



Welcome!

Sunday 2 February 2025

Worship in Ashbourne

10.30am Church with Choices
at Hilltop School & at home  
led by Lorraine Hawkins, Gareth Rutledge,
Amanda Peers & Catherine Green

In the hall, Lorraine & Gareth will be leading a special service for 2nd February. Amanda & Catherine will be revealing the story through pictures in Seek & Share worship.

4.30pm Afternoon Tea Service
at St Oswald's Church Hall
led by Revd David Leese

6.30pm Mustard Youth Fellowship in Cornerstone

Worship around the Circuit

10.30am All Age Worship at Brailsford
led by Diana Whitmill

2.30pm Worship at Parwich
led by John Dyster

Private Prayer

Tissington & Milldale Chapels are open daily for private prayer.

Worship at Home

The service from Ashbourne is live streamed on Facebook & YouTube.

The week ahead...

Monday 3 February

2-4pm Craft & Chat in Cornerstone & including
a display of the 'Holocaust Memorial Day' quilt
7.30pm Housegroup at Helen & Tony's

Tuesday 4 February

9.30-11am Welly Club at Ashbourne Town Hall
9.30-11.30am Brailsford Coffee Shop in the Chapel
10am Housegroup at Chatsworth Court
2.30pm Housegroup at Susan & David's

Wednesday 5 February

12.00noon Ashbourne Churches Together Prayers *

Thursday 6 February

9.30am Time for Prayer
in St Oswald's small meeting room
7.30pm Housegroup at Sue & Jeff's

Friday 7 February

7.30pm Housegroup at Jen's

Saturday 8 February



Tuesday to Saturday

8.30am-4pm Cornerstone Coffee House open

* see reverse for more details

Sunday 9 February 2025

10.00am Muddy Church

10.30am Church with Choices
at Hilltop School & at home  
led by Tim Dutton, Cathy Stubbs
Lorraine Hawkins & Anne Payne

10.45am Worship at Brailsford All Saints

2.30pm Worship at Kniveton
led by Ruth Barratt

Everyone is Welcome!

Are you new to this 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

Prayer for the week

We give thanks and pray for the "Open the Book Team" as month by month they take Bible stories to schools in our area. We pray for the staff & young people at each school that they have open minds & hearts as they listen & watch the stories revealed in a way they will understand

Please Pray for

Please pray for all who are unwell, especially Roy AI, Chris D, Margaret & David H & Joyce W. Also prayers for Jean W whose sister died recently.

Family News

Cath & Alan Patterson are very happy to announce the arrival of their second granddaughter. Callie Rose Elizabeth Appleby was born on 24 January, daughter of Kate & Jason, & little sister to Isla.

Thank you to everyone at AMC for their prayers & best wishes.

Special birthday greetings to **Cherrie B**, who was 80 last Tuesday, She is very grateful for the beautiful flowers that were sent to her to mark the occasion.

& Birthday greetings to Rosemary W who is celebrating her 70th birthday on 7 February

Connections

The February edition is now available.

The deadline for the March edition is *next Sunday*, 9 February - thank you

Holocaust Memorial Day – 80 Candles Quilt

This is a new, collaboratively created memorial quilt representing the stories of 80 individuals affected by the Nazi regime & it will be on display at Craft & Chat in Cornerstone on Monday 10 February, 2-4pm.

Some of us were challenged by researching individual stories & creating squares for the quilt. Please come along to have a look & find out more. Open to everyone. For more information see www.everystitchastory.co.uk Clare Sales

Muddy Church

10am-12pm on Sunday 9 February. Games, crafts & challenges for children from reception to school year 6 in a field in Roston. muddychurch@ashbournemethodist.org.uk

Parwich Covenant Service

This postponed service will now be held on Sunday 2 March at 2.30pm.

Hilltop Governor

A vacancy has arisen on the governing board at Hilltop Primary Academy. We have been asked if anybody might be interested in becoming a community governor as part of our relationship with the school. Please contact *Tim Dutton* for further details.

Amendment to the Circuit Directory

Amanda & James Peers no longer have a landline telephone & can only be contacted via mobile phone.

Foodbank

We are extremely short of breakfast cereals (not porridge!), tinned corned beef, tinned stew, nappies size 5 & 6, and bottles of tomato sauce. As always this valuable resource is open to all in need, whatever age, & emergency parcels can always be collected as a one off, if in need. We are open Monday, Wednesday & Friday mornings at Elim church.

Anne Payne

Good News Booklet

A Good News stories booklet from the Nottingham & Derby District has been circulated this week to those who receive their notices by email. Please ask if you would like a copy. This was produced for the President & Vice President's recent visit to the District. Due to the short turnaround time, it only contains highlights from some of the circuits. I would very much appreciate us starting to put together Good News Stories now for the next time we receive a request – the District is hoping to receive a visit from next year's President & Vice President. Please do send me good news stories from across the Ashbourne Circuit so we have a running document, pictures gratefully received of activities where you have permission to share them. *Revd Nicola*

Church Flowers

Things are different this year & so are our flowers in church. We haven't got a list of Sunday dates, BUT if you wish to choose a date & donate towards the flowers for a special date, please see Enid, or phone or text on 07968 654285. You may wish to arrange the flowers, if not please tell me the date & colour of flowers & I will be very happy to arrange for you. As before, flowers are made into posies & go out on Monday mornings, taken by our church pastoral visitors to those who are unwell, housebound or celebrating a special occasion. Thank you, *Enid*

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.

Please be aware that anything that appears in the Notice Sheet or in Connections is publicly available (including on the internet) for anyone to read. If you do not wish that to happen but would still like subscribers to the notices to receive your information, please specify that your information is for the email only.

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The **Methodist** Church 
Ashbourne Circuit