

SHRIVENHAM METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY 8th January 2017

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 8th January

10.30 am	United Covenant Service with St Andrews joining us
6.30 pm	Revd Trevor Day
Steward	Robin Christian
Door	Pam Mullin
Organ	Stella Tidmarsh
Readers	Pam Mullin/Lynn Pembroke
Creche	Linda Hood
Flowers	Lynn Pembroke
Garden	Ian Brodie

Prayers this week

Circuit: Purton

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

Local Roads: Colton Road, Curtis Road, Martens Road, Beckett Ridge

Services next Sunday 15th January

10.30 am	Ian Taylor
6.30 pm	Revd Keith Osborn (HC)
Steward	Linda Hood
Door	Barbara Hawgood
Organ	Stella Tidmarsh
Readers	Paul Holloway/Phil Bunce
Creche	Nicki Norris
Flowers	Michelle Holloway
Garden	Lynn Pembroke

Events this Week

Monday 9th

Tuesday 10th
Refreshers - 8.30 am

Wednesday 11th

Thursday 12th
Prayer meeting 7.30 pm

Friday 13th
Hymn Practice at Stella's 8pm

Saturday 14th
Prayer breakfast 8.30 am
Cafe Inspire

Prayer for Family Worker - we are continuing to have a short time of prayer for a family worker on Sunday mornings from 10.00-10.15 am so please come to church a little earlier and join in if you feel God is leading you.

ALPHA A new Alpha course will start in January in the morning this time - 16th January-3rd April 10.00-12.15 - please pray for those thinking of taking part as well as the leaders and helpers

Mince Pie Fund - there will be a collection plate and Gift Aid list at the back of the church to collect money for the fund, in aid of Phakamisa.

Partnership Covenant Service: Toothill Church invite us to a Partnership Covenant Service on January 29th at 10 am led by The Reverend Steve Wild Chairman of the Cornwall Methodist District former President of Conference and to stay for a bring and share lunch including a questions and answers session with Steve (A contribution to lunch would be appreciated)

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

8th January - joint Covenant Service with St Andrews joining us
11th January - Local Preachers & Worship Leaders meeting - SMC 7.30
16th January-3rd April Alpha Course 10.00-12.15
21st January - Circuit Day speaker/Bible Study - Revd Paul Wilson on 'Ezekiel: Seeking Spiritual Renewal' - Highworth Methodist Church - 10.00-4.00
29th January - Toothill Partnership Covenant Service
Friday 3rd March - Women's World Day of Prayer Service at Shrivensham Church
16th March - Circuit Meeting - Shrivensham Methodist Church - 7.30 pm

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

PLEASE NOTE:

Please send anything to be included in the notices to: morvawhite@supanet.com
by Thursday.