

Great Ayton Methodist Church



Newsletter 10th February 2019

9:00am Rev Lisa Quarmbly (HC) & 10:30am Rev Lisa (HC)

Isaiah 6:1-8; Psalm 138; 1 Corinthians 15:1-11; & Luke 5:1-11

We Warmly welcome all visitors today. If you are new to the church or the village we hope you were welcomed by our Stewards on duty as you came in. If, for any reason, they missed you, please make yourself known to one of them after the service and join us for coffee and a chat in the hall. We are pleased to have you with us.

Sunday 13th Jan	10:45-11:15 Creche(0-4years) and Kings Kids(4-11yrs) 12:15 Soup Lunch in aid of The Smiles Foundation.
Monday	9:30 Keep Fit 14:30 Funeral 18:00-19:15 Brownies 18:45-21:00 Youth Club 19:30-21:00 Guides
Tuesday	10:00-12noon Prime Time 12:15 Soup Trio 15:15-16:30 J Time
Wednesday	19:00-20:30 Tai Chi
Thursday	10:00-11:30 Toddlers 13:45-14:45 Toddlers 19:00-21:30 Angrove Choir Practice.
Friday	19:00 Film Night
Sunday 17th Feb	9:00 Peter Jackson 10:30 Peter Jackson

Alterations to Church Lunch Dates

There will be **no** Church Lunch on **Sunday 17th February.**

Our last "Bring & Share" meal will take place on **Sunday 10th March**, on this day we will also be given opportunity to meet the mission team from Texas who will be spending time around the churches of our circuit from the 9th-16th March.



The **Saturday Coffee Morning** Rotas for the helpers are available for collection in the foyer.

The first coffee morning will be **9th March from 10am - 11.30am.**

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

(Formerly Women's World Day of Prayer)
A service to celebrate World Day of Prayer will be held on

Friday 1st March at 10.30am
Great Ayton Methodist church.

This year's theme is "**Come - everything ready**" is and has been compiled by the women of Slovenia. Songs, prayers, music, drama and a time of reflection are included, followed by refreshments. Everyone is welcome to come along and celebrate with people all over the world on this day.



OUR **2019** Charity

Welcome to Rob Nightingale, Regional Development Associate of **The Smile Foundation** who is speak at both morning services today.

Later there will be a soup lunch at 12:15 in the Youth hall, donations raised will go to the Smile Foundation. This will be an opportunity to meet Rob, who is willing to answer any questions.

The Smiles
FOUNDATION



Please bring your donations for Middlesbrough Food bank today. The box will be located at the top of the stairs as usual.

Thank you.



STOKESLEY SONG FEST

February 15th - 17th

To celebrate the 75th Birthday of Teesside Music Society, and the 20th Birthday of Sounds Fun Pre-School Music Classes, Stokesley Methodist Church are hosting STOKESLEY SONGFEST with LOTS OF SINGING EVENTS over 15th - 17th February (and a ceilidh with OVER THE YARDARM to kick things off on Friday night at Kirkby Village Hall ...!)

Stokesley are very excited to be hosting YVONNE LYON and APOLLO5 in concert for Saturday & Sunday evening, also excellent local musicians will be running exciting workshops through the weekend! Please pick up a programme from the foyer. This a cross-generational, community weekend event for 0 - 100 years of age. You can book your ticket by completing the form (available in the foyer) & posting it to Julia Haigh (cheques made payable to Teesside Music Society) with a SAE (63 Riversdene, Stokesley TS9 5DD).

February Spire

Only two copies are available in the vestibule, this week, but you can access the February copy of Spire at www.christchurchgreatayton.org.uk. You can also register to receive Spire regularly via e mail, by clicking on 'SPIRE the church mag' on the Christ Church website and registering. Print copies are also available at Thompsons. Please note, the price has risen to 65p.

Church Directory consent forms

We are about to print the new church directory. If you have not returned your consent form yet and would like your contact details to be included in the directory, we need you to return your form to the church office by the end of February.



The latest series of house groups has commenced, please see your group leader or the steward on duty for details.

Great Ayton Methodist Church **2018 Nominated Charity Fundraising**

During 2018 a total of **£ 3337** was raised from donations and events being held by our Church community.

The following payments have been made to these good causes:

- **Stokesley & District Community Care Association for Dementia**
£1670
- **Tees Valley Branch of Parkinson's**
UK £1667

As we enter another year and our focus moves onto our 2019 nominated charity 'The Smile Foundation', our thanks go to all the people who donated money and the volunteers who organized and helped put on events during 2018.

For further details please see the posters in the youth Hall.

Dates for the diary

Saturday 2nd March- "BBC in the Youth Hall", more details to follow.

Tuesday 12th March- 7:15pm Circuit Charity AGM & 7:30pm Circuit AGM at Great Ayton.

Friday 22nd March- Domino Drive in aid of The Smile Foundation, doors open 6.15 for 6.30pm start.

Church Office

Office hours are Monday 10:30-1:30 & Thursday 9:30-12:30.

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