



Cannock Chase Methodist Circuit



Bulletin for Sunday 7th November 2021

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Our Services

The weekly YouTube services have been stopped although we are producing one each month led by our ministerial staff. The worship for October is led by Revd Margaret Eales.

You can find this video at <https://youtu.be/vsexbphFts0>

And on the YouTube Channel for Cannock Chase Methodists

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCRi8ysE4lcE02bJLPuzKqiQ>

If you have a Smart TV that shows YouTube just search for **Cannock Chase Methodists**

We are back in our church buildings and most churches have services this weekend.

CANNOCK CLUSTER (West)			
BETHEL (M17) <i>StF</i>	11.00 6.00	Young -----	REA
CHADSMOOR (M103) <i>MP1</i>	10.30 6.00	Rothery Ambler	CA CA
FEATHERSTONE (M25) <i>StF</i>	11.00	LA	
GREAT WYRLEY (M33) <i>SofF StF</i>	11.00	LA	
MILL STREET (M8) <i>MP1 & StF</i>	11.00	Brown	
PENKRIDGE (M70) <i>MPComb & StF</i>	10.30 6.30	Culver	
St STEPHEN'S (M102) <i>MP1/PP</i>	10.30 3.00	----- Dunn	
SALEM (M67) <i>MP1 SofF & StF</i>	11.00 4.00	Ambler	
TRINITY HFD (M47) <i>Meth/URC StF</i>	10.30	Herring	
U/LANDYWOOD (M22) <i>H&P MPComb</i>	10.30 6.00	LA	

CHASE CLUSTER (East)			
BOURNE (M19) <i>MP1 & MP2 StF</i>	10.30 6.00	Trigg	US
BRERETTON (M19) <i>MP1 BBC & S2G StF</i>	10.30	Donkoh	HC
BURNTWOOD (M60) <i>MPComb StF</i>	10.00 6.00	Eales	HC
CANNOCK WOOD (M14) <i>MPComb JP StF</i>	2.30 6.00	Donkoh	
CHASE TERRACE (M14) <i>MPComb</i>	10.30 6.00	Timothy	
CHASETOWN (M57) <i>MPComb StF</i>	11.00 6.00	LA Eales (Darkness into Light)	
HANDSACRE (M23) <i>StF MP1</i>	9.30	Hoe	
St PAUL'S Meth/ URC (M70) <i>StF</i>	11.00 6.00	Glover	MHA
TRINITY N/CANES (M28) <i>MPComb StF</i>	11.00 6.00	US at Bourne	



Thank God It's Saturday

The **Cannock Chase Circuit Praise Evening** will hold their **TGIS praise evening** at **Chasetown Methodist Church** on **Saturday 13th November** from **7pm**. There will be a whole bundle of praise and worship and our own Sue Hoddinott will be speaking. This event is **very popular** and the people who go, say that it is a **brilliant night**. So if you have not been before, give it a try and arrive a little early for a chat and some fellowship ... *how we have missed out on our fellowship over the last 18 months.*



For those of you with a Musical Nature, **St Paul's Methodist Church** in **Rugeley** at are holding a **Musical Morning** on **Saturday 6th November** with a short concert **at 11am** light organ music from Alan Jones and David Henshaw. Bacon sandwiches from **10am** and proceeds being passed to MHA

Chasetown Methodist Church is holding **A Christmas Fayre** on **Saturday, 4th December** between 10.00 am-1.00 pm with lunches being served from 11:45. Sounds good to me



Rob Whitehouse, the Waste Reduction Projects Coordinator of **Garden Organic**, had invited us to a **Zoom meeting discussing Waste Reduction**, under the banner of **Waste Savvy Staffordshire**.



You are invited to attend this meeting on Tuesday, 9th November at 7:30 pm and it will last about an hour

The link for the meeting is

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86445428983?pwd=WHZqak0vQ3dtY2tIL2VwY01VbmVJdz09>

Meeting ID: 864 4542 8983

Passcode: 049090

Franziska Herring writes ... **Second Hand – New to You**

I am currently re-reading my grandfather's autobiography, and he recalls an incident from 1950, when he was a German prisoner of war in Stalingrad: One of his fellow prisoners had received a letter from his wife containing three photos of her, all in different dresses. The prison guard remarked, 'We know that sort of thing: the photographer lends you three nice dresses for the photos.' He could not conceive of the idea that a woman might own as many as three dresses! How many outfits do we possess today without even giving it a thought?

One idea to gently wean us off our addiction to possessions and still benefit the climate is the circular economy, so when you finished with an item of clothing, pass it on to somebody else, and when you want a new outfit, have a look at second-hand items. They will be new to you!

Also ... let's have a think about our churches. How could they be more ecologically friendly? ...

What about an Eco audit? Contact [Barbara Brooks](#) and she can give you some help.

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/e862d286cc8b/from-the-district-office-5502218?e=5e93f934b9>

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://zoom.us/j/89707949919?pwd=SzlvYkNWTlZydHRmNnJUZWxhOE1PQT09>



Methodist Women in Britain 2011-2021

for women, for justice, for Christ

Methodist Women in Britain have resumed their monthly gatherings on Zoom and warmly invite you to join them. Their next gathering is on Thursday morning, **18th November at 10.30**. Their speaker is Dr Janet Anderson from our Wolverhampton Circuit, who will tell about the work of Compton Care and her involvement there.

Zoom Meeting ID: **6962765153**

Password: **Easter2020**

Margaret Eales invites you to a special memorial service,
on **Sunday 7th November at 6pm**
at **Chasetown Methodist Church**

Remembering those who have passed.

Darkness
to
light

Chasetown Methodist Church
Invites you to join them in a service
of remembering those who have passed

SUNDAY 7th NOVEMBER at 6PM

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.

God Bless you all



PART TIME CIRCUIT ADMINISTRATOR VACANCY

Cannock Chase Methodist Circuit is seeking to appoint a part time Circuit Administrator

Hours	15 hours per week flexible
Pay scale	£9.50 per hour with a potential <u>9 point</u> scale above
Closing date for applications	<i>Do it now!!!</i>
Interviews	morning Saturday 6 th November 2021
Start Date	November/December 2021 by agreement

The Administrator would:

- Work with the Superintendent Minister and other members of the Circuit Leadership Team in the administration of the Circuit;
- Provide administrative support to Church and Circuit officers and colleagues;
- Order and circulate Connexional information and training materials;
- Support the Circuit Property Secretary in administering property matters;
- Provide administrative support to the Circuit Safeguarding Officer;
- Be proactive in enabling GDPR compliance across the Circuit.

To request an Application Form or discuss further details of the post please contact:

The Revd Nigel Young
Superintendent Minister

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***Still time to apply
.... but be quick!***

 <http://cannockchasemethodists.org.uk>

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