

Wesley Place Methodist Church,
Lawton Road, Alsager



Welcome to worship today. We are pleased that you are able to join us. Whether you are visiting briefly or are new to Wesley Place we hope that you feel at home and among friends. Please introduce yourself to one of the stewards.

Sunday 15th October 2017

10.30am: Service led by Rev Rob Hilton - Holy Communion
Please join us for coffee and fellowship after the service
6:30pm: Service held at URC

Gracious God,
you give the water of eternal life
through Jesus Christ your Son.
May we always turn to you,
the spring of life and source of goodness,
through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Readings for your Devotions

Exodus 17: 1-7	(OT p74)
Psalm 78: 1-4, 12-16	(OT p584)
Philippians 2: 1-13	(NT p248)
Matthew 21: 23-32	(NT p31)

PLEASE TURN OFF YOUR MOBILE PHONE

Diary for Week Beginning Monday 16th October, 2017

Mon: 2pm-4pm: Monday fun - table top games with Stamp Party

Tue: 2:30pm: Women's Fellowship - Rev Charlotte Lorimer

Wed: 10.00am: Church open for prayer from 10 to 12 noon with
"Time Out" at 10:30. Followed by Tea and Biscuits

7:30pm: Guild - Rev Rob Hilton

Thur: 10:00am: CAMEO Ladies meet at Astbury Garden Centre

7:30pm: Choir rehearsal

Sat: 10am-12noon: Action for Children Coffee Morning

Next Sunday 22nd October, 2017

10:30am - Service led by Mr Daniel Keen

6:30pm - Service led by Miss Heather Staniland - Fair Trade



Happy 10th Birthday to
Rosie Richardson for the 17th October
And Happy 11th Birthday to
Cameron Chambers for the 18th October
Lots of love and best wishes
from all your friends at Wesley Place

Wesley Place Youth

On Thursday 26th October there will be two events for children and youth. These events are also being used as kick-off events for our new kids/youth/young adults groups.

First of all from 11-4pm there is a fun day planned at Wesley Place. This will be themed around 'Record Breakers'. There will be lots of silly games, whacky activities and lots of fun. This will be aimed at primary school age and lower secondary school age.

Following on from that there is an event for youth in the evening. This will be a youth film night, aimed for secondary school age. There will be popcorn, drinks and hopefully an awesome film.

If you have youngsters or know anyone who has please inform them about these events. Please if you are able to help out during the event as well contact Jonny asap. For more information go onto the website or our new youth facebook page @Wesleyplaceyouth.

One other way to get involved with the young people's events taking place over half term is by making or buying food. If you are able to spare a plate of food that would be amazing, whether this be cakes, sandwiches or crisps etc! Thank you and if you are able to do this please contact Jonny

New Clubs

Following on from the half term fun day there will be some weekly groups starting up. These will run on Tuesday and Sunday evenings, here are the groups;

Sparkz: 7-11s (Sunday 5:00pm - 6:30pm)

Ablaze: 12-18s (Sunday 7:00pm - 8:30pm)

Electrify: 12-16s (Tuesday 5:30pm - 7:00pm)

YA: 17+ (Tuesday 7:30pm - 9:00pm)

There is lots of activities and things to get involved with for our young people. To see a full description of these groups please go to our website or our new facebook page @Wesleyplaceyouth.. So please be sharing with friends and family about these great young people's activities. But also if you would like to help there is lots to get involved with including taking registers, serving refreshments, being in charge of the tuck shop, leading activities and just being another helping hand. I would love your help. Jonny

Evening Services

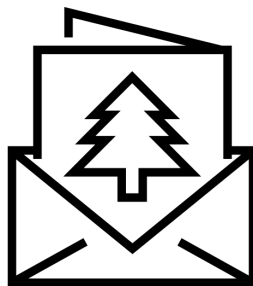
In October two of our evening services will be a little different. October 22nd is a Fairtrade Service led by Heath Staniland. We hope representatives of other churches will attend. The service will begin at 6:30pm as usual but there will be cake, baked with fairly traded ingredients, and tea and coffee served from 6pm. Ian Marshall is preparing a slide show of our fair trade events over the last 10 years for us to share together as we eat. Come along and show your support for Fairtrade.

October 29th is a local arrangement, led by Bronwen and I, with members of our own congregation sharing FAITH IN ACTION. We are challenging you to think about how your faith has influenced you in your workplace, school or in the community. Maybe you have experienced real challenges or even influenced others in your daily life. We only need you to speak for a few minutes but we do need you to share, not only what God has done for you, but also what he has enabled you to overcome, achieve or do for others. Please pray about this, and even if you feel it is not in you to speak, come along and support.

Thanks Margaret

Christmas Cards

Traidcraft's fairly traded Christmas cards will be available to order from samples from 22nd Oct. We have a discount of 50p on the marked price.



Defibrillator

Wesley Place has now got a public defibrillator available 24 hours a day located on the right hand side of the building.

