St Helier Methodist Centre August 20th, 2023

All Ages, All Nations, All Stages of Faith WELCOME



There won't be a service at St Helier Methodist Centre this Sunday, this includes the children and youth work. Instead, you are all invited to worship at either Georgetown or Bethlehem.

Rotas for August 27th

Flowers Maureen Meet & Greet Jean

Sound Martin Vision Martin
Coffee/Tea Marcia & the Richardson family

Stewards' Duties for August 27th

Welcome Martin Vestry Ajay

Helper Ann

This Week at the Centre Summer school holidays

Fri 25th Move More Jersey 9:45–11:15

Café Open for teas and coffees

- 1) Rev Peter Goodhall, we look forward to welcoming to the Jersey Circuit the Revd Peter Goodhall and his wife Jo. Their welcoming Circuit service will be held on Thursday 31 August, 7.30pm at St Aubins when we will be able to meet them in person. Parking is available at St Brelade's College so, where possible, please carshare.
- 2) Finance Manager, we are currently looking for the services of a Finance Manager to assist the Treasurer with the maintenance of bookkeeping, financial statements and planning on a part-time basis. This role requires a qualified accountant though other professional qualifications may be considered. Closing date is for applications is 31st August 2023. If you would be interested in the role of know someone who would like to apply please contact Rhodrick, email rhodychaty@hotmail.com.

- 3) Prayers, from September you're invited to meet with others in the piano room to pray before the service on a Sunday between 10am and 10:20am. We'll be bringing before God all those who are leading the service, our congregation and the needs of our community.
- 4) Pride of Jersey Community Champion Award, Sally, Ellen and Maureen have been nominated for the Pride of Jersey Community Champion Award by a member of the community! It is great to be acknowledged for all the work they do within the community.

Their photo will be in the JEP during the next few weeks for you to vote for them, if you feel they are worthy of this wonderful award.

Thank you.

- 5) Bible Society Mary Jones Challenge Walk, being held on Monday 28th August, 26 miles through all 12 parishes, or there are 11 or 3 mile options in the afternoon. Tony, Cathy and Marcia will be leading this ecumenical fundraiser for Bible Society's work in Ukraine. If you would like to join in or even sponsor Tony, Cathy and Marcia please speak to Cathy for more information, or email cathy.morling@biblesociety.org.uk
- 6) Kairos Arts are out and about in the community. They will be present at festivals, church celebrations, concerts and monthly at 'Stitch and Natter' which is held at the Salvation Army Café. At each of these events you can find out more about their work and buy their ethical freedom products in person. Please see the notice board for dates or contact the office, office@methodistcentre.je. Their next 2 pop-ups are Saturday 9th September all day at The Kindness Festival and Tuesday 12th September 10-11:30am at the Salvation Army café.
- 7) Nursery, the children from the nursery recently took part in the 'Growing little people, plants & things' gardening

competition run by 50 things to do before you turn 5 government scheme. They are delighted to let you all know that they were one of the winners and received a selection of gardening goodies.

- 8) Circuit Meeting, new date The Circuit meeting scheduled for Thursday 14 September has been brought forward to Wednesday 13 September, 7.30pm at Bethesda. This is because the Revd David Stretton, as representative of NPNP will be addressing the meeting. Further details will be available nearer the date.
- 9) Songbirds Autumn Concert, the Songbirds and friends will be presenting a celebration for autumn at St Martin's Church on Friday 8 the September at 7:30 p.m. The church will be decorated for the harvest and the concert will be followed by coffee and cakes. There will be a retiring collection in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support and the church.
- **10) Action for Children,** a big thank you to everyone who contributed to this year's collection for Action for Children recently. We raised £450 for this worthwhile cause. Fiona Picot

This week we will remember in prayer the Sacred Heart Catholic Church, St Aubin. Canon Dominic Golding and Deacon Brendan Flaxman



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