

## SHRIVENHAM METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY 9 November 2014

Welcome to our Church

Our Website: [www.shrivenhammethodistchurch.org](http://www.shrivenhammethodistchurch.org)

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 this week

10.15 am Remembrance Service  
at St Andrews Church

6.30 pm Anna Miles

Steward Robin Christian

Door H Taylor

Organ n/a

Readers H Taylor

Creche n/a

### Prayers this week

**Circuit Church:** Shaw

**Rota:** Wider medical care and support - hospital volunteers & chaplains, home carers, all emergency and support services

**Local Area:** Those people known to us personally

### Services next Sunday 16th November

10.30 am Jenny Corkett

6.30 pm Keith Osborn (HC)

Steward Janet Mawer

Door Wendy Smith

Organ Stella Tidmarsh

Readers Wendy Smith/Ian Brodie

Creche Bob Mawer

Flowers Michelle Holloway

Garden Janet Mawer

### Events this Week

**Monday 10th**

**Tuesday 11th**

Refreshers 8.30am in front room

**Wednesday 12th**

**Thursday 13th**

Prayer meeting 7pm in front room

**Friday 14th**

Hymn practice 8pm at Stella's  
BAVAS at Longcot

**Saturday 15th**

Prayer breakfast 8.30 in front room

### **Circuit Newsletter for November**

I attach copy of this month's newsletter. Also attached are a poster advertising the Café Theos event on 17th November and an invitation and booking form for a Foundation Training Course from the Association of Church Accountants and Treasurers, on 21st November. Both these events are mentioned in the newsletter.

**Sunday 16th November** - Annual Church Meeting - written reports will be sent to you separately (I only have 3 so far) and there are a number of other attachments this week, The ACM will follow directly after morning service when Keith arrives, and there will be opportunities for questions to be asked about the reports. We don't expect it to be a long

meeting. Everyone in the congregation is welcome to stay and have an input into the running of our Church.

**More stewards are needed** - Please could you prayerfully consider if you are able to join the present stewards. If you would like more information as to the steward's duties, do ask one of us. If you feel it is right for you to volunteer, please have a conversation with Keith before the meeting. It is not appropriate to put someone's name forward as a steward at the ACM without their prior knowledge and that person having had the opportunity to talk to Keith first.

**Sunday 23 November evening service** - 22/23 November weekend Highworth Methodist Church are having their Golden Jubilee Celebrations. As we do not have a preacher arranged for the Sunday evening service, it has been decided that we will go to Highworth and join them. This service will be a presentation of the Roger Jones musical called 'Snakes and ladders' - and you know how we have really enjoyed Roger Jones' musicals in the past! The service starts at 6.00 pm - lifts will not be a problem, please talk to a steward.

### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

**Sunday 23rd November** - next Church lunch

Sunday 23rd November - evening service at Highworth Methodist Church (see above)

Next Worship Consultation - Tuesday 6th January 2015 at Stella's

Next Church Council Meeting - Tuesday 24th February 2015

### **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

**Hard of Hearing?** if you are unable to hear during the service, please raise your hand to draw attention to the speaker and steward

Email addresses: if you are a new member to the church and would like to receive your notices by email, please send your request to [\*\*morvawhite@supanet.com\*\*](mailto:morvawhite@supanet.com)

Please send any items for the weekly notices by Friday afternoon to [\*\*morvawhite@supanet.com\*\*](mailto:morvawhite@supanet.com)