Safety and Security

Please remember to keep your valuables with you at all times.

Thank You

Claire sends love , best wishes and thanks to all our friends at Wesley Place for support on recent swims.

Money raised £3000 RNLI

£3000 Help for Heroes

£11450 The Christie Hospital

Save the date

Christmas Tree Festival 2017 - Save the Date & Craft Stall

This year is our 10th Christmas Tree Festival and it will run from Friday 24th to Monday 27th November coinciding as usual with the switch on of the Christmas Lights in the village. As always this is a whole church event and everyone is expected to have fun getting involved with welcoming, stewarding, serving drinks and cakes, taking a turn on any of the stalls in the hall, making and baking. There will be the ever popular Craft and Gift stall again to raise much needed church funds and we are hoping to have mainly homemade/handmade goods and crafts (no bric a brac please!). There are only a few weeks to go before the Festival and this is a call for everyone to be on the look out for suitable items to stock the stall and to encourage all our crafty/arty members to get creative!



Asha (help for Asylum Seekers and Refugees)

Asha are in need of the following items. If you can spare any of the things in this list please could you put them in the box in the foyer.

- Sunflower oil
- Rice
- Pasta
- Tin Tomatoes
- Tuna

Car pool

Errol Triner has kindly agreed to co-ordinate lifts for those who need them on Sunday mornings to get to church. Could anyone needing a lift and also anyone able to offer a lift please speak to Errol. Many Thanks

Alsager Book Emporium

Hassall Road

Continues to be open every Friday 10-2 and every Saturday 10-1. Also open every Bank Holiday Monday. Please continue to support us.

We are in great need of volunteers. Can you help? Please contact 01270 626444 or 01270 625278



Property and Finance Committee

The next meeting of the Property and Finance Committee will be held on Monday 16th October at 7.30pm in the Youth Chapel.

Can you help?

The church is in need of new wheelchairs. Our current ones have seen much better days and both have broken wheels. If you have one you could spare please let the stewards know.

Harvest

The total collected in the Harvest All We Can envelopes was £353.60. As £176 of this was gift aided £44.00 will be added to the total which shows what a difference gift aid makes. If you are a UK tax payer please use gift aid for all your charitable giving, particularly when you give to the church (you can get a form from Joe Tabinor). Thank you to all those who donated



Can't

Saturday 21st of October at 7:30pm.

A concert to raise church funds with a wide variety of songs including tributes for the people of Manchester and London after their recent tragedies. Songs will include "Puppet on a String", "King of the Road", "Love me Tender", "Downtown" and "The Streets of London". There will be some classical and crossover music "O mio babbino caro" by Puccini, "Cantus Iteratus" by Jenkins, a trip to Ascot on the opening day and some audience participation in "Flash, Bang, Wallop" from Half a Sixpence. (Bring a small percussion instrument if you like!). The Rhinestone Cowboy for Glen Campbell and a violin solo or two from Jack completes the picture and should add up to a full evenings entertainment.

All the money raised from the concert will be donated to Wesley Place church. Tickets available from stewards..

Stamp Party

There will be Stamp party on Monday 2pm -4pm in room 4 at Wesley place. Come and have fun trimming and sorting the stamps we collect for various charities(Bring your own scissors) enjoying the fellowship and a cuppa.



Minister: Rob Hilton (01270) 872597 robakiddles@icloud.com - Day off Friday

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Lay Worker: Jonathan Newbould 07799 192626 jonathannewbould@aol.com

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Janet Keen - janetkeen4@yahoo.co.uk (01270) 874698

Booking Secretary: Ann Pask (01270) 879633

Notices for next week: Please see Sarah Simpson 07718140733 or e-mail sarahsimo28@live.co.uk by Thursday 8pm please.

Church e-mail address - Wesley.Place@tesco.net

Wesley Place facebook page - Wesley Place church

If you miss a copy of the pew leaflet or would like to see photos of what has been happening here at Wesley Place you can find them on the Wesley Place website - www.wesley-place.org.uk

Visit the Circuit website (www.cheshiresouth.org.uk)

for the Circuit news letter and forthcoming events.

A paper copy of the weekly news letter is available to read on the Circuit notice

Church Rota	15th Oct, 2017	22nd Oct, 2017
Morning Readers	Elizabeth Liddle Doris Bach	Val Snowden Gordon Degg
Stewards	Isabel Brislen Helen Robertson	Janet Keen Andrew Shaw
Offertory	Clive Pretty Sandra Rawlinson Ruth & George Heeks	Michael & Beryl Guy Shirley Keen Gwynneth Proudlove
Welcome Morning	Errol & Pauline Triner	Jean Walker Margaret Keeling
Evening Stewards	URC	Stuart & Val Carron
Coffee Morning	Choir	The Robells
Counting	Janet Keen Elizabeth Liddle Bruce Liddle	Andrew Shaw Joe Tabinor Glennis Roper
Vestry Steward	Gwynneth Proudlove	Lesley Peake