Notices and Posters

Please keep looking at the various Notice Boards and Doors around the church as notices and posters are put up that might be of interest to you but do not appear in the News Sheet.



November

Date	Collection
6 November	336.50
13 November	186.80
20 November	273.90
27 November	272.50