

Chessington Methodist Church

Weekly News

12 May 2019

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Services

Sunday 12 May

10.00am **Mr Tim Yu**

12.30pm **Worship Service in Korean**

No evening service

Sunday 19 May

10.00am **Rev Andy Clark**

12.30pm **Worship Service in Korean**

No evening service

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. 4904.

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

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

Our weekly prayer:

Father God,
We are fearfully and wonderfully made, we are knitted together in the womb, we are made in your image. Let us fulfil all that you have planned for us, fulfil that purpose to which you put us on earth for.

Let us delight in you and all you have created in us and the world around us. To delight in you is to know you and your work for us.

We ask this and more in your name Amen

A very warm welcome if you are new to us or visiting. Do please join us for coffee after the service. Our minister Andy is currently on sabbatical. If you would like a minister to contact you, or arrange a visit, please talk to the church stewards or telephone the Office number shown above.

What's On This Week

Monday

10.15am **English Language
Conversation Group**

Tuesday

10.30am **Friendship & Craft Group**
8.00pm **Ladies Open Group**
7.30pm **Badminton**

Wednesday

10.15-11.45 **Toddler Group**
2.00pm **Women's Fellowship**
"When at the bar"
7.00pm **Guides**

Thursday

3.30pm **Messy Church**

Friday

9.45am **Informal Bible Study & Prayer**
10.15-11.45 **Toddler Group**
4.30pm **Rainbows**
6.30pm **Brownies**
8.00pm **Korean fellowship**

If you would like to include anything in the Weekly News, please put it in the pigeon hole or speak to Mark Harvey on 01483 223543 or mpharvey2000@yahoo.co.uk

The next Marys and Martha's Group will be on 15 May at 7:45- venue 14 Hurst Close (if you need a lift speak to Linda). We will be looking at the story of Abigail, a wealthy woman trapped in a difficult marriage- what can her experiences, recorded in the Bible, teach us today?

The next Church Council Meeting will be held on 20th May 2019 at 8pm in the parlour.

Travel to Rev Karl Rutledge's Ordination on 30 June

Karl Rutledge will be ordained at St Martin's church in the Bull Ring, Birmingham on 30 June at 4pm. If you would like to attend but do not already have a ticket you need to apply for one online from www.methodist.org.uk/about-us/the-methodist-conference/conference-2019/ordinations.

The Circuit is booking a coach, but you need to reserve a place. If you would like to travel on the coach, please let Michael Axton at the Circuit Office know (if you have not already done so) by email: circuitoffice@kingstoncircuit.org.uk; or phone: 020 8390 4598.

'Faith, Belief and Belonging' – organized by All Saints Kingston and Kingston University Chaplaincy. Final discussion session introduced by **Trainee Rabbi Gabriel Webber of Kingston Liberal Synagogue** and **Dr Sarah Mehdi of the Huda Surrey Islamic Centre Kingston** – then open discussion. How can we be true to our different faiths and set out our beliefs, but still belong together, in an increasingly divided society. **Thursday 23 May in All Saints, Market Place Kingston, 6:00 to 7:15 pm, refreshments from 5:30.** Details from lgpacker123@gmail.com

MHA Sunday – 9th June 2019

This year our theme of worship is: **'One Sunday'** and we invite church groups to celebrate **MHA Sunday** by taking our theme and looking at ways in which we can make our worship as inclusive as possible, especially thinking of those living with dementia and other conditions. As the Sunday coincides with Pentecost some churches may prefer to hold a service on an alternative Sunday. A range of worship resources can be downloaded from our website at www.mha.org.uk/mhasunday or for printed copies of any items and other resources such as our free magazine, gift aid envelopes and posters please contact Lesley France on 07899 074269/ 01332 296200 or email lesley.france@mha.org.uk

Force of the Tide

The Meadows - family folk/Celtic band will be returning to Chessington for a concert on Saturday 25th May at 7.30 pm. Tickets £15 (£13 concession) Available from John Harvey.