

WEEKLY NEWS

Trinity Methodist Church Woking

Message from the Leadership Team

As we look back on the wonderful Neighbourhood Party held last week, we remember what a blessing it was to see so many of our church members and local community come together for an afternoon of joy, laughter, and friendship.

From the delicious food served by the lovely Guides to the wonderful music and heartfelt conversations, the event truly reflected the spirit of togetherness that makes our Church so very special. It was especially thrilling to welcome new faces whilst still reconnecting with long-time friends. One of the highlights of the event was the live music that brought so much life to the gathering, and the shared meal reminds us of the importance of breaking bread with one another.

A big thank you to all the volunteers who helped organise and make this event possible. Your dedication and hard work showed the love of Christ in action. Another big thank you to all those who contributed cakes, sandwiches and / or their time. And to everyone who attended; we really appreciated your presence and hope you left with fond memories and new connections.

Let's continue to build on this spirit of unity and reach out to one another with the same love and openness. We look forward to many more moments of fellowship like this in the future! Trinity as a welcoming Church in action.

Samantha Cudby



Holding Hands, Lee Turner, Creative Commons

Upcoming Services

Sunday 20 October
Morning Worship
10.30am
led by Rev Dr Paul Glass

Sunday 27 October
Morning Worship
10.30am
led by Rev Paul Tabraham

Sunday 3 November
Morning Worship
10.30am

All Soul's Service
led by Rev Claire Hargreaves
4.30pm

Live Stream Link

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Circuit News

The Circuit Letter for the week is available [HERE](#)

The Circuit Prayer Diary for October is available [HERE](#)

ALL SOULS' SERVICE

TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3RD
4.30PM



Do you have somebody you want to remember?

We will come together to remember those we love who has gone before us.

If you would like the name of your loved one to be read out in the service, please email trinitywoking@btinternet.com.



The Methodist Church



Prayer of the Day

Lord, send us out.

Send us out from our buildings, full of history and comfort and meaning, and lead us into your world as your disciples where the story is still being written.

Send us out with our hearts full of love and concern and fear and hope, and lead us into your heart for this blessed and beautiful world where the story is still being written.

Continue to bless places for lonely people to gather; soup lunches and warm spaces;

moves and renovations; missions and prayer gatherings; and all the ways we seek to move

from where we are to where you want us to be.

Lord, send us out. And remind us – remind me – that the story is still being written. Amen.

Prayer Corner

The prayer group at Trinity meet together to lift up the needs of our Church and around the world to God - amazing things can happen when God hears our prayers! As a Church and as Methodists one of our core values is connecting with God through prayer so, everyone is welcome to join us for an hour of fellowship and prayer on the 1st and 3rd Fridays of the month. The next opportunities will be **Friday 1 November** and **Friday 15 November**, 10am in the Prayer Room. All are welcome!

Messy Fun Church Handout

Written by Helen Bowerman



What is your favourite food? Pizza, cake, strawberries, bananas? We all have food we love to eat and also some food we are not too keen on. I'm not too keen on ginger, parsnips and carrots! But I know that some people love them. But have you ever thought where your food comes from and how many people it takes to put food on our plate?

Just think about a chocolate digestive biscuit. Farmers sow seed to produce wheat, which then has to be harvested and turned into flour. Other farmers rear cows to produce milk and butter. Cocoa beans are grown on the other side of the world



and shipped across the sea and turned into chocolate. Other make the biscuits in factories – packers put them in boxes and then drivers transport them to the shops. Shopworkers put them on shelves and the checkout staff serve us when we shop. I think we would be amazed at how many people it takes to produce and sell a packet of biscuits!

On Friday nights we often say '**Thank you**' to God before we eat. Saying thank you is important, and it reminds us that God gives us so many good things. It's easy to forget sometimes how much we have to be thankful for. It tells us in the Bible that Jesus also thanked God for the food he ate. He is the perfect example of how we should behave.

Mark 6:8 So Jesus told the crowd to sit down on the ground. **After giving thanks**, he took the seven bread loaves, broke them into pieces, and gave them to his disciples .

Thank you God for the food we eat!

