

St Mark's Matters

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19th August 2018

Ordinary 20

Lectionary Readings:

Old Testament 1 Kings 2:10-12, 3:3-14 *New Testament* Ephesians 5: 15-20

Psalm 111 *Gospel* John 6: 6:51-58

Today's flowers have been kindly donated by Mr A Nicholls.

TODAY'S SERVICE IS AT HIGH STREET MC, MAIDENHEAD

10.30 am Preacher: **Mr Arthur Baker**

6.30 pm Services at Ledgers Road and Windsor



Please consider using a Gift Aid envelope, which may be found in the church foyer, for any donation.

Sunday, 26th August – *Joint service with High Street*

10.30 am Preacher: **Revd Richard Cattley**

Steward: Mr Ian Johnson

There are no services in the circuit.

Thought for the day

Challenging God,

We thank you that two heads re better than one,

And that many hands make light work.

Together, and with you, we are a mighty force for good;

May we be your willing partners

In visiting the sick and feeding the poor;

May we share our time and talents freely and generously;

May our joint working bring help and hope to our neighbours;

May we selflessly spread the fragrance of life;

Flying outwards and upwards,

Inspired by joy.

Amen.

Ann Cooper

**PLEASE NOTE THAT MORNING WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY WILL BE A
JOINT SERVICE WITH HIGH ST METHODIST CHURCH AT ST MARK'S**

2020 ViSion

Saturday, 15th September, from 10am – Harvest Bazaar and Produce Competition

Please pick up a leaflet from the church or contact Sally Adams (07512 860708) for information on the Produce/Handicrafts Show which will include all home grown produce, floral, art and handicraft categories.

Sunday, 16th September – Harvest Lunch: At the cost of £7 Adult/£4 Child, join us for lunch after the morning service. Names to Andrea Johnson, please (01628 671186, bstc.boxoffice@gmail.com) by 19th September. Thank you.

Saturday, 22nd September, 7 for 7.30pm – Quiz Night at Woodlands Park Village Centre.
(Please watch the notice boards for further details)

Advertising: If you can put up posters advertising our events, or know of anyone or of any business who would, please speak to Isabel, 07860 237184.

There is also a need for a volunteer to take on the development and maintenance of social media activities for the church. Initially this would involve a Facebook page. Please contact Ed Filmore if you know of anyone with the skills and inclination to take this on.

Sewing - Annette Basford is happy to do any small sewing job for a donation to the 2020 Vision Project. If interested, please speak to Annette.

Other Dates

8th/9th September, 11am-5pm. The Circuit MWiB members will again have a craft stall at Slough's annual Canal Boat Festival and your support by making crafts to sell, manning the stalls or coming along and buying some products will be appreciated.

Saturday, 22nd September: There will be a workshop on Rural Ministry at Old Windsor Methodist Church commencing at 10.30 am. This will be led by Rev Ian Pruden. The workshop is open to everyone in the six circuits in the Western Area of our district and will include a bring and share lunch. All are welcome! More details will be circulated nearer the time.

Other News

OPP Families Worker, North Camp Methodist Church, Farnborough - an opportunity for a young person aged 18 – 23 to work part time (perhaps as part of a gap year) alongside families, children and youth helping to create bridges between the church and the military community. See posters or www.methodist.org.uk/oppjobs; www.northcampmethodist.co.uk;

Email: carrie@northcampmethodist.co.uk

Methodist Church Youth President – Please see poster for further details.

2018/19 Methodist Prayer Handbook: Would anyone wishing to purchase a copy please let me know by 20th August. The cost is £4.00 and a large print version is available at the same price. Thank you. Judith Ridley 0118 9619435.