

New Eltham Methodist Church
Sunday 27th October 2019

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Prayer for the Week

The Venerable Bede (c.673-735)



O Christ the Morning Star,
when the night of this world is past
bring to us the promised light of life,
opening into everlasting day.
Amen.

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New Eltham Methodist Church Zimbabwe Fellowship.

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

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Please 'like' us 'New Eltham Methodist Church'

10.30 am Sunday 27th October 2019

We welcome all who worship with us, and especially visitors. We also welcome **Deacon Maureen Spinks** who will lead this Service with **Graham Bunce** as Steward and **Rob Smith** providing the music.

Order of Service

Welcome

Call to worship: Isaiah chapter 55 verse 1

Hymn: No. 54 I will worship

Prayers of adoration and confession

Children's talk: Invitations

The collection

Hymn: No. 67 This is the God we adore

Reading: Isaiah chapter 55 verses 1 to 5

Sermon part 1: Accepting the Invitation

Offering the opportunity: prayer with quiet music

Hymn: No. 427 I'm Accepted, I'm forgiven

Reading: Matthew chapter 14 verses 13 to 21

Sermon part 2: Offering Invitations

Hymn: No. 407 Hear the call of the kingdom

Prayers of intercession: for seekers
 for those who invite

Hymn: No. 418 We have a gospel to proclaim

Benediction

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

Traid Craft Stall

The Traid Craft stall will be open after the service on today, selling a variety of goods including rice, dried fruits, cereals, preserves, cards, gifts and chocolate. There is a new catalogue on offer so do come and have a browse!



Panto!

The first "Rapunzel" Panto rehearsal is on Tuesday 29th October at 8.00 pm. All are welcome.

NECP Autumn Quiz – Friday 1st November

NECP invite you to join exercise your brains at their Autumn Quiz on Friday 1st November 7.15 pm for a 7.30 pm start. Tickets £6 per person. Teams of 6 people. Please bring along your own snacks and non-alcoholic drinks. Please see Judith Gill or any NECP member or telephone 07710 507421 for your tickets.

The Church's Charity Christmas Card

Yes, it's that time of year again when Tony Wright will be in Church most Sundays (starting from Sunday 20th October) collecting for "THE CHURCH'S CHARITY CHRISTMAS CARD". If you haven't contributed before and would like more information, please do have a word with Tony.

Operation Christmas Child 2019

It's time now to give me your completed shoeboxes or items to go in the ones that we as Church make up. The final date for receiving your completed shoeboxes is Sunday 10th November (Remembrance Sunday). Please see the collection box and the leaflets in the vestibule. For details of what can't go into a box please see the list in the church magazine. Please note, this year no toothpaste or sweets can be sent. As ever, we need money to send the church shoeboxes, and these cost £5 each. Thank you. Louise Field.

Remembrance Sunday morning service 10th November – earlier start time

Our Remembrance Day service will again be held in conjunction with Churches Together in New Eltham and will include a joint act of worship at the war memorial adjacent to All Saints Church. The service at NEMC will commence at the earlier time of **10.15 am** to allow for a short service before we walk across to All Saints at approx. 10.35 am.



Choir Rehearsals

Rehearsals for the CTNE Carol service at All Saints on the 15th December will commence on Wednesday 13th November at 7.30 pm in the vestry at All Saints and then every Wednesday thereafter. All welcome.

Christmas Bazaar 16th November

A reminder to put Saturday 16th November in your diary. Our next fundraiser will be the Christmas Bazaar which takes place from 10.30 am to 1.00 pm. If you are able to help at the Bazaar please do add your name to the sign-up sheet in the coffee bar area. Thank you.

Pastoral News

We remember in our prayers John Broomhead, Gill Coutts, Rene Johnson, Genevieve Manda, Margaret Webster, Susan Tilbury, Nicola Povey, Sue Eaton, Elizabeth Tiplin, Sarah Bartlett, Edith Warner, Peter Penney and family, the Seed family, Audrey Smith, Beverley Smith, Reverend Kevin Taylor, Muriel Bennett, Richard and Tarisai Flynn and family, Joyce Jutson, Bill Cooper's family, the Wells-Gaston family, Tony and Shirley's neighbour, Mr Ray Ellis and Graham and Jackie's daughter Sarah Sinclair-Bell.

Forthcoming Services

Date	Time	Preacher	Music	Steward
27 th October	16.00	Worship Leaders All Souls Service	RS	Graham Bunce
3 rd November	9.30	Rev Duncan MacBean Holy Communion	SG	Paul Tickell
10 th November	10.15	Mrs Susan Cope Remembrance Service	CD	Graham Bunce

Diary Dates

27 th October	4.00 pm. All Souls Service.
28 th October	2.00 pm. Room 1. Jigsaw Group. All welcome.
1 st November	7.15 pm. NECP Autumn Quiz. Please see notices.
2 nd November	3.00 pm. Saturday Family Film Afternoon showing 'Mary Poppins Returns'
6 th November	8.00pm. Bible Group at 57 Blanmerle Road, SE9 2DX. The Bible Group will be held on the first and third Wednesdays of the month.
10 th November	3.00 pm. PSA Centenary Remembrance Concert
13 th November	7.00 pm. Film Night showing 'War Horse'
16 th November	10.30 am – 1.00 pm. Church Christmas Bazaar
30 th November	4.00 pm. Messy Church. 'Christmas.'



New Eltham Community Productions

invite you to exercise your brains at an

Autumn Quiz Night

Friday 1st November 2019

7.15 pm for 7.30 pm start

The Centre

New Eltham Methodist Church

435-9 Footscray Road SE9 3UL

Tickets £6.00 per person

6 people per team

Tickets from 07710 507421 (Judith) or any member

Book now!

Bring your own snacks and non-alcoholic drinks