

## SHRIVENHAM METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY 5th July 2015

Welcome to our Church

Our Website: [www.shrivenhammethodistchurch.co.uk](http://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 5th July

10.30 am	Jenny Corkett
3.00 pm	Longcot with Revd Norma Fergusson
Steward	Robin Christian
Door	Tony Belk
Organ	Stella Tidmarsh
Readers	Tony Belk/Wendy Smith
Creche	Linda Hood

### Prayers this week

**Circuit Church:** Highworth  
Rota: Agencies & Christian Charities  
Charities worldwide working with the underprivileged - Tear Fund, Christian Aid, Red Cross, Mission Aviation Fellowship (MRDF)  
All We Can, Send a Cow  
Preparation for Holiday Bible Clubs  
**Local Roads:** Longcot Rd, Church Walk, Hazells Lane, High Street

### Services for next Sunday 12th July

10.30 am	Revd Keith Osborn
6.30 pm	Local Arrangement
Steward	Linda Hood
Door	Phil Bunce
Organ	Stella Tidmarsh
Readers	Phil Bunce/Morva White
Creche	Lynn Pembroke
Flowers	Lynn Pembroke
Garden	Stella Tidmarsh

### Events this Week

#### **Monday 6th**

#### **Tuesday 7th**

Refreshers 8.30am in front room

#### **Wednesday 8th**

CI meeting 7.30 at Paul's

#### **Thursday 9th**

Local Preachers & Worship Leader

Mtg - Longcot 7.30 pm

Prayer meeting 7pm in front room

#### **Friday 10th**

Hymn practice at Stella's 8.00pm

#### **Saturday 11th**

Prayer breakfast 8.30 in front room

Cafe Inspire

**Reminder** - the valedictory service for Revd Ward Jones is at 3.30pm on Sunday 12th July, at Bristol Cathedral. The circuit will have people going to share transport - if you would like to go please tell Pam.

**Advance warning for all cake makers.** We have a stall again at the Village Fete on 29 August selling cakes, so lots of cakes please.

July Circuit Newsletter is attached.

There are some tins and 2 plastic containers in the kitchen - one is large with a dark green lid. Please would you remove them - else they will be disposed of.

### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

Thursday 9th July - Local Preachers & Worship Leaders meeting - Longcot 7.30pm

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

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

Picnic at Ashdown - 23rd August

Saturday 29th August - Shrivenham Fete - we have a cake stall

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

Saturday 12th September - Oxfordshire Churches Ride & Stride

Sunday 13th September - Revd Dr Jonathan Pye will be taking a service at Highworth

Methodist Church at 6.00 pm

Saturday 17th October - Circuit Day on Exploring Prayer - 10.00 am-4.00 pm - Speaker is

Revd Dr Chris Voke from Spurgeon's College

21/22 November - Highworth MC celebrating its anniversary with a visit from Paul & Carmel Ashby

Bible Study 2016 - Saturday 23rd January with Revd Steve Wild (President of the Methodist Conference)

### **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 morning please: [morvawhite@supanet.com](mailto:morvawhite@supanet.com),