

Prayer Requests

LMC Family

Heather Murray, Joan Head, Maurice Heather, Mary Howarth, Ruth Howarth, Lynn Baker, Patricia Smith, Tracy, Charlie and Lauren, Pam Utting, Eleanor Houston, Lily Austin, Phil and Flora Nell Duke (Caroline Duke's parents) and Silmara Nantes (Selma's sister).

Friends of LMC

Paul & Janet Wickham, Brenda Fretwell, Elsie Vollmer, Becky & Barry King, Ray & Moran Farnsworth (members LMC choir), Joni from Louisiana, Marion Palmer, Linda Howarth, Brian Watts, Emily Entwistle-Oakley, Wanda Rogers, Lauren, Martin and children George, Ellie and Alexa, Gregory Hayes, Wesley Café customers and volunteers.

For LMC Local Preachers preparing for services next week:

Heather Hall, Rev Oseias da Silva & Tom Donoghue (LMC)

Bible Reading - James 2.14-24 Faith and Deeds

What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if someone claims to have faith but has no deeds? Can such faith save them? Suppose a brother or a sister is without clothes and daily food. If one of you says to them, 'Go in peace; keep warm and well fed,' but does nothing about their physical needs, what good is it? In the same way, faith by itself, if it is not accompanied by action, is dead.

But someone will say, 'You have faith; I have deeds.'

Show me your faith without deeds, and I will show you my faith by my deeds. You believe that there is one God. Good! Even the demons believe that—and shudder.

You foolish person, do you want evidence that faith without deeds is useless? Was not our father Abraham considered righteous for what he did when he offered his son Isaac on the altar? You see that his faith and his actions were working together, and his faith was made complete by what he did. And the scripture was fulfilled that says, 'Abraham believed God, and it was credited to him as righteous,' and he was called God's friend. You see that a person is considered righteous by what they do and not by faith alone.

Prayer

God, beyond all our naming, the glory of creation reaches out to you. God, beyond all our reasoning, the voice of the universe sounds your praise; God, beyond all our knowing, all that live find their destiny in your presence. Amen. Gregory of Nazianzus (329-389)

Prayers for World Methodism

Jonathan Pye, Chair (Bristol District)
Ziphozihle Siwa, Methodist Presiding Bishop (South Africa)

Prayers for the International Church

As Buddhists in Sri Lanka turn to Christ, Christians are falsely accused of converting them with offers of money, jobs, or other incentives. Christians have even been arrested for performing Christian street drama, accused of trying to convert people by unethical means. Pray that the Sri Lankan Christians will continue courageously to share the Gospel in their homeland, and that the false accusations against them may be speedily dismissed.

For Churches together in Loughton

Trinity Church

The Week

11th June 2017

Loughton
Methodist
Church 

Welcome

New friends ... we look forward to getting to know you better; please introduce yourselves after the service and fill in a Welcome Card.

LMC friends ... do introduce yourselves to people you don't know.

May the Peace of the Lord be with you all

This Sunday at LMC

9.00am	Early Morning Service with Communion led by Rev Oseias da Silva
10.15am	Prayers in the Church Hall - All are welcome to join
10.30am	Bible Month Service led by Tom Donoghue
6.30pm	Circuit Diversity Service with guest speaker—Rachael Lampard (Vice President of the Methodist Conference) Come and celebrate Forest Circuit's cultural diversity in worship, song, dance and fellowship.

June is Bible Month! During the month we will be looking at the book of James together in our 10.30 service.

Duty Church Steward: Sharon Heather for both the 9.00am and 10.30am Services and Chris Beament for the Circuit Diversity Meeting at **6.30pm**.

The flowers this week are donated by Joy Vollmer and arranged by Victoria Williamson.

Thank you to everyone who is involved in the Services today, we appreciate your time and talents to further God's Kingdom at LMC.

