

Irthlingborough Methodist Church

A warm welcome is extended to all

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Sunday 1st March:

9.30am-10am: time for prayer. Please come and join us in the Chapel.

10.30am: This service is part of our 'Everyone an Evangelist' event and will be led by Rev'd Jill Marsh.

Focus will start their new theme for March which is mothers. We will leave after the first hymn.

Coffee and tea will be available after the service.



Streets for prayer: This week our streets for prayer and all the residents are Harrington Road, High Street and Highfield Road.

Tuesday 3rd March:

10am: The funeral of Angela Ferguson will take place at the Nene Valley Crematorium.

7.30pm: There is no house group during Lent.

Wednesday 4th March:

10.30am: Pastoral Leaders meeting in the David room.

12 noon: The Lent lunches continue in the David Room. Proceeds for Christian Aid, all are welcome. This will be followed by the Lent bible study, beginning at about 1.30pm.

Thursday 5th March:

9am: Little Fishes in the Chapel.

Friday 6th March:

2pm: Service for World Day of Prayer at St Peter's.

Saturday 7th March:

10am: Monthly coffee morning in the Chapel. All are welcome for a chat and refreshments.

Sunday 8th March:

9.30am-10am: time for prayer. Please come and join us in the Chapel.

10.30am: Worship led by Mrs Claire Jennings (this is a change to the published plan).

Deadline for next notices: Wednesday 4th March to Wendy by email please. Please note that Wendy will be in the office on Friday only this week.

Other notices:

First Aid training:

'Essential First Aid Training' is being offered by The Souster Trust on Friday, 13th March at 30 Market Street, Thrapston NN14 4JU. 9.30am-12.30pm, cost £15 per person. If you would like to book a place either let Ruth R know or Rachael Newman at nvmethodistypf@gmail.com or book direct at hello@sousteryouth.org. If you would like to go but find cost prohibitive please have a word with Ruth Rollings.

Safeguarding:

There will be a refresher course of the foundation module taking place in the Goliath Hall on Saturday 21st March. Your safeguarding officer should be aware if you need to attend so if you are unsure please ask.

Easter Eggs:

The Easter Eggs are already in the shops.... and once again the Mission group will be inviting people from our Community to the Easter Sunday Service. On Easter Saturday, we will once again venture into our town laden with Easter Eggs and invites. Last year we gave over 100 away, and along with the eggs we invited people to join us at our Service to celebrate the risen Christ.

This year, we would like to do the same and are asking our Church family once again, if they can, help out by donating an Easter egg. (It would be fantastic if we could have a few dairy free again this year also.) Easter eggs are currently half price in many

supermarkets, and collectively all our donations should mean a lot of eggs!

If you would also like to join us on that Easter Saturday, you are more than welcome; please speak to Sophie or Jayne.

Lent Reflections:

If you haven't already done so please pick up your copy of the Lent Reflections Book. These are Free of Charge and if anyone would like to give a copy to any friends etc. please do. Copies have already gone off to France, others around the country from Devon to Nottinghamshire and Shropshire. This is an opportunity to spread the Gospel and encourage other Christians to engage their own congregations in doing the same project.

Dates for your diary:

Saturday 14th March we are offering a training session on how to use the church AV system. If this is something you are interested in, please speak to Ruth R.

Wednesday 18th March: The Nene Valley Circuit choir and Accord will be performing 'Sanctuary' by Joseph Martin at Earls Barton Methodist Church. This performance will be in memory of Angela.

Wednesday 25th March: Our community cinema will be taking place at 2pm in the Goliath Hall when we will be showing the film 'Judy'.