# Chessington Methodist Church Weekly News

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### **Services**

Sunday 16 October

10.00am **Rev Andy Clark** Contemporary

12.30pm Worship Service in Korean

6.30pm Rev Andy Clark Holy Communion

Sunday 23 October

10.00am Rev Dr Stan Brown

12.30pm Worship Service in Korean

6.30pm Ms Rebecca Quaye

Large print versions of *Hymns and Psalms* and *Songs of Fellowship* are available from the door stewards if you require them.

The church is equipped with an induction loop system for those who are hard of hearing. If you are using a hearing aid, please switch it to the 'T' position. All hymns and songs used in the church are covered by CCL Licence No. 58439.

The coffee bar is open Mon, Tues, Wed and Friday from 10 till 12, all welcome to pop in.

## Our weekly prayer:

Father God, As Autumn is upon us and it is the season of change we ask for your nurturing power to change us to the people you want us to be. Lead us into this season changed from the inside out, ready to do your will. Amen

Carols by Candlelight Choir rehearsals will start on Thursday 20th October in the parlour at 8pm. All singers welcome. Celia and Esther.

We need some more people to help as Door Stewards. If you would be prepared to go on the Rota, please speak to Joan Mellalieu.

Needed: Jam jars, junk modelling and lego wheels! These items are needed for upcoming messy church sessions, if you can help please leave them for me in the ypf room. Thank you! Sharon LLoyd

A very warm welcome if you are new to us, or visiting. Do please join us for coffee after the service. If you would like Andy, our minister, to contact you, or arrange a visit, his details are shown above.

### What's On This Week

Monday

10.15am *English Language* 

**Conversation Group** 

4.30pm *Rainbows* 

**Tuesday** 

10.30am Friendship & Craft Group

1.15pm *Toddler Group* 7.30pm *Badminton* 

Wednesday

10.15am *Toddler Group* 

7.00pm Guides

*Thursday* 

3.30pm *Messy Church* 

Friday

9.45am Bible Study & Prayer

10.15am *Toddler Group* 

6.30pm *Brownies* 

8.00pm Korean fellowship

The next Ladies Home Group will be on 19 Oct at 7:45- venue 14 Hurst Close. We shall study Ruth Chapter 3- rather a racy story by Ladies' Group standards!

# **Mary-Jess**

Prayer to a Snowflake - Winter Tour Saturday 3rd December - 7.00 pm

Tickets £10 available from John Harvey, 07904 263290

or email concert@chessingtonmethodist.org.uk

Would you like to do a reading and/or prayer in Church Services? (Help can be given writing prayers). Please speak to a Steward.

Bernard is still collecting Stamps for Leprosy Mission, also now collecting the Plastic Bottle tops, Please put them in the box outside the Coffee Bar. Thank you. The Quiz and Band evening went very well. My thanks to all who bought tickets and gave donations towards the Coffee Bar Carpet Fund. £250.00 was raised

### **AROUND THE CIRCUIT: OCTOBER 2016**

### **CIRCUIT NEWS**

<u>A Circuit Praise Service</u> will take place at Kingston Methodist Church at 6.30pm on 30 October. Blending contemporary music with reflection, quiet and creativity this is a new Quarterly Event for everyone who wants to explore fresh styles of worship.

### Worship Today and Tomorrow

Saturday 26 November from 10am to 1.30pm at New Malden Methodist Church: A Workshop with: Rev Paul Wood & Rev Ian Worsfold

lan and Paul lead the worship team for the Methodist Conference. They were both part of the editorial group for *Singing the Faith* and contributed three of their own songs to our hymn book. Paul heads the team responsible for writing the new Local Preacher Training materials, whilst Ian is chaplain at City University.

What is it? A workshop looking at Methodist worship and the ways this is developing

**Who is it for?** Anyone with an interest in worship. Preachers, Worship Leaders, Musicians, Stewards... and those who sit in our congregations!

Please bring some lunch, drinks will be available in the coffee bar.

### **OTHER NEWS**

### **ASK Topical Lunches - Autumn 2016**

Every Third Thursday of the month at All Saints Parish Church, Kingston Market Place. *Enjoy lunch & discuss Kingston's Topical Issues* 

Lunch from 12:00 am – Sandwiches at the ASK East End Cafe; or bring your own. Introduction by Speaker 1:00 – 1:15 pm — Questions, comments, discussion. Finish 1:45 pm

<u>Thursday 20 October</u>: Homelessness in Kingston. What's the situation & What's to be done about it? Matt Hatton, Operational Director, Kingston Churches Action on Homelessness

<u>Thursday 17 November</u>: Leading a Kingston school today – The challenges; the pleasures. Alison Vigurs, Headteacher of St Andrews and St Marks Junior School, Surbiton. Chaired by Rt Rev Dr Richard Cheetham, Bishop of Kingston and former Chair of Southwark Diocese Board of Education

For further information, contact Leslie Packer leslie@packerhome.fsnet.co.uk or 020 8549 1960

### **NOVEMBER NEWSLETTERS**

If your church has any news or a forthcoming event you would like to share with the Circuit, please forward details to Michael Axton at the Circuit Office so that it can be included in each Church's newsletter/magazine.

Please send your contributions to: circuitoffice@kingstoncircuit.org.uk

If you have anything you would like included, please put it in the pigeon hole by Thursday lunchtime or speak to Mark Harvey on 01483 223543 or mpharvey2000@yahoo.co.uk