

Buckley Cross Methodist Church

A WARM WELCOME TO YOU ALL
Is this your first visit?
Please make yourself known to the door stewards.
Hard of hearing?
Please switch your hearing aid to "T" to use the Church loop



SUNDAY 12th JULY
10-30am Revd. Andrew Bradley

Church Stewards – Karen & Margaret
Door Steward – Margaret C.
Refreshments will be served after the service by Liz & Tony

VENEZUELA EARTHQUAKES - DEC APPEAL

We are all aware of the catastrophic earthquakes in Venezuela and the desperate need for humanitarian aid. The DEC brings together 15 leading UK aid charities to raise funds quickly and efficiently at times of crisis. At present, the U.K. government will match pound for pound up to £2 million donated by the public to this appeal. We will have a collection plate in Church where donations to this appeal can be made on Sunday 12th 19th and 26th July. Thank you.

JUNIOR CHURCH are not meeting today as it is the Jubilee shield service at Penyffordd. This would have been their last session before the summer break so will hold that next week instead
LIFT will hold their last meeting on 26th July before taking a break for the summer and will be back on Sunday 6th September

JUBILEE TEA – There is a food donation list on the porch table for you to add your name by something you would like to bring to share, items can be brought to the community centre for 1pm & before 1-45pm (The community centre will be closed then to go to the 2pm service in Church).

VOLUNTEERS Please can some people help to put up the tables & chairs in the community centre after little stars ready for setting out the food & for people to sit at. Kitchen volunteers are also wanted to set up for refreshments & washing up at the end etc.

If you can help with any of these things, please let Anne / Janet know. Thank you.

There will be a short service in Church on Jubilee Day at 2pm, led by Karen Picton.

JUBILEE HYMN SINGING 19th July at 6pm. At Bistre Emmanuel Church.

STREET COLLECTION – This years jubilee street collection will be for Royal Buckley Town Band

SATURDAY 1ST AUGUST

STRAWBERRY TEA 2-4pm in our community centre. Tickets are on sale from today at £6 each available from Anne Farnsworth - either see her in Church or phone her on 07864117955. We will be very grateful for donations of Cakes. We are also looking for volunteers to help on the day, please let Anne know if you can help. Cakes can be brought on the day by 1-30pm.

PETES SPONSORED WALK

Pete Sinclair has recently completed his sponsored walk, Anne Farnsworth is collecting the sponsor money over the next couple of weeks. Well done Pete & Thank you to everyone who sponsored him.

SATURDAY 25TH JULY

BUCKLEY CYTÛN COFFEE MORNING 10am – 12 noon at Bistre Emmanuel Church Hall – come and enjoy refreshments & a get together with friends, stalls will include homemade cakes, crafts and a plant stall from Andys Plants in Deeside selling late summer and autumn plants. Proceeds to Buckley Cytûn supporting our two charities Christian Aid & Cafod. Everyone is welcome.

LITTLE STARS

During the summer holidays on Tuesdays 21, 28 July and 4, 11, 18 August, Little Stars will be up at the park on The Common, Buckley from 10-11 am. All ages welcome to join us for games, stories and songs. Please note these sessions are weather dependent!

No session on 25 August. Back as usual in Buckley Cross Community Centre from Tuesday 1 September from 9.30-11.15am.

MONDAY 13th JULY

THE WINGS OF PRAYER - Are back to meeting weekly at 2pm in Church. You do not have to pray aloud. If you would like any info about this group, please speak with Elaine Hodge.

TUESDAY 14th JULY

LITTLE STARS - Little Stars are having a shorter session from 9.30 -11am, we will be making streamers for the Buckley Jubilee.

KNIT & NATTER – are meeting in church 10am – 12 noon. You are welcome to attend this friendly group.

CHURCH BIBLE STUDY GROUP – are taking a break until September.

LUCYS HOUSE, BIBLE STUDY GROUP – are not meeting tonight there will be fellowship on Tuesday 21st July at the usual time then will take a break until September.

WEDNESDAY 15th JULY

FOODBANK & WELCOME HUB In our community centre 1-3pm **The welcome hub** is in the large room with no charge for Tea/Coffee, Biscuits/Toast. The afternoon is enjoyed by many people; there are books and clothes available as well. This is for everyone to attend not just those using the foodbank.

There is also **Citizen's advice** drop-in 1-3pm & **FCC** Welfare team 1-3pm every other week & **Mind** – chat about mental health drop in 2-3pm. There is a selection of donated Books & Clothes (Adults & Children's) free to anyone who may need them.

The foodbank is in the smaller room – if you have any donations or strong carrier bags for foodbank, please put them in the baskets in Church / Community centre. Thank you for your continued support.

BUCKLEY FOODBANK - Any donations you make will be very gratefully received. **Items most in need**

- Instant coffee, Pasta sauce, Tinned vegetables, Tinned potatoes, Tinned ready meals, Tinned fish, Tinned tomatoes, Tinned rice pudding, Long grain rice, UHT semi-skimmed milk, toiletries (**no aerosol sprays**) Juice, jam, pot noodles, biscuits, tinned fruit, Items can be left in the baskets in Church / Community centre. Thank you to the foodbank volunteers that work so hard there & to everyone who donates items.

FRIDAY 17th JULY

COFFEE MORNING 10am to 11-30am in our community centre, why not come along to enjoy tea, coffee, toast & teacakes all very reasonably priced & have a chat with friends / family.

EGG BOXES

If you have any egg boxes for Andrew, they can be left in the vestry for him.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

14th July - Buckley Jubilee.

1st August - Strawberry Tea.

20th September – Harvest Service & Meal

5th December - Christmas Fair.

If you find yourself looking for something to do/read & can use the internet why not sit with a cup of Coffee / Tea / Cold drink & have a look through The Methodist Church website, <https://www.methodist.org.uk/>

There are some interesting reads/information on it.

Don't forget to have a look on our own Buckley cross website too <https://buckleycrosschurch.uk/>

**NEXT WEEK
SUNDAY 19th July
Mr Martin Thorne**

Junior Church meeting in our community centre

Minister – Revd. Andrew Bradley

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Church Notices - Janet Foulkes by 7pm on a Thursday please.

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For any information about bookings for Church / Community Centre

Contact Dave Farsworth on 01244 641286.