

## Prayer Requests

### LMC Family

Maurice Heather, Ruth Howarth, Lynn Baker, Tracy, Charlie & Lauren Deacon, Pam Utting, Eleanor Houston, Lily Austin, Jean Fryer, Deborah Davies, Elsie Applebee, Jane Da Silva, Margaret Donoghue, Peter Wicks, Andrew King & Brian Lawrence.

### Friends of LMC

Phil and Flora Nell Duke (Caroline Duke's parents), Paul & Janet Wickham, Becky King (Angela Yeoman's niece), Marion Palmer, Linda Howarth, Brian Watts, Wanda Rogers, Lauren, Martin and children George, Ellie and Alexa, Liam O'Sullivan and family (friends of David Hobbs), Rob Mullings (friend of Megan Rambarran), Connie Eaton (Joyce Cootes' sister), Jenna & Julie Wilkins (friends of Ruth Hobbs), Terry Brandon, Jason and Claire Gray & Family (relatives of Joy Vollmer) & Pauline Knapman (Lizzie and Ted's great grandma).

### For LMC Preachers preparing for services next week:

Michael Hall (Woodford)

### Prayers for World Methodism

Jonathan Pye, Chair (Bristol District) & David Garunu, Moderator (United Church of the Solomon Islands).

### Prayers for the International Church

*Inga McKendry, Mexico, Wycliffe linguistics and translation consultant*—Recently a member of the translation team commented, "Before we revised it, it was just words on paper. But now, God's word convicts me, even as I am working on the translation." Please pray that that would be the case, not only for those working on the Mixtec language translations but also for those who hear and read the published Scripture.

### For Churches Together in Loughton

Epping Forest Community Church

### Bible Reading - Exodus 6 v6-11

"Therefore, say to the Israelites: 'I am the Lord, and I will bring you out from under the yoke of the Egyptians. I will free you from being slaves to them, and I will redeem you with an outstretched arm and with mighty acts of judgment. I will take you as my own people, and I will be your God. Then you will know that I am the Lord your God, who brought you out from under the yoke of the Egyptians. And I will bring you to the land I swore with uplifted hand to give to Abraham, to Isaac and to Jacob. I will give it to you as a possession. I am the Lord.'"

Moses reported this to the Israelites, but they did not listen to him because of their discouragement and harsh labour.

Then the Lord said to Moses, "Go, tell Pharaoh king of Egypt to let the Israelites go out of his country."

## The Week

8th July 2018

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

9.00am Early Morning Service with Communion led by Rev. Armstrong Fumme  
10.15am Prayers in the Church Hall - All are welcome to join  
10.30am Morning Service led by Chris Watts - Action for Children Celebration  
6.00pm Contemporary Evening Service with Communion led by Rev. Armstrong Fumme

Duty Church Steward: 9.00am & 10.30am Jill Geddes  
6.00pm Anne Spong

The flowers this week have been arranged by Tracy Deacon.

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

### Next Sunday 15th July

9.00am Early Morning Service led by Rev. Leslie Griffiths  
10.15am Prayers in the Church Hall - All are welcome to join  
10.30am Morning Service with Baptism led by Rev. Leslie Griffiths

### Bible verse for July

Praise be to the name of God for ever and ever; wisdom and power are his. He changes times and seasons; he deposes kings and raises up others. He gives wisdom to the wise and knowledge to the discerning. He reveals deep and hidden things; he knows what lies in darkness, and light dwells with him.

Daniel 2: 20-22

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**Mon-Thur 9.00am to 4.00pm - Fri 9.00am to 3.00pm - Sat 10.00am to 12.30pm**

## **WEEKDAY ACTIVITIES AT LMC**

Monday	9th	1.30pm 8.00pm	Butterfly Club Badminton Club (Wesley Hall)
Tuesday	10th	10.00am	Toddler Church
Wednesday	11th	9.00am 7.00pm 8.00pm	Prayer Meeting Table Tennis Club (Wesley Hall) Seekers Group at 19 Colson Road
Thursday	12th	10.30am 11.00am	Girl's Group Piano Music at Wesley Café
Friday	13th	7.45pm	LMC Singers
Saturday	14th	2.30pm	Messy Vintage

### **Thank you!**

Dear Church Family, thank you so much for coming to my final services on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> June. I will treasure your support, love, prayers, kind words and encouragement. I have arrived at Cliff College (Tues 3<sup>rd</sup>) and will be making good use of my new water bottle and reading my book on discipleship! Thank you also for the voucher.  
Love, Tom - Evangelist.

### **Announcement - Congratulations!**

On Friday 29<sup>th</sup> June, Tom proposed to Chloe on Bournemouth beach and she said **Yes!**

### **Butterfly and Toddler Clubs**

The last Butterfly Club before the summer will be on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> July and the last Toddler Church is on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> July. The clubs return on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> September. Wishing you all a lovely Summer holiday.

### **Holiday Club August 2018**

Shiver Me Timbers! It's Ship's Ahoy for Messy Pirates Holiday Club (28-31 August). Registration forms are available from Church Office or email [administrator@loughtonmethodist.org.uk](mailto:administrator@loughtonmethodist.org.uk)

### **Updated Hub Hours**

Good news! LifeWorks Hub will have longer hours throughout the week, and is now open from 12.30pm-4.00pm on a Friday. Call in to paint, draw, reflect, have a drink and enjoy some artwork by local artists.

### **Loughton Women's Interfaith Group**

This group will meet on 17<sup>th</sup> July at 7.15 for 7.30 in Life Works. An opportunity to gain an understanding of your own faith within the context of other faith groups, a time of sharing and enriching discussion. If you would like to know more speak to Pam Michaelis or Barbara Holden.

**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.

### **Messy Vintage, Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> July, 2.30pm - 5.00pm at LMC**

For those who like a gentler pace. Come join us for a time of Christ-Centred fellowship, craft, conversation and afternoon tea.

### **Note for Teens and Their Parents Re: Reach/SNYF**

Just so you are aware, SNYF will not be meeting during the months of July and August. Reach on a Sunday morning will continue to meet in July but not in August. Hope you all have a good summer. Thanks, Charlotte.

### **LMC Runners in 10k race 15 July**

David Mills and Paul Davies are running in the British 10k run in London on Sunday 15 July in aid of the Whitechapel Mission. The run is a major fundraising event for the Mission and the income makes a huge difference to providing vital services to the homeless. If you would like to sponsor them please either contact them or give via their Virgin giving page:

<https://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/fundraