

New Eltham Methodist Church
Sunday 4th June 2017
www.newelthammethodist.org.uk

Prayer for the Week



Gracious God, let the light of your face shine upon us. Let your peace rule in our hearts, your strength be our song and your grace sufficient for our needs. Prepare us for the events of each day that we may take up our cross and follow in the steps of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.
Amen.

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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
For more details contact 07707310098 or 07944881977



Please 'like' us 'New Eltham Methodist Church'

10.30 am Sunday 4th June 2017

We welcome all who worship with us, and especially visitors. We also welcome **Miss Rudado Ushewokunze** who will lead this Service, with **Charles Chikanya** as Steward and **Simon Gill** providing the music.

Order of Service

Welcome

Call to worship

Hymn: No. 327 Spirit Divine attend our prayers (Hymns and Psalms)

Opening prayers

Wind, Fire, Flame

Hymn: No. 155 Come Holy Ghost our hearts inspire

Readings: Psalm 104 v 24 -35
1 Corinthians 12 v 3- 13

Sermon Part 1: Introducing the Spirit

Hymn: No. 398 There's a spirit in the air

Reading: Acts 2 v 1- 21

Sermon 2: I will pour out my Spirit

Prayers of intercession

Hymn: No. 564 O Thou who camest from above

Offertory

Notices

Hymn: No. 397 The Spirit lives to set us free

Benediction

**Please join us for a cup of coffee and a chat
at the coffee bar following the service.**

Prompt28!

#prompt28 is Share Jesus International's brand new campaign designed to help us be Spirit-led as we share Jesus authentically and intentionally. The idea is simple; with the help of a single daily question, we are being challenged to listen out for the prompting of the Holy Spirit and see what happens next. Every day for four weeks we will start by asking God a question. #Prompt28 commences today, 4th June. For more details and information how you can sign up please see the Church notice board.

Reverend Duncan MacBean

Rev'd Duncan MacBean is away until Thursday 8th June. For pastoral needs please contact Rev'd David Gillman; and otherwise contact the Stewards.

Methodist Central Hall – Wednesday Lunchtime Services

There is a weekly Wednesday lunchtime service at Methodist Central Hall, Storey's Gate, SW1H from 12.45-1.15 pm which includes a Bible talk, hymns and prayers. All welcome. For further details see the website or telephone: www.methodist-central-hall.org.uk, 020 7654 3809.

Film Club – Wednesday 21st 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.

Welcome Service for new District Chair – 20th 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 20th 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, Tony Wright, Rob Smith, Reverend Kevin Taylor, Gill Coutts and Michael Chuter.

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

Diary Dates

21st June

7.00 pm. NEMC Film Club. See notices.

24th June

7.30 pm. 'New Eltham Revue', a chocolate box of variety!
Tickets £8 email: necpneweltham@yahoo.co.uk

8th 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
11 th June	1030	Rev. Juliet Ushewokunze Trinity Sunday Holy Communion Service	SB	Marianne Outteridge
18 th June	1030	Rev. Jacky Quarmby Church Anniversary	RS	Graham Bunce
25 th June	1030	Worship Leaders	FB	Cate Bradford

The Film Club



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The man who sued God, a comedy about a man (played by Billy Connolly) who decides to sue God after his fishing boat is destroyed by lightning and his insurance company refuses to pay out, declaring it to be an act of God. Encouraged by a journalist (Judy Davis) he takes God's representatives on earth to court in a heart-warming fight against the system, raising a lot of questions in the process.

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All welcome to come along and enjoy the film which will be 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!

