

**New Eltham Methodist Church**  
**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> June 2017**  
**Church Anniversary Service**  
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**Prayer for the Week**



We give thanks for the life of this Church:  
the members of the congregation  
and the people who worship with us,  
the faithful, the occasional, the long gone,  
the ministers, the local preachers,  
the church stewards, the organist, the choir,  
the door stewards, the office holders,  
person by person.

We give thanks for the faith in life,  
and the life of faith here in this place.  
We give thanks for this our church.  
We give thanks for these your people.  
Amen

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Church Office open Tue-Fri 10.00 to 2.00 (term time only)

Please submit weekly news to Jane by **10 am Thursday**

**New Eltham Methodist Church Zimbabwe Fellowship.**

There are services in **SHONA** at this Church (12.30 - 14.30) each Sunday

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**The Methodist Church**

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Please 'like' us 'New Eltham Methodist Church'

**10.30 am Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> June 2017**  
**Church Anniversary Service**

We welcome all who worship with us, and especially visitors. We also welcome the **Reverend Jacqueline Quarmby** who will lead this Service, with **Graham Bunce** as Steward and **Frances Barrett** providing the music.

**Order of Service**

Opening Words: Lamentations 3: 22 – 23

**Hymn: No. 51 Great is thy faithfulness**

Opening Prayer

Responsive thanksgiving prayer

Talk to the children: Seeing things Differently

**Hymn: No. 476 One more step**

Young Church depart

Reading: Ephesians 4: 22 – 24

Prayer of Confession

**Hymn: No. 508 Purify my heart**

Reading: Luke 5: 33 – 39

Address

**Hymn: No. 449 Lord of creation**

Reading: Revelation 21: 1 – 5

Prayers of Intercession: Lord, where your people are suffering  
**Make all things new**

The Lord's Prayer

The Offering

**Hymn: No. 470 Lord for the years**

The Blessing

## **Traid Craft Stall**

The Traid Craft stall will be open today after the service selling a variety of goods including rice, dried fruits, cereals, preserves, cards, gifts and chocolate.



## **Film Club – Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June at 7.00 pm**

Film Club is one of our ideas to increase Church attendance and grow our membership and the first season of films will be starting in June with 'The man who sued God' (certificate 15) showing in the Church at 7.00pm. Film Club is open to everyone over the age of 12 (some films may be certificated 15+). The evening will consist of the film, a chance for a short discussion and refreshments. It is free but there will be a small charge for refreshments. Spread the word...friends and neighbours most welcome.

## **Church Office**

The Church office will be open from 9.00 am until 1.00 pm on Wednesday and Thursday next week. All other days remain unchanged.

## **Reverend Juliet Ushewokunze's Farewell Tea – 9<sup>th</sup> July**

As you probably already know, Juliet moves on to pastures new this summer. The circuit farewell will take place at Emmanuel Church, Hadlow Road, Sidcup DA14 4AA, on Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> of July, commencing with tea at 4 pm with a service to follow at 5 pm. It is hoped that all the churches of the circuit will be represented. All are welcome, for catering purposes please let Jane in the office or Marianne know if you will be attending.

## **Welcome Service for new District Chair – 20<sup>th</sup> August**

You are invited to attend a service of welcome for the Revd. Dr Jongikaya Zihle as he assumes his new role as one of our three District Chairs. The service will be held at 5.30 pm on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> August at Methodist Central Hall Westminster, Storey's Gate, SW1H 9NH. Refreshments are available from 4.30pm. Jongikaya is currently a Minister in the Forest Circuit. Within his new role he will have particular pastoral oversight for the churches and Circuits of South London, as well as sharing in the wider work of the District.

## **Pastoral News**

We remember in our prayers John Broomhead, Muriel Bennett, Rob Smith, Gill Coutts and Michael O'Brien.

News from Reverend Kevin Taylor: Kevin reports that his recovery is proceeding. However, he is also concerned about his son whose team were involved in the London events. As a former senior police officer himself, Kevin expects that his son, Stuart, will not be allowed leave for some time. Kevin is providing emergency babysitting and supporting his daughter-in-law. We hold Kevin and family in our thoughts. He has especially asked for prayers for Stuart and his team.

If you would like to visit Gill Coutts please do call her first on 020 8302 3160. Thank you.

## Diary Dates

- 21<sup>st</sup> June 7.00 pm. NEMC Film Club. See notices.  
 24<sup>th</sup> June 7.30 pm. 'New Eltham Revue', a chocolate box of variety!  
 Tickets £8 email: necpneweltham@yahoo.co.uk  
 8<sup>th</sup> July 6.00 pm. Magic night with Bexley Magic Society.  
 Close up magic and stage show in aid of Happy Child International (UK). Tickets £10 (adults) and £4 (children) which includes a light supper. Tel: 020 8859 9750.

## Forthcoming Services:

Date	Time	Preacher	Music	Steward
25 <sup>th</sup> June	1030	Worship Leaders	RS	Cate Bradford
2 <sup>nd</sup> July	1030	Mrs Joan Mayes	SB	Elton Mutingondo
9 <sup>th</sup> July	1030	Rev. Duncan MacBean Holy Communion	FB	Marianne Outteridge

## The Film Club

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New Eltham Methodist Church

Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June at 7.00 pm



All welcome to come along and enjoy the film which will followed by a short discussion and light refreshments. The film is free but there will be a small charge of £1 for refreshments. Bring a friend!





**NEW ELTHAM REVUE**  
A chocolate box of Variety  
**FOR ONE NIGHT ONLY!**

**Saturday 24th June**  
**7.30 Tickets at £8.00**  
**(including Tea and Cake!)**  
**from (020) 8856 3853**

**OR**

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