

SHRIVENHAM METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY 31st May 2015

Welcome to our Church

Our Website: www.shrivenhammethodistchurch.co.uk

Our Vision: "To be an active part of the body of God, and to spread the Good News of Christ by word and deed in the local Community at every opportunity."

Services Sunday 31st May

10.30 am Adrian German

6.30 pm Revd David Perkins

Steward Linda Hood
Door Michelle Holloway
Organ Stella Tidmarsh
Readers Paul Holloway/Penny White
Creche Nicki Norris
Coffee Wendy Smith/Linda Hood

Services for next Sunday 7th June

10.30 am Robin Phoenix-Stone

3.00pm Longcot

Steward Robin Christian
Door Morva White
Organ Stella Tidmarsh
Readers Morva White/Paul Holloway
Creche Lynn Pembroke
Flowers Michelle Holloway
Garden Janet Mawer

Prayers this week

Circuit Church: Upper Thames Circuit

Rota: Defence Academy - staff, students, families and chaplains

Local Roads: Colton Road, Curtis Road, Martens Road

Events this Week

Monday 1st

Tuesday 2nd

Refreshers 8.30am in front room

Wednesday 3rd

Fish Group 2 house group at Jane-Hollick's

Thursday 4th

Prayer meeting 7pm in front room

Friday 5th

Hymn Practice at Stella's 8.00pm

Saturday 6th

Prayer breakfast 8.30 in front room

Coffee Shop - Group 1

Thursday 4th June - Circuit Leadership Team meeting at the Manse 7.00pm

Some Good News - Sam and Jeni, in India, have a new baby son, born on 25 May, so we send our congratulations to them and young Chris on the safe arrival of his little brother. They send their best wishes to everyone here.

Tea in the Garden - list at back of the church to sign up to be a host

National Volunteers Week 1-7 June. Great Western Hospital (GWH) is looking for more volunteers (different capacities, not necessarily on the wards). The Chaplaincy also needs a few more volunteers to cover every ward. If you are interested in helping out in any way, please see Pam for more information and who to contact.

Reminder - there is a valedictory service for Revd Ward Jones at 3.30pm on Sunday 12th July, and a welcoming service for his successor, Rev Dr Jonathan Pye on Tuesday 1st Sept at 7.30 pm, both at Bristol Cathedral. The circuit will have people going to share transport - if you would like to go please tell Pam.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Next Church lunch - 26th July - now tea in Helen & Harold's garden instead

Picnic at Ashdown - 23rd August

Valedictory service for Revd Ward Jones - 3.30 pm Sunday 12th July - Bristol Cathedral

Welcome service for Revd Dr Jonathan Pye - 7.30 pm Tuesday 1st September

PRAYER FOR RENEWAL

Heavenly Father, in Jesus' name we ask for a fresh outpouring of your Holy Spirit on your church in our community. Help us to grow in our experience of your love, forgiveness and healing. Challenge our contentment to stay as we are. Renew our vision of what it means to be a disciple of Jesus Christ, that through our words and the way we live, others may be drawn to your way. Give us the wisdom to seek your will and grant us the joy that comes from wholeheartedly following it. For your glory and the good of all your people.

Amen

Notices to Morva by next Friday please: morvawhite@supanet.com, but notices won't be sent out until Saturday 7