

Pastoral News

Please remember in your prayers

James Alabi-Boorman, Sarah Bartlett, Muriel Bennett, John and Ming Broomhead, Archie Brown, Harvey Burnett, Bob Chapman, Anthony Cox, Maureen Davison, The daughter of Maggie Dix and her family, Dolly Doran, Logan Evans, Phillip Everett-Lyons, Louise Field, Peter Hopkins, Sta'Reign Lee and family, Fiona Love-Roberts, Peter Penney, Marianne Outteridge, Elizabeth Tiplin, Vincent Woon, and the families of Shirley Carder, Lynton Cope and Brenda Small.

The funeral of **Lynton Cope**, husband of Sue and very long-standing organist at Chislehurst Methodist Church, is on Friday 11th October at 1.00pm at Chislehurst Methodist Church. There will be a buffet in the hall afterwards.

*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 13 th Oct	10.30am	Rev. Duncan MacBean/ Worship Leaders	<i>Harvest service</i>
Sunday 20 th Oct	10.30am	Sue Cope	
Sunday 27 th Oct	10.30am	Maggie Ayres	



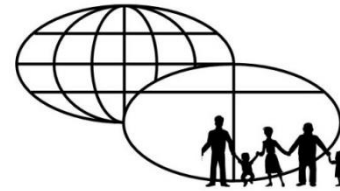
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It is planned to live-stream the service via the Zoom platform on 13th October and 24th November.

Date for your diaries

Date	Event
Sunday 13 th Oct. 12 noon	Harvest lunch Tickets: £5 (under 16: £1) from Clare, Paul or Geraldine
Saturday 19 th Oct 7.00pm to 10.00pm	Learn Latin & Ballroom A 'Strictly' fun evening. £10 (£5 under 18s) Book from 01322 838410
Saturday 9 th Nov. 7.30pm to 10.00pm	NECP Quiz Night Teams of 6 people. Further details to follow
Saturday 16 th Nov. 10.00am – 12.00	Church Christmas Bazaar Further details to follow

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 6th October 2024
Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

Prayer for the week:

God of all grace, I commit this week to you
Help me to notice the many blessings I receive this week and help me to remember that all I have is your gift, and to gratefully receive it.
May the words of the my mouth, the deeds of my hands, the thoughts of my mind and heart be a reflection of your love, your peace, your hope.
In Jesus' name I pray.
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 6th October 2024

Led by Deac. Laura MacBean

Musician: Simon Gill

Steward: Paul Tickell

Order of Service

Stewards welcome

Call to Worship

Hymn StF 565 **Only by grace can we enter**

Reading Mark 10: 13-16

All-age Worship

Hymn StF 42 **O sing to the Lord**

Collection Prayer

Hymn StF 96 **We sing of your glory**

Prayers Confession and forgiveness

Readings Job 1: 1-2
Job 2: 1-10

Hymn StF 467 **I need thee every hour**

**Sermon
Prayer**

Hymn StF 733 **God hold us, enfold us**

**Prayers of intercession
The Lord's prayer**

Hymn StF 472 **May the Sending One sing in you**

Benediction

Operation Christmas Child 2024 A box will be left in the vestibule at church for gifts. The very last day for receiving filled shoeboxes and money donations is Remembrance Sunday 10th November. However, if you would like to give gifts to fill shoeboxes we would be very grateful if these could be given as soon as possible as the majority of the shoebox packing will take place in early to mid-October. Tennis balls would be a particularly welcome addition.

Ssshhhh

Over the past few weeks Young Church have been learning about the book of James and how words can be a force for good or they can be hurtful. In Young Church on Sunday 20 October we are going to use the lack of words for a very good purpose indeed; to raise funds for Operation Christmas Child. We are going to have a sponsored silence during our lesson time. We know it's going to be tough but the young people are up for the challenge! If you are able to sponsor the Young Church group there is a sponsorship form on the coffee bar, all contributions greatly received. Thank you for your support which will really encourage them.

Annual Good Cause Railway Children Charity - our Harvest lunch on Sunday 13th October will be our first fundraising event for this charity. Thank you to all those who have already signed up on the Harvest Food list in the coffee bar. There are still several items needed so please do have a look and sign up, or add something you would prefer to bring. Tickets are on sale after the service, cost £5 adults, £1 children under 16. And thank you to those who have signed the **Yes! I can help** forms enclosed with the notices - do sign up if you haven't already or have a chat with Paul, Clare or Geraldine - many hands make light work!

Warm Welcome Wednesdays - everyone is invited to pop in on a Wednesday morning throughout the coming weeks and months to join us for a cup of tea or coffee, delicious refreshments, a chance to catch up on church and local events and meet our regular visitors - all are welcome!

Christmas card scheme

If you would like to contribute to this year's Christmas card scheme whereby instead of sending Christmas cards to church members we donate to a fund to buy gifts from charities for under privileged families, I will be in the coffee bar each Sunday in October to collect donations. Mo Hubbard

Coffee Morning and Super Sale

in aid of Mercy Ships and Sightsavers at Bromley Methodist Church at 10.00am – 12.00 noon on Thursday 17th and Saturday 19th October.
Lots of items at bargain prices - do come and maybe bring a friend to enjoy elevenses and a look around!

Bible Month Course November 2024 Exploring Genesis

You are invited to join us in November as we explore the book of Genesis together. All Bible Study sessions will be held at Bromley Methodist Church, Corner of North St and College Rd, BR1 1SB.
Free parking available in the church car park – please register your car on arrival, all buses to Bromley Town Centre/Market Square stop near the church.
Wednesdays in November 11.00am-12.30pm
If you cannot attend the group sessions but would like to use the 30 Days with Genesis booklet in your own personal reflections please let us know and we can give you a free copy to use at home.

To register for the group sessions or request a booklet please email office@bromeymethodist.org or phone 020 8313 1029
