Coventry & Nuneaton METHODIST CIRCUIT

Weekly Circuit News Thursday 26th January 2023, No. 013

If you have anything you would like to be included, please send to the Circuit Office.

Lectionary Readings for 29th January 2023

1st ReadingMicah 6:1-8PsalmPsalm 152nd Reading1 Corinthians 1:18-31GospelMatthew 5:1-12

With Sadness

It is with that I am informing you of the unexpected death of David Jones, in Egypt, last week. David was long term member of Bedworth Methodist Church and well know across the Circuit.

Circuit Prayer Calendar

Please see the attached Circuit Prayer Calendar for February 2023. You can also find this on the Circuit Website

Additional Services for the Current Plan December, January and February 2023

Ash Wednesday 22nd February 2023

Central Hall 1pm Communion (Local Arrangement) Nuneaton 12 Noon Rev'd Marcus Torchon

Kenya Night

You are invited to an evening with Deacon Sue Fry on

Date: Tuesday 28th February at

Time: 7.30pm

Venue: Ryton Methodist Church, Rugby Road, Bulkington, CV12 9JR

Sue will be sharing the story of her 2022 visit to Kenya, including: the country, the work and the people Admission is free, donations are welcome.

WEEKEND VISIT TO THE CIRCUIT OF THE PRESIDENT & VICE PRESIDENT OF CONFERENCE Friday 10th March 2023

Youth Led Open Mic Worship Night

Time:7pm – 9pmVenue:Earlsdon Methodist Church, 227 Albany Road, Earlsdon, Coventry, CV5 6NFCome along to get involved and help prepare some worship for the District event the following day.Bring your own instrument, song, poem, idea or joke!Meet the President and Vice President of Conference.Pizza provided.

Saturday 11th March 2023 – please see the attached flyer

Re:Planting - Church at the Margins

Time:10am – 4pmVenue:Kenilworth Methodist Church, 60 Priory Road, Kenilworth, CV8 1LQA day of workshops with the President and Vice President of Conference exploring how to grow church in marginalplaces and spaces.Keynote Speaker: Deacon Eunice AttwoodPlease book your tickets here

Sunday 12th March 2023

Vice President Antony Boateng will be preaching 10.30am at Bedworth Methodist Church, Mill Street, Bedworth, CV12 8JZ

Following the service, at 1pm there will be an opportunity for members from all Circuit Churches to meet the Vicepresident.

Quiz Night

Date:Saturday 25th March 2023Time:Starting at 7pmVenue:Balsall Common Methodist Church, 228 Station Road, Balsall Common, Coventry, CV7 7EE

Led by the Scouts. Teams of 6, bring you own team of 6 or come and join another.

With Fish and Chip supper (or veggie option) Tickets £8.

Please book in advance and order your choice of meal Christine Welham email: <u>welham147@btinternet.com</u> Proceeds for Second Mile Project.

Rural Ministry Course

25-26th April or 17-18th Oct at King's Park, Northampton.

For lay & ordained leaders new to a rural context, entering a rural appointment for the first time, or in need of a 'rural refresher'.

Come and explore mission, evangelism & leadership with a rural lens.

We're currently offering a 50% bursary for lay or ordained Methodist participants, whilst funds last.

If further information would be useful, please contact Sarah Hulme, rural mission & ministry officer via <u>hulmes@methodistchurch.org.uk</u>