# Welcome!



# Sunday 28 July 2024

Worship in Ashbourne

10.30am Church with Choices

at Hilltop School & at home \*\* \*
led by Fiona Green, Ruth Barratt,
Peter Dawson & Tracy Dawson

Please note, today's service will only be live streamed to YouTube (see over).

Please could you remember to continue to give Fiona plenty of space during all parts of worship, to help her to access the new environment at Hilltop. Agoraphobia can make new spaces difficult & challenging. Thank you for your support.

Today we are focusing on John 6:1-21, through the theme of 'Embracing the mystery'. In the hall Ruth & Fiona will explore this theme in worship & in the sermon. In the Alternative Worship Stream Tracy & Peter will be exploring the everyday.

Worship Stream Tracy & Peter will be exploring the everyday miracles in our lives that provide evidence of God's continued work in the world. We will be recording these through art, prose & poetry so participants can have something to take home with them to remind them that God is not only Biblical but is alive here & now.

1.45pm Songs of Praise at Dove House \*

Worship around the Circuit

10.45am Worship at Brailsford All Saints

11am Worship at Kniveton with Holy Communion

led by Revd David Leese

6.30pm Chapel Anniversary at Kirk Ireton

led by Andy Cokayne

Worship at Home

The service from Ashbourne is live streamed on YouTube.

Private Prayer

Ashbourne Church & Tissington & Milldale Chapels are open daily for private prayer.

### The week ahead...

### Monday 29 July

9-11.30am Link project volunteering session \*
 2-4pm Craft & Chat in Cornerstone
 7.30pm Housegroup at Helen & Tony's

Tuesday 30 July

9.30-11am Welly Club at Green House Farm \* 9.30-11.30am Brailsford Coffee Shop in the Chapel

Wednesday 31 July

Thursday 1 August

9.30am Time for Prayer

in St Oswald's Lady Chapel \*

Friday 2 August

Saturday 3 August

9-11.30am Link project volunteering session \*

Tuesday to Saturday

8.30am-4pm Cornerstone Coffee House open

\* see reverse for more details

## Sunday 4 August 2024

10.30am Church with Choices

at Hilltop School & at home I led by Tracy Dawson, Jeff Ffoulkes,

Tim Dutton & Becky Dutton

10.30am All Age Worship at Brailsford

with Holy Communion led by Revd David Leese

2.30pm Worship at Parwich with Holy Communion

led by Revd Andy Fyall

4.30pm Afternoon Tea Service

in St Oswald's Church Hall led by Revd David Leese

### Everyone is Welcome!

Are you new to our Church or just visiting?

We are very pleased to see you.

Please make yourself known to a Steward & take this sheet home with you to learn more about our activities. To receive this notice sheet electronically,

please contact us at noticesamc@gmail.com

www.ashbournemethodist.org.uk

Find us on Facebook Ashbourne Methodist Church

Find us on Facebook Brailsford Methodist Church Currently on Sabbatical – see over

Minister: Revd Nicola Briggs

#### Ashbourne live streaming - YouTube only

We have had some technical issues with our live streaming at Hilltop, so for the next couple of weeks we will only be streaming to YouTube (& not Facebook). We are working with the school to see if we can fix the issue.

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#### Please Pray for

those who are unwell, especially Chris D. Betty D. Liz S & Anne Wa.

#### **Thanks**

David & Sue Leese would like to say a huge thank you for the cards, messages & beautiful flowers we received for our Golden Wedding.

#### Connections

The August edition of Connections is now available.

#### Link project volunteering sessions

Thank you to those who have helped so far. We will meet on Saturday 27 July & Monday 3 August as usual. It helps us plan if we have a guide as to who is joining us.

David Popham & Ian Marsh

#### Afternoon Tea Service

The next service will be at 4.30pm on Sunday 4 August in our new venue, St Oswald's Church Hall on School Lane. It will be led by Revd David Leese. Please join us if you can.