18th June 2017

9.00am	Early Morning Service led by Mrs Heather Hall
10.15am	Prayers in the Church Hall—All are welcome to join
10.30am	Morning Service with Communion led by Rev Oseias da Silva
4.00pm	Messy Church with Tom Donoghue

Bible verse for June

'Who is wise and understanding among you? Show by your good life that your works are done with gentleness born of wisdom.' *James 3:13*

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Mon-Thur 09.00am to 4.00pm - Fri 09.00am to 3.00pm - Sat 10.00am to 12.30pm

WEEKDAY ACTIVITIES AT LMC

Monday	12th	1.30pm 8.00pm	Butterfly Club Badminton Club
Tuesday	13th	10.00am 7.00pm 7.30pm	Toddler Church Sculpture Club Messy Church Prep (Tower Room)
Wednesday	14th	9.00am 7.00pm 8.00pm	Prayer Meeting (Worship Area) Table Tennis (Wesley Hall) Seeker's Group (16 Harwater Drive)
Thursday	15th	11.00am	Wesley Café Piano Music
Friday	16th	7.45pm	LMC Singers
Saturday	17th	3.00pm	Strawberry Tea (Wesley Café)

Bible Month During the 10:30 services Sunday 4th June – Sunday 2nd July we will be focussing on the Book of James. For those who want to dig deeper into all of the wisdom James has to offer there will be weekly Bible studies starting every Thursday in June starting on the 8th. Choose between morning study (9:30-10:30am or evening 8-9:30pm). A great opportunity for fellowship, prayer, study and reflection. For further information please speak to Jenna or Tom .

Contact Details for our Year Book 2017-2018

We are currently updating everyone's contact details. Please could you check your/your family's details in the current edition of the year book. In particular a number of addresses do not have post codes so please advise us of your full address. It would be very useful if we could have a record of your mobile number and e-mail address if you are happy to give us those details. Please e-mail the office on : administrator@loughtonmethodist.org.uk with any changes or amendments. Finally if your details are not on the list and you would like to be included- please let us know so we can include you.

Book Stall

TONY MILES, a previous minister here, has written or contributed to several books, all of them easy to read yet at the same time profound. What's more, Chris Watts is in print in two of them!! Read about three titles in the Grapevine or, better still, look on the Bookstall as soon as you can or speak to Pete Moles.

30th Celebration Photographs

To access the above photographs please go to <https://stephenpoverphotography.pixieset.com> Password: **xRSTWiH5GB** Download Pin **7151**. If you would like a photo sticker for the Order of Service please email Melodycommunications@loughtonmethodist.org.uk with name and quantity you would like. There is limited stock available in the Church Office.

The Week If you want to put an item in The Week - please get it to the church office **NO LATER** than midday Thursday each week.

BBQ

Sunday 16th July



We are holding a BBQ with live music after Oseias' last morning service, to celebrate Oseias and his family's time at LMC. We will be providing the food and drink, so donations will be gratefully received to cover the costs.

Please email Anne Spong on annespong@aol.co.uk or text on 07584 212308 to let her know numbers to assist with catering.

Messy Science Loughton Methodist Church

HOLIDAY CLUB

Tuesday 29th August to Friday 1st September

9.30am-12 noon
4-13 age group
£20 per child

Contact Tom at tom@loughtonmethodist.org.uk

Holiday Club – we need you!

Would you like to volunteer at Holiday Club? Speak to Tom tom@loughtonmethodist.org.uk for more info or complete an application form (in the Church Office).

Run with a Mission—Sunday 9th July

In the past LMC has put a team together to run the London 10K to help raise valuable funds for the Whitechapel Mission. This year Deborah Davis, Paul Davis and David Mills have agreed to run on Sunday July 9th. If you would like to run with us or would like to sponsor us please see Paul or Deborah or go to the Whitechapel Mission website —whitechapel.org.uk/events/run for more details.

Messy Church Sunday 18th June

Can you help by preparing part of the meal? In the church office are recipe's for quiche and fruit flans

Action for Children Street Collection Saturday 1st July

If anyone can spare just one hour to help with the above collection would they please Contact Trisha May or Marilyn Graves, your help would be much appreciated.

Monthly FUNDRAISER



Strawberry Tea



DATE SAT 17th JUNE 17
TIME 3PM TO 5PM
PLACE WESLEY'S CAFE @
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