Stoneleigh Methodist Church

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Sunday 25th November 2012 Morning Worship at 10.30 am with Mr. Tony Loft



Please pray

For Tony here with us this morning and Martine at Martin Way

Also for others of our congregation, engaged in God's work, who are not with us today.

Welcome to you all as we worship God together

An audio loop system operates LARGE PRINT BIBLES and HYMN BOOKS are AVAILABLE. Please ask

Thanks this morning to: Our Stewards - Catherine and Geoff
Our Welcome team Barbara, Susan and Corrinne
Music played for us by Hilda ~ Sound: Ken

Church family

Please continue to keep Pat and Colin, Joy and Arthur and Pearl in your thoughts and prayers this coming week and ask God to bless them each at their point of need.

World Aids Day - Saturday 1st December

Red ribbons will be available in the Vestibule today I know that there are many calls on our money at the moment, but please donate and, more importantly, wear your Red Ribbon to support those all over the world living with HIV/AIDS.



Saturday 1st December will be Church Cleaning Morning

Your help will be very much appreciated Please come any time between 10 - 12 noon.

Advent

"Read the News!"

Martine will lead a series of four weekly Advent sessions at Stoneleigh, beginning tomorrow on Monday 26th November at 12 Noon, Each session will start with light refreshments. (bring any additional snack as you wish). Please sign the list that will be on the Communion Rail after the Service. Booklets for these coming sessions are also on the Rail at 50p each. Please take one and give the cash to Denise or Geoff.

Whitechapel



Tony Miller MBE will be coming to take our Toy & Gift Parade Service on 11th December, so please bring in your donations for the Mission, warm clothes, blankets, sleeping bags, and toiletries. We would like to send him back with another trailer full of goods.



Christmas Coffee Morning

Saturday 8th December 10 – 12 noon

Donations are required for the Christmas, Toy & Gift stalls and the raffle. Please leave in the box in the vestibule or give to Val or Denise. Cakes etc would be welcome on the Friday evening or Saturday morning.

Help setting up would be appreciated from 7:00pm Friday evening. Denise

Flower Rota Next year's flower rota is up in the vestibule, so if you want to commemorate a special occasion, please put your name on the list. We hope that you will also choose to help week by week by purchasing flowers, that the church is happy to pay for, and simply placing them in a vase or arranging them yourself. Anyone buying flowers can simply give your bill to Louise Ramalingum to be reimbursed.





Riding Lights Theatre Company present 'Give it Back Mak'

a new Christmas play for all the family – at Christchurch with St.Philip, Worcester Park on Friday 7th December at 7 pm.

Tickets £3 from Paul Timmis 020 8337 2348

Do you feel the need to be a Street Pastor?

Please see the poster in the vestibule about the next training sessions in March 2013.

Dates for your Diary

Monday 26th November 2-4.00 pm Conquest Art in the Link Room.

<u>Monday 26th November</u> Bible Study & Discussion 8 pm in the New Room Everyone is welcome. See Helen Quaife for details.

<u>Tuesday</u> 27th <u>November 2.30 pm</u> Tuesday Fellowship in the Link Room with the Ewell Ladies Choir - all welcome

<u>Christian Care in Merton</u> are in urgent need of these items: Microwave, Washing Machine, Double duvet, 7ft x 5ft.6in.drop brown/cream curtains, Fridge freezer, Double bed base. Donated items can be collected. They also need DIY enthusiasts. See Vivienne for more information, phone numbers to call, etc.

Sunday 2nd December

First Sunday in Advent

Service of Holy Communion at 10.30 am. Rev. Dr. Martine Stemerick

News Sheet arrangements:

Items should be sent to Geoff Lawrence preferably by e-mail gdlawrence@me.com
by the 9pm deadline on Wednesday.

In any other instance contact any member of the Steward Team

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