#### Welly Club - this week 'The Olympics'

For toddlers & KS1 children & their carers every Tuesday. 9.30-11am at Green House Farm, Windmill Lane, DE6 1JA (home of Coldeaton Jersey Ice Cream). Please bring a picnic blanket & don't forget your wellies! Clare 07814 192924

#### Time for Prayer

Why not join us in the beauty and peace of St Oswald's chapel on Thursday, 9.30-10.30am, where our prayers will focus this Thursday on The Link. All are welcome.

Lorraine Hawkins

#### Songs of Praise at Dove House

We look forward to the next gathering on 28 July at 1.45pm. Please remember the little team in prayer & if you would like to be part of the team please contact me. Joyce O

#### Works on Station Road

DCC have told us that they will be digging a few test pits/ trenches on Station Road. The work is likely to be completed in a few days in early August.

#### Worship in Milldale

The next service will be held in Milldale Chapel on Wednesday 7 August at 7pm & be led by Peter & Tracy Dawson.

#### Ashbourne Churches Together - Fun Day at the Park

On Saturday 10 August. This is a free event ACT are running to entertain families. Please encourage anyone you know in the community to come along. We need volunteers to help between 11am & 5pm, please speak to Lorraine Hawkins or lan Marsh if you can help, even if only for an hour during the day.

#### Ashbourne Show - Mission & Outreach

On Saturday 17 August. The Circuit will have our usual marquee to provide a welcome space, generous hospitality. time to rest, to speak & be listened to. Many hands make light work, so if you could offer an hour, or more, to lend a hand with serving drinks, chatting, setting up, clearing away, etc please speak to David Popham or myself. Thank you. Jane Baker

#### Poppies deadline

The deadline for woolly poppies in Ashbourne is the end of August. Please deliver your contributions to the leisure centre (or to Craft & Chat & we will pass them on for you). Thanks for taking part.

#### Welcome to Ashbourne Methodist Church

Have you looked at our lovely new banners in the foyer & the main hall at Hilltop? Stuart had asked Anne if she could come up with something good to go on them & even though she was going away the next day, that evening she came up with the beautiful, meaningful & very appropriate picture. which Stuart then had printed onto the banners. If you haven't looked at them closely, make sure you do that very Lorraine

Methodist Prayer Handbook 2024/2025 - Praise & Protest Last chance to order a copy of the Methodist Prayer Handbook. This resource will help you with your prayer life & the cost is about £4.25. Please contact Carole Thorpe. 346535, cethorpe@hotmail.com

#### Foodbank - update

As it is the summer holidays, we are always grateful for jellies, tins of fruit, biscuits & cream crackers, as well as the usual donations of tinned food. The foodbank is not just for those with families, but also any elderly person who is need of food. We are at the Elim Church on Monday & Wednesday mornings from 9am. We can also supply an emergency parcel of food to anyone who is facing a sudden need.

Anne P

#### Revd Nicola's Sabbatical

Revd Nicola will be on Sabbatical until Friday 30 August. Please use the following contacts during this period: For pastoral and preaching matters: Revd David Leese 01335 344198 or revdavidleese49@hotmail.com For administrative queries: Carole Thorpe 01335 346535 or circuitadmin@ashbournemethodist.org.uk or Jacqui Marsh (Circuit Steward) jacq.marsh@gmail.com or 01335 345210. General sabbatical queries: Gareth Rutledge (Circuit Steward) gareth rut@lineone.net or 01335 418519.

# Prayer for the week

Schools out: so we think of all young people who have left their school to move to a new one for secondary or sixth form education or who have left to go to college & university. May the summer holiday bring refreshment & a space to recharge for new adventures in the coming months.

#### Notices for the next Notice Sheet:

Please e-mail items to noticesamc@gmail.com, or phone David on 01335 343418 by noon on Thursday.

Thank you.

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