

# Stoneleigh Methodist Church

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## Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> October 10:30 am Harvest Thanksgiving and Parade Service led by Rev. Dr. Martine Stemerick



Please pray for Martine with us and for David at Martin Way this morning. Also for all the hard working helpers and the homeless at Whitechapel Mission to which our Harvest Gifts will be donated.

Thanks this morning to: Our Stewards – Pat and Gloria

Our welcome team - Lesley and Jeananne

Music – Hilda

Sound and Projection - Tom

**Welcome to you all as we worship God together**

An audio loop system operates

LARGE PRINT BIBLES and HYMN BOOKS are available,

as is a wheelchair.

*Please ask*

**Refreshments will be served after the Service in the Link Room by the Guides**

**Auriol House Group** will meet on Monday October 13<sup>th</sup> 12:30pm at Ruth's - please bring a sandwich.

**Bible Study & fellowship** - No meeting tomorrow (Monday 13<sup>th</sup> October)

### **Informal Discussion (and possible quiz)**

Open to everyone. On Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October at 7:45pm in the Link Room discussing 'The Love Punch' which was shown at SMC on 8<sup>th</sup> October. Refreshments provided. Do join us.



**Thursday Group** Further scheduled dates to Christmas are 6<sup>th</sup> November and 4<sup>th</sup> December at 2:30pm in the New Room. All welcome.

### **Food Bank**

Please see the current list of priority items above the box in the vestibule. Thanks for all donations of goods and carrier bags received so far.

**The Nescot 'Seasons' Cafe** has reopened at St John's Church Stoneleigh. Every Friday in term time serving inexpensive snack lunches from noon to 2:00pm. Also at St John's on the first Friday of each month, in the chapel via the Church door next to the Parish Room, a **free hearing aid service** by NHS staff. Easier than visiting hospital for tests and batteries etc.



### **Knit and Natter**

Next scheduled session Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October, 10:00am to noon.

**Advent Course** 'At That Time' prepared by John Birch on four Monday lunchtimes beginning 24<sup>th</sup> November. Come between noon and 12:30pm for soup and crusty bread, followed by informal study and discussion led by Martine. Booklets will be available for a nominal contribution. Please sign one of the lists in the Church or on the Link Room corridor notice board if you plan to come to the sessions.

## **SMC & 3<sup>rd</sup> Stoneleigh Scout Group**

**Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> November noon-2:00pm**

As you can see our jumble sale is looming again and we are in need of volunteers. There will be a form available at the Church door as you leave and in the Link Room today where you can sign up for jumble duties. We are grateful for any help that you can give so please put your name down. After this morning the list will be on the notice board in the Link Room and opposite the Link Room entrance doors. *Lesley Lee.*



### **Mayor's Charity events.**

A **Barn Dance** is taking place on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> November at Ruxley Church. Music will be provided by that well known band Ouch! Tickets will include a fish and chip supper (bring your own drinks) - cost £15.00. Tickets can be booked online at [events@mayorscharitiesepsom.org.uk](mailto:events@mayorscharitiesepsom.org.uk) or phone 07983 262477, or see Lesley Lee a.s.a.p.

**The Wandle Ringers:** A Christmas Handbell Concert will be held at St Paul's Church, Howell Hill on 10<sup>th</sup> December. The evening will begin at 7:30pm with a mulled wine and mince pie reception followed by a festive evening of musical entertainment at 8:00pm. I am told that the Wandle Ringers are excellent, and so why not come along and join the fun. If enough people are interested we might think of taking the Scout Minibus. Tickets are £10.00. Booking online via the St Paul's website <http://sphh.jirtle.com/bookonline/handbells/> or give your name and payment to Lesley Lee.

### **The coming week.....**

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> October

Conquest Art - 2:30 to 4:00 pm

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> October

Tuesday Fellowship 2:30 pm - Cookery Demonstration by Kate McBain, formerly of Sainsbury's, with the event postponed from last year. Come and enjoy and bring a friend. All welcome!

### **And for your diary:**

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> October

Auriol House Group - 12:30pm

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October

Damaris Film Club - 7:45pm



**Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> October  
10:30am  
Morning Worship  
led by  
Mark Williamson**



**News Sheet arrangements:**

Items should be sent to Geoff Lawrence (gdlawrence@me.com ) by the 9:00pm deadline on Wednesday.

**Contact Stewards:**

Catherine Draper and Denise Gould 020 8393 2155

**In any other instance contact any member of the Steward Team**

Gloria Davis, Pat Petley, Geoff Lawrence,  
Val Farley, Marion & Ernie Baker