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## BARROW UPON SOAR METHODIST CHURCH

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10.00 am until 2.00 pm

## NOTICES FOR SUNDAY 8 SEPTEMBER 2024

### WEEKLY DIARY

Playgroup meets every day during school term time

Sunday 8 September	10.15 am 11.00 am	Circuit Service at Trinity Methodist Church OR Barrow upon Soar Churches Together at the Millenium Park
Monday 9 September	8.45am – 4.00 pm 11.00 am 6.30 – 9.00 pm 7.30 pm	Playgroup Coffee Morning in the Welcome Coffee Bar Guides Sharing Scripture
Tuesday 10 September	8.45 am – 4.00 pm 4.30 – 7.30 pm	Playgroup Cosmic Theatre School
Wednesday 11 September	8.45am – 1.00 pm	Playgroup
Thursday 12 September	8.45 am – 4.00 pm 6.30 – 9.30 pm 7.30 pm	Playgroup BATS Bible Study
Friday 13 September	8.45 am – 4.00 pm 4.00 pm	Playgroup Barrow upon Soar Show preparation
Saturday 14 September	8.00 am – 5.00 pm 6.00 – 7.15 pm	Barrow upon Soar Show Karate

### SUNDAY WORSHIP

Sunday 15 September	4.00 pm	Harvest Festival with Rev Sandra Marshall followed by tea Steward: Soo
Sunday 22 September	10.15 am	John Pipet This service is being live streamed by the 12 <sup>th</sup> Church Steward: Tilly Coffee:
Sunday 29 September	10.15 am	Rev Michael Lees Steward: Natalie Coffee:
Sunday 6 October	10.15 am	Anne Temple Steward: Janet Coffee:
Sunday 13 October	10.15 am	Katy Brookes-Duncan Steward: Soo Coffee:
Sunday 20 October	10.15 am	Victor Poon Steward: Simon/Sandra Coffee:
Sunday 27 October	10.15 am	Rev Sandra Marshall – Holy Communion Steward: Phillip Coffee:

### NEW SUNDAY MORNING COFFEE ROTA

The new quarterly Coffee Rota is now available – please have a look in the Welcome Coffee Bar to see if you can help.

## HARVEST FESTIVAL

Our Harvest Festival service this year will be led by Rev Sandra Marshall on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> September at 4.00 pm followed by a Harvest Tea. If you intend coming to this could you please let Tilly know to help with catering or if you have any queries.

## NEW COFFEE MORNING

Tilly is starting a new Coffee Morning on Mondays from 11.00 am starting on Monday next so if you are passing why not pop in and have a tea or coffee and a chat!

## BARROW UPON SOAR SHOW

Don't forget the Village Show is on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September here at the Methodist Church. Schedules are available in the Coffee Lounge and at Taylor's Flowers so pick one up and see what you can enter. Any queries see Tilly, Janet or Natalie.

## RIDE AND STRIDE

The Annual Ride and Stride is on the same day – Peter is walking and if you could sponsor him he would be pleased to tell you all about it.

## NEW INITIATIVE

This new initiative detailed below will be talked about and discussed at the Circuit Service at Trinity Methodist Church on Sunday morning.

### **WANTED: Do you have half a day a week to spare?**

**WHY?** Part of our mission in this circuit is to get out and about in the community - We are looking for individuals or groups to help staff a new initiative.

We need anyone who is good at mending broken goods to save the environment and to be able to use these goods to save on landfill. e.g. electrical goods bikes (tyres etc). Anything that can be fixed to save the cost of replacements - A small donation for the repair will be asked but not if you cannot afford it.

If this takes off, which we hope it will do we may then venture into loaning equipment such as hedge trimmers, power washers (something that you maybe use once a year and are willing to lend out on a daily basis.

Interested please call Lynn on 01509 600620 or 07929616517

## IS THIS A MINISTRY GOD IS CALLING YOU TO?

In the Parable of the Good Samaritan, to be able to respond to the robbery victim's needs he had to be on the same road, so it is with our Street Pastors. They have a heart for this ministry, ready to respond to the needs they come across and in so doing, they demonstrate the love of Christ.

Every Street Pastor has a story to tell. They have engaged with folks on the streets: who have had too much alcohol, been involved in fights, lost contact with their friends, living as street homeless, needing some comfort and re-assurance.

Could you be a Street Pastor, making a difference on a Saturday night in Loughborough? Not sure but interested? Why not go out with a patrol as an observer and test if it is a ministry God is calling you to? Email: [loughborough@streetpastors.org.uk](mailto:loughborough@streetpastors.org.uk) or [loughborough.street.pastors@gmail.com](mailto:loughborough.street.pastors@gmail.com)



### **Is this a ministry God is calling you to?**

The amazing opportunity to demonstrate the love of Christ through the ministry of Loughborough Street Pastors. You can make a difference on the streets of our town on a Saturday night through being ...

- a Street Pastor a Prayer Pastor a Trustee

For more information about Loughborough Street Pastors

Email: [loughborough.street.pastors@gmail.com](mailto:loughborough.street.pastors@gmail.com)

using the QR code



## PRAYER FOR TODAY

Gracious God, we look to you for wisdom, often we look in the wrong places, missing the opportunity to learn of you from others. Your word, as expressed in the Bible, can be difficult to interpret in this divisive world. Show us your way through those we encounter who exude your wisdom in their love for their neighbours, and who emanate your justice from the very depths of their souls. Teach us to engage with the needs of refugees, asylum seekers and immigrants, as all are our neighbours and all are precious people to you. In Jesus' name we pray and for his sake, Amen.

David Latter, Chair of Trustees, LWPT



Please contact Andy Thorpe by 20<sup>th</sup> September to place your order for food - [andythorpe01509@gmail.com](mailto:andythorpe01509@gmail.com)

