



Cannock Chase Methodist Circuit



Worship for Sunday 8th August 2021

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Our Services

As always, we have prepared a Circuit Service on YouTube which will be available from 9am on Sunday 8th August. We welcome Rev'd Margaret Eales, Ian Straughan of Trinity Church, Norton Canes and Sue Hoddinott of Burntwood Methodist Church to lead our worship this morning.

You can find this video at <https://youtu.be/AJ1adwQf9Ck>

And on the YouTube Channel for Chasetown Methodist Church

If you have a Smart TV that shows YouTube just search for

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC0Oo7BQCUZ_65EZXHtvOyQA

Chasetown Methodist Church

We have some online worship services on Sunday which are mostly broadcast using Zoom

Chasetown Methodist Church is live this week at 11am (it's TGIS !!!) and will be broadcast on Zoom

Contact Carol Whitson via the church email chasetownmethodist@gmail.com or use the contact form on website www.chasetownmethodistchurch.org.uk to get the connection details.

Salem Methodist Church in Cheslyn Hay at 10.15am.

Contact Mark Timothy on mark.timothy1@virginmedia.com to get the connection details.

Handsacre Methodist Church at 4pm

Contact Andrew Jones at andrew.melody@hotmail.co.uk to get the connection details.

Watch on Catch-Up Chasetown and Handsacre services are posted on YouTube, so if you missed the service, you can still see what was said and sung.

Chasetown catch-up can be found at https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC0Oo7BQCUZ_65EZXHtvOyQA

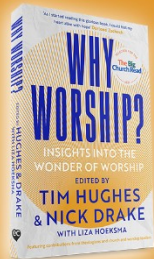
Handsacre catch-up can be found at <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCZIWX-2lycKl2FF2paXwJ1g>

Things have started up again ... And we are able to sing!!!

Opening up for services. It does seem that most of our churches are open and looking at the plan there will be a live service near you!! Your local church representatives should know where and when, but if you have any difficulty, drop me an email, mark.timothy1@virginmedia.com, and I will try and answer your question. All the live services are supplemented by our regular worship on Zoom and on the telephone which are detailed above. Remember that it is worth contacting the stewards if you would like to go as some restrictions are still in place.

Official guidance from the Methodist Church says that **from this Sunday we can sing!**

I assume that each church will accommodate everyone's preference as far as possible so if you want to attend worship, but still remain 2m away from everyone, then that should be possible. The advice here is to talk to the stewards beforehand so that your request doesn't come as a surprise. Generally, our churches are large enough that everyone who wants to, can attend worship even if we still have to wear masks while moving around ... which still seems sensible. Talk to your stewards for more information.



WHY WORSHIP?

INSIGHTS INTO THE WONDER OF WORSHIP

EDITED BY
TIM HUGHES & NICK DRAKE

Some of the worship leaders at Trinity have been reading and finding useful things in Tim Hughes and Nick Drake's book 'Why Worship?'. They felt it would be good to offer this to a wider audience by using the **study course** within it and so are hoping to run this in the Autumn **starting in the middle of September**. It runs for **12 sessions**.

Both Tim Hughes and Nick Drake are based at [Gas Street Church](#) in the centre of Birmingham and have written many hymns that will be known to you all – [Light of the World](#). This will be a great course and ideal for worship leaders and anyone who looks after worship in our churches. So if you are looking for something new and different from September come and join in.

If you would be interested in being part of this, please contact [Chris Ambler](#) on nortonminister@gmail.com or 01543 876610 to register your interest and tell us what days or times would suit you best and we will try and get the best time we can to run it.



Every Tuesday there is an online coffee morning from 10-12 which we call **Tuesday Chat**. This is simply an opportunity for folk across the circuit to chat together, share news and play around with the technology. All you have to do is follow this link and log on for a group chat. Come and have a chat about all these changes in an informal and free manner

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89707949919>. Meeting ID: 897 0794 9919

Simply on the **Rumour Mill** ... I have heard rumours of a garage sale opposite Salem Methodist Church on Saturday morning – really, really good cookies will be on sale !!! ... and Fetherstone having a mini-market. Now I cannot really confirm either of these, so if you fancied a walk on the off chance, or you could contact the stewards ... maybe?

NEW

The Methodist Church
Wolverhampton & Shrewsbury District



The Wolverhampton and Shrewsbury District of the Methodist Church - <https://www.wsmethodist.org.uk> - of which we are a part, have a weekly newsheet which tells you what is going on in the district. It is always a good read and can be found here.

<https://mailchi.mp/1afb9de8a2c7/from-the-district-office-5482425?e=5e93f934b9>

And importantly once again, if you need anything, get in touch, either through stewards, your minister or direct to me, mark.timothy1@virginmedia.com. We can probably help and if we can't, we probably know someone who can! ... and we're all always available to pray with you.

And Yet Again ... I'm a VERY light on notices this week.

I need your help!

If you have any news that you think I should circulate then let me know as it is really great to include what is happening across our circuit. mark.timothy1@virginmedia.com