

Irthlingborough Methodist Church

A warm welcome is extended to all.

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Lesley's rest day is Friday.

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Sunday 5th November:

9.30am: Prayer time in the Chapel

10.30am: Service of Holy Communion led by Rev'd Martin Dawes
The flowers have been given by Lena in memory of her son.
Coffee will be served after the service.



Streets for prayer: This week our streets for prayer and all the residents are Welford Avenue, Welford Close, and Pipers Close.

Tuesday 7th November:

7.15pm: House group will meet at Yvonne's home and she will be leading the session. The reading is Luke 14: 7-24 and the theme is 'Welcome to the Party'. All are welcome.

Thursday 9th November:

9am: Little Fishes in the Chapel.

Sunday 12th November:

10am: This church will be closed as we join the rest of the town for Remembrance Sunday commemorations. The service will take place on the 12th November 2023 in Irthlingborough on Parsons Green unless it is raining and then it will be in the church. The service will begin at 10am on Parson's Green, followed by the walk to the war memorial. At 11am there will be an act of remembrance and then we will return to Parson's Green where there will be a roll call of names which will conclude with the Last Post.



Streets for prayer: This week our streets for prayer and all the residents are Portland Road, Ringtail Close, and Robb Close.

Tuesday 14th November:

7.30pm: Prayer and Praise will be held on zoom and will be led by Doreen. If you need the link to attend, please speak to Ruth Rollings or Barbara.

Thursday 16th November:

9am: Little Fishes in the Chapel.

Saturday 17th November:

7pm: Ladies Supper and Chat. Please see notice regarding this.

Saturday 18th November:

9.30am – 1pm: Christmas Card writing and coffee morning, with bacon butties, at Wellingborough Methodist Church

7pm: **Irthlingborough Christian Aid's Quiz Evening** in the **Albert Underwood Room**, St Peter's Church. John Farrar is once again our fun-loving Question Master. **Tickets** are **£6** per person and include refreshments, available from Ruth M or Yvonne. Bring your own drinks and come and join in the fun.

Sunday 19th November:

10.30am: Worship led by Mr Peter Whitney.

6pm: Men's Curry night. Please see notice.

Deadline for next notices: Wednesday 15th November to Wendy by email please.

Other notices:

Calling all angels! We shall be preparing the angels on the afternoon of the 21st November so that they are ready to go on the fence. If you have any stashed at home, please could you get them to the church in good time so that I can make sure that I have produced enough labels. Thank you! Wendy

WREATHFEST - 2ND/3RD DECEMBER: IMC has been invited to take part in the St. Peter's Church "Wreathfest" to be held on 2nd/3rd December. **It would be helpful if our wreath could be prepared by someone who will not be involved in the preparations for our "Angel Invasion", Crib Festival and Christmas Coffee Morning taking place on the same weekend.** I

have full details of the St. Peter's event (including entry form) so if anyone feels able to do this on behalf of our church, please contact me. Thank you. Kathleen (ronandkathleen@btinternet.com)

Ladies Supper and Chat: Not to be outdone by the gentlemen's Curry Night (!), we shall be holding a **Jacket Potato Supper and Chat** on **FRIDAY 17th November** at 7 pm at 58 Station Road, Irthlingborough. All ladies of the church are warmly invited to attend when we can hopefully get to know each other a little better. This will take the form of a "bring and share" supper but in order to make sure we have everything we need, when you confirm your attendance, we can discuss what you are able to bring along.

Please let me know if you are able to come along (ronandkathleen@btinternet.com or 07934 446063) by Tuesday 14th November. Thanks.

Please come along if you can - it will be a fun evening. Kathleen

EDI Training: For those who still need to complete their EDI training, Rev'd Lesley is going to run two sessions of the EDI training. One at Hope on the 11th November at 10.30am and one at Wollaston on Thursday, 16 November, from 2.30 pm. This is open to anyone who needs to complete this training (all office holders in your churches eg: stewards, pastoral visitors, etc), and it is the last face-to-face session that will take place before the deadline for people to complete the training (the end of the calendar year). The training can also be completed online. Please let me know if you need any more information.

For those who have completed the online EDI training, can I ask you to drop me a line to let me know?

Thanks

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Flower Rota: The rota for 2024 is now available on the notice board for anyone who would like to give flowers next year.

Dates for your diary:

21st November: 2pm in the David room, we shall be getting all the knitted angels ready to pop on the fence.

Crib Festival: We shall be hosting a crib festival on **Saturday 2nd December**. However, we shall need nativity scenes to display! The forms to enter a crib into our festival are available at the back of the church. Please enter more than one if you would like to. All forms should be back with Wendy by the **24th November** to give us time to get organised. Help us to make this an event to remember! For further information, please speak to Kathleen. Thank you.

Messy Church: We will be having a messy church service on the 3rd December. If you are willing to assist with this, please speak to Angela. But more importantly, invite people along, particularly those with children. Please see notice.

Let's Eat Together
Tonight

**MEN'S
CURRY NIGHT**

Meeting at...
Masala Restaurant Irthlingboro'

Eat **6pm** *Drink*

SUNDAY, NOV 19TH
Save the date and get your place now!

Retrobox
Call Jamie to Book Your Place: 07899 676769

Please book by 12th Nov



Trial Session

Irthlingborough Methodist Church

Sunday 3rd December 2023

10.30am



Come and Join Us
All Welcome
First trial session



Each session is a way of being Church for families and others.

It is Christ-Centred, **for all ages**, based on creativity,
hospitality, and celebration.

Children to be accompanied by an adult

For more info : Mission@nvm.org.uk