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BARROW UPON SOAR METHODIST CHURCH

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NOTICES FOR SUNDAY 19 NOVEMBER 2023 WEEKLY DIARY

Playgroup meets every day during school term time

Sunday 19 November	10.00 am	Rev Sandra Marshall – Holy Communion Steward: Kate Coffee: Mike and Pauline F
Monday 20 November	8.45 am – 4.00 pm 6.30 – 9.00 pm Playgroup 1st Barrow upon Soar Guides	
Tuesday 21 November	8.45 am – 4.00 pm 4.30 – 8.30 pm	Playgroup Cosmic Theatre School
Wednesday 22 November	8.45 am – 1.00 pm 9.30 am	Playgroup Fun@Church planning meeting
Thursday 23 November	8.45 am – 4.00 pm 6.30 – 9.30 pm 7.30 pm	Playgroup Barrow Arts Theatre Society Bible Study
Friday 24 November	8.45 am – 4.00 pm 10.00 am	Playgroup Hilltop Annual check of audio-visual equipment
Saturday 25 November	10.00 am – 2.00 pm 6.00 – 7.15 pm	Childs' Birthday Party Karate

SUNDAY WORSHIP

Sunday 26 November	10.15 am	Circuit Service at Christchurch, Shepshed
		Rev Karen Beecham/Rev Martin Swan
Sunday 3 December	10.15 am	Angela Latham
		Steward: Sandra Coffee: Adrian and Sue
Sunday 10 December	10.15 am	Granville Mercy
		Steward: Kate Coffee: Sandra
	pm	Barrow upon Soar Churches Together Walking Nativity
Sunday 17 December	4.00 pm	Carols and Cake
		Steward: Natalie Coffee: Bill and Nancy
Christmas Eve	10.15 am	Rev Sandra Marshall
Sunday 24 December		Steward: Sandra Coffee: Bill and Nancy
		Carols
	6.00 pm	Steward: Heather
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Christmas Day		No service at Barrow upon Soar
25 December		
New Years Eve		
Sunday 31 December	10.45 am	Circuit Service at Trinity Methodist Church, Loughborough

BIBLE READING FOR SUNDAY

CHRISTMAS FAYRE – TOMORROW!

The Christmas Fayre is here – tomorrow from 11.00 am until 2.00 pm

Gifts, Books, Cakes, Tombola, Raffle for Christmas Hamper, Chocolate Tombola, Jigsaws, Toys, Games, Plants, Crafts, Ladies Circle Charity Stall and much more!

Please come along and support us

Refreshments – Tea, Coffee, Bacon cobs

And, of course, SANTA'S GROTTO



THANKS

Many thanks to everyone who came along and supported the Ladies Circle Fashion Show on Wednesday evening. We had a full house and raised £538 for our chosen charity for 2023/24 which is the Royal Papworth Hospital Charity. Many thanks to everyone!

Did you know that our Ladies Circle celebrate their Diamond Anniversary in 2024 – that is 60 years of fellowship, fun and raising money for various charities – look out for our special celebrations – and we still have one original member! If you would like to join us have a word with Janet.

FOOD HUB

We continue to take regular gifts of both items and money for the Soar Valley Food Hub in Mountsorrel. Thank you to all who continue to contribute from week to week.

The volunteers at the Food Hub provide a valuable service to those in need, offering both food parcels and somewhere that people can drop-in for some warmth, a drink and, if needed, advice about accessing other support and benefits.

As we approach Christmas could we make a good effort with food and other seasonal items so that we can take a good collection after the second Sunday in December? Thank you, Adrian and Sue

REMINDER

I know many of you are aware that Rev Donald Wilkes passed away on Friday 3rd November this is just to confirm that the Thanksgiving service will be on Thursday 30th November 2pm at Trinity. – Josephine (Circuit Administrator)

PRAYER OF THE DAY

All the sermons ever preached, all the prayers ever prayed, all the theological tomes ever published, are collectively but a tip of the iceberg; such is the extent of your glory. Dissatisfy us that we dive beneath the surface, of every encounter, conversation, and insight; for knowing what we know should never be enough.

Bruce Thompson, former District Chair, Lincolnshire District

Christchurch Methodist Shepshed

An evening with Martin Swan

Saturday, November 18th at 7.00 pm

Light refreshments

Donations for church funds welcome

Christchurch Methodist, Field Street, Shepshed, LE12 9AL



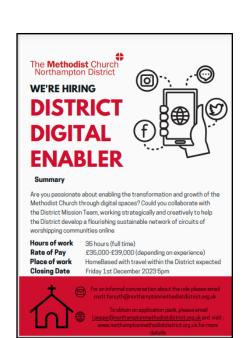






Refreshments

Soup, roll & a hot drink £3





communications, meetings and reports

property management

working with volunteers

For further information, please contact the Superintendent Minister, Rev'd Lesley Dinham by email (superintendent@nvm.org.uk) and to arrange a telephone call.

Own transport required **Computer & Phone** provided

Closing date: 5th Jan 2024 Interview: 13th Jan 2024

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