



TRINITY NOTICES

Sunday 18 June 2017



Morning service on Sunday July 30th.

On Sunday July 30th the circuit are requesting that we make our own arrangement for our morning service. A small group has been formed and we ask for your co-operation in choosing hymns or readings. You will find a short questionnaire in your service sheet which you are asked to fill in and return to the box on the stewards table in the welcome area no later than July 2nd. Thank you.

Circuit Service 2nd July

The next Circuit Service will be on Sunday 2nd July at Milton Methodist Church, beginning at 3:00 pm. This will be the commissioning service for our two new Community Chaplains for Great Western Park, (for more details, please see the Circuit Exchange). This service will be a celebration of all that has happened so far and the way in which God has led us in this innovative venture. It will also allow the whole Circuit to meet Libby and Sarah, to offer them our support and to pray for them as we commit the future of this work into God's hands. There will also be an opportunity for us to pray for and bless the motor home that is their mobile base and office. Do come and along and be inspired! Refreshments will be served after the service

Evergreen Meeting tomorrow 2:00pm; We are delighted that Dr Maisey is coming to give an amusing talk on "Hip Replacement and Spare Parts". This subject covers most of us!!! Everyone is welcome to come along.

Calling All Thursday Group People; If you have not yet signed up for the BBQ on Thursday 13th July, please let me know if you and your husband / partner are coming and if you are bringing a salad or sweet. It would be helpful if you could bring a garden chair and one or two extra BBQs would be welcome please. Many thanks. *Margaret Langsford*

Accommodation wanted Can you help by offering accommodation for a student who has a summer placement at Harwell science park starting next week till Sept 8th? He is looking for accommodation Mon-Fri mainly, as he will probably return home over the weekends. He is aged 21, in his 4th year studying materials engineering at the University of Birmingham and is the younger brother of a friend of mine who is a Methodist minister. If you could help him with all or some of this period, please contact me. *Rev Katherine Pickering 01235 813242 katherine.pickering@methodist.org.uk*

From Deacon Selina

Dear All,

Thank you so very much for attending my testimony service before my ordination in Wolverhampton in a few weeks time. I approached the service with a bit of trepidation, but you made it a really JOYFUL blessing for me, which I shall never forget, and I feel truly humbled in the way that you have supported me along the way in so many ways. I would like to thank you too for your joint and most generous gift to me for my ordination. I opened it and went "WOW!" Some of you will know that I will need a substantial silver chain on which to hang the cross of the MDO, and this has already been ordered. With the remaining money I shall be ordering an MDO stole, which is different from the one I currently wear. This will be especially made for me by Juliet Hemmingray, and both gifts will remind me of you all and the blessings that you have poured out upon me. So thank you from the bottom of my heart.

With love and blessings- SELINA

News from TrinityLearning:

Singers / Musicians needed: to help with a fun lunchtime singing club at Kingfisher School. Mondays - on weeks 19th June to 10th July. We'll spend about 40 minutes singing informally with and to small groups of children. We're a bit short of folk on some weeks. If anyone would like to join us for one session or... all four, please contact Rosemary.

Training Opportunities

Loneliness of Loss: Saturday 23 September 9.30am to 12.30pm, Headington Baptist Church. The Archway Foundation is an Oxford based charity working with lonely, socially isolated and marginalised people. It is organising a training workshop on the theme of "The Loneliness of Loss" and it will be offering guidance on the pastoral support of those experiencing loneliness and isolation. There is no charge but a donation to help cover the cost of the day would be appreciated. Booking is essential. For further details please email ray@archwayfoundation.org.uk."

"Parenting for Faith" Wednesday 28 June, 19:30 – 21:30pm, Christchurch Northcourt Road.

Equipped for Children's Work Saturday 1 July 10.30am to 3.30pm: a training day at Didcot Methodist Church. There is no charge. Contact Gill Thomas to confirm attendance (for admin and catering purposes) on 07799 902581 or thomasg@methodistchurch.org.uk

DIARY DATES

Wednesday 28 June, 7 pm, Trinity Church: **Fundraising Concert for Christian Aid** featuring the choir of Carswell Primary School, the two Abingdon Ladies Choirs and the Albert Park Singers. Light refreshments will be provided. Tickets (Adults: £8 for adults, Young people (11-18 years: £4) are available from Ruth Sillitoe. Everyone warmly invited

Thursday 29 June, 7.30 pm, Health & Wellbeing Centre (Abingdon Quakers), Audlett Drive: Award-winning documentary film, **The Divide**. Inspired by the book *The Spirit Level* by Richard Wilkinson and Kate

Pickett, the film will be introduced by Martin Wilkinson, a trustee of the Equality Trust, and brother of the co-author. It will be followed by Q&As with Martin.

Friday 30 June – Sunday 2 July: Art competition and exhibition on the theme of celebration as part of the on-going 150th anniversary of St Michael and All Angels Church celebrations. Proceeds are being donated to two charities; the Abingdon Bridge and Tariro – Hope For Youth: in Zimbabwe. Opening times: Friday 30th June 10.00 – 16.30, Saturday 1st July 10.00 – 16.00, Sunday 2nd July 11.00 – 15.00. Some of the works will be for sale and refreshments will be available. The public vote prize will be announced at the presentation tea on Sunday 2nd July at 15.00 – 16.00, which all are welcome to attend.

NEXT WEEK

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| Monday | 19 | 2:00 pm | Evergreens |
| Friday | 23 | 10:30 am | Prayer Group meets in the Quiet Room |
| Sunday | 25 | 10:30 am | Morning Worship & Communion led by Revd John Rowland |
| | | 6:30pm | Evening Service at All Saints Local Arrangements |

Trinity Triangle:

The deadline for the next issue of Triangle is after **today's** service. Please note this is a double issue for July and August. E-mail copy should be sent to both valerie.dalby@tiscali.co.uk and cynbartlett@yahoo.co.uk. The editor this month will be Esther Hughes.

Copies of the minutes from the **Church Meeting on 6 June** are now available in the welcome area.

Please note that Ian's day off each week is Friday.
Please send notices to notices@trinityabingdon.org.uk by 12 noon on Wednesday