

DETAILS OF FORTHCOMING SERVICES AND EVENTS

18 May	Woodhouse	12.15 pm	Holy Communion in the Garden
19 May	Woodhouse Handsworth	10.30 am 6.30 pm	Mrs Jenny Carpenter Local Arrangement
26 May	Handsworth	10.30 am	Mrs Alison Trezise
2 June	Woodhouse Handsworth	10.30 am 6.30 pm	Rev Debora Marschner (Holy Communion) Own Arrangements
9 June	Handsworth	10.30 am	Mr David Andrews
16 June	Woodhouse Handsworth	10.30 am 6.30 pm	Local Arrangement Local Arrangement
23 June	Handsworth	10.30 am	Rev Debora Marschner

NB: Also available to Live Stream on YouTube when the morning service is at Handsworth.

Search for 'Handsworth Woodhouse Methodist Church'

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**Grant, we pray, Almighty God,
that as we believe your only-begotten Son our Lord
Jesus Christ to have ascended into the heavens,
so we in heart and mind may also ascend
and with him continually dwell;
who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy
Spirit, one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

HANDSWORTH WOODHOUSE METHODIST CHURCH



Sunday 12 May 2024

**10.30 am – Service at Handsworth*
Local Arrangement**

**Also available to Live Stream on YouTube -
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Everyone is welcome to worship. We hope that you will enjoy sharing in worship with us and we invite you to join us on other occasions.

Weekly Diary:			
Tuesday	14 May	6.15 pm	Girls' Brigade at Handsworth
Thursday	16 May	3.30 pm	Lego Club at Woodhouse
Friday	17 May	11.30 am – 1.00 pm 6.45 pm	Lunch Club at Handsworth Boys' Brigade at Handsworth
Saturday	18 May	10.00 am – 12.00 pm 10.00 am – 12.00 pm 12.15 pm	Coffee Corner at Handsworth Coffee Morning at Woodhouse Holy Communion in the Garden at Woodhouse

LIFE, LOSS AND DEATH FESTIVAL: Taking place throughout Sheffield during May to explore why life, loss and death matter. Taking place in community centres, libraries, woods, pubs, places of worship, cemeteries, online, universities and more. Lots of interesting free events to attend – some booking may be needed beforehand. The link for more information is:

<https://www.compassionate-sheffield.co.uk/life-loss-and-death-festival>

- There will be an 'Out of the Box Story Sharing Workshop' on Wednesday 22 May from 2.30 pm – 4.30 pm at Darnall Library on Britannia Road. This will be facilitated by Kathryn Lord and is an opportunity for exploring life, loss and death through interactive multi-sensory storytelling.

FOODBANK: If you have anything to donate, there is a plastic box at the back of the church at Handsworth and at Woodhouse. If you are unable to get to church, Chris Turner would be happy to collect. Please contact him on 07742974484. All items donated should be in date. Chris says that the system is working well and he has recently collected items from Woodhouse and Handsworth. The donations are split between the foodbanks at Handsworth and Darnall. Thank you for all contributions!

HILARY'S HOUSE: Is a talking café on Handsworth Road. Please see flyers on the notice board for more details.

THE BABY BANK: A new initiative by the Woodhouse Salvation Army collecting items to be donated to families in need in the S13 area by health workers and midwives. Can you help by donating any of the following? Sheets for Moses baskets, newborn baby clothes in neutral colours (for example vests, babygrows, socks, scratch mitts), toiletries for baby and mum (newborn nappies, nappy sacks, baby wipes, top-to-toe wash, baby lotion, breast pads, sanitary pads, cotton wool), baby towels, flannel, bottles and teats, bottle brushes, muslins/bibs, toys suitable for newborn, gift for mum (for example hand cream). Or if you prefer, Gwen Chapman would be happy to accept donations in order to purchase suitable supplies.

NEW CHAIROBICS CLASS: A new class has started at Handsworth on Tuesdays, from 10.30 am to 11.30 am (£4.00 per session). Includes a hot drink. It will be led by Lucy who is a qualified fitness trainer who has run classes on our premises in the past.

A DATE FOR YOUR DIARY: Summer Barbeque/Social Evening to be held at Woodhouse on Tuesday 9 July at 6.15 pm.

SUNDAY EVENING SERVICES AT HANDSWORTH: The evening services at Handsworth will be on the following dates: 2 June (Holy Communion), 16 June, 30 June, 28 July, 11 August, 25 August and 26 September.

WOODHOUSE PRIZE BAND PRESENTS SOUNDS OF THE SUMMER: On Sunday 30 June at St James' Church, Woodhouse at 2.00 pm. Tickets cost £5.00 on the door which includes refreshments during the interval. For more information please call 0114 2451142.

HANDSWORTH CHURCH CLEANING: The next cleaning date is on Wednesday 22 May at 10.00 am.

Our prayers are asked for ALL who are sick, housebound, in community homes or hospitals, those with special needs and the people of Coalbrook Estate, John Hibbard Estate, Badger Estate, Goathland Estate, Old Cottage Close, Beaver Hill Road, Retford Road, Revill Lane, Tithe Barn Estate, Church Lane and View, St James' Church, Market Square and all local businesses. We give thanks for the community of Handsworth and this week we pray for those who live on Richmond Park Road, Close, Drive, Way, Grove, View, Avenue, Croft, Rise and Crescent, Birklands Drive, Close and Avenue.

We also pray for all those who will be doing GCSE and A level exams in the weeks to come.

If you know of any special event, anything of special interest or concern or any new item which you would like added to the greeting, please pass the information to Christine Jackson, tel: 2695263; email: cmj.rhj.42@gmail.com or Lesley Richardson, tel: 2696954 or email: lesley_richardson7@btinternet.com

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

Romans 15 v 13