

Pastoral News

Please remember in your prayers

James Alabi-Boorman, Sarah Bartlett, Muriel Bennett, John and Ming Broomhead, Archie Brown, Bob Chapman, Anthony Cox, Maureen Davison, Dolly Doran, The daughter of Maggie Dix and family, Logan Evans, Phillip Everett-Lyons, Louise Field, Mike Goodrich, Sta'Reign Lee and family, Fiona Love-Roberts, Marianne Outteridge, Elizabeth Tiplin, Ruth Vickerstaff, Vincent Woon, and the friends and family of Peter Penney.

*If you wish to have someone added or removed from the prayer list, please notify **Kevin Doig** either in person in church or via the methods at the foot of this page.*

Upcoming services

Date	Time	Leader/Preacher	Event
Sunday 12 th Jan	10.30am	Rev. Duncan MacBean	<i>Covenant and Communion</i>
Sunday 19 th Jan	10.30am	Worship Leaders	<i>CTNE</i>
Sunday 26 th Jan	10.30am	Ralph Brandhorst	
Sunday 2 nd Feb	10.30am	Worship Leaders	
Sunday 9 th Feb	10.30am	Rev. Duncan MacBean	<i>Communion</i>
Sunday 16 th Feb	10.30am	Chris Price	



It is planned to next live-stream the services via the Zoom platform on 12th Jan. (covenant service), 19th Jan. and 23rd Feb.

This year's Church Pantomime produced by NECP is a sellout! If you came to either of yesterday's performances, you will have recognised many faces in the cast from our church membership and Young Church. **NECP really need helpers for the coffee bar for next Saturday's performances. If you can offer then please sign up the list on the noticeboard by the bar or speak to Paul Tickell. Thanks.**

NEW ELTHAM COMMUNITY PRODUCTIONS PROUDLY PRESENTS THE NEW ELTHAM METHODIST CHURCH 2025 PANTOMIME

THE SNOW QUEEN

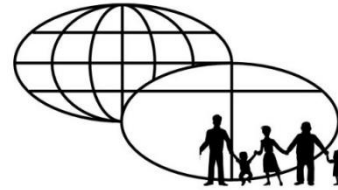
4th & 11th JANUARY
2:30PM & 7:30PM
TICKETS £10

BOOK YOUR TICKETS BY CALLING: 01322 838410
BOOK ONLINE AT: NECP.ORG.UK

THE CENTRE, NEW ELTHAM METHODIST CHURCH, 435-439 FOOTSCRAY ROAD, NEW ELTHAM, LONDON, SE9 3UL

Please submit news items for Notices, if possible by **10.00am on Thursday**, to Kevin Doig at doig.kevin@gmail.com – or phone or text 07950 972499

New Eltham Methodist Church Weekly Notices



Sunday 5th January 2025
Second Sunday after Christmas

Prayer for the week

Lord, my body is throbbing from fatigue from all the Christmas celebrations. I am grateful that Your coming makes the whole world sing! God our Father we thank you for the message of peace that Christmas brings to our distracted world. Give peace among nations, peace in our land, peace in our homes, and peace in our hearts.

Amen

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Church Office open Thur-Fri 9.30am to 1.30pm (term time only)

New Eltham Methodist Church Zimbabwe Fellowship.

There are normally Sunday services at this Church (12.30 - 14.30)

For more details on the current situation, contact 07707 310098 or 07944 881977

The Methodist Church

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Please 'like' us 'New Eltham Methodist Church'

Sunday 5th January 2025

Led by Rev. Emmanuel Owusu Sekyere
Musician: Frances Barrett Steward: Paul Tickell

Order of Service

Stewards welcome

Call to Worship

Hymn StF 186 **Tell out my soul,
the greatness of the Lord!**

All Age Worship

Prayer for Young Church

Hymn StF 483 **One more step along the world I go**
during which the children leave for Young Church

Prayers: **Confession, thanksgiving and adoration**

Bible readings John 1: (1-9), 10-18
Ephesians 1: 3-14

Hymn StF 175 **Light of the world,
You stepped down into darkness**

Sermon

Hymn StF 181 **Of the Father's love begotten**

Prayers of intercession

The Lord's Prayer

Offertory prayer

Dismissal and Blessing



Used Postage Stamps!

Please save any used postage stamps you get throughout the year, as the Royal National Institute for the Blind (RNIB) can turn these into cash to help blind and partially sighted people. Please hand your used stamps to Clare Seed or put them in the designated box on the Coffee Bar. Thank you very much.



Action for Children (formerly **National Children's Home**) is a UK children's charity created to help vulnerable children and young people and their families in the UK.

The first 'Children's Home', a renovated stable in Church Street, Waterloo, was founded in 1869 by Methodist minister

Thomas Bowman Stephenson, who had been moved by the plight of children living on the street in London.

Action for Children raises money through corporate partnerships, fundraising events (such as sponsored runs) and through its partnership with the British Methodist Church.



Every year, carol singing in New Eltham organised by New Eltham Methodist Church raises money for Action for Children.

This Christmas, we are informed by our Treasurer, singing for just one hour outside the library, our singers raised an impressive £118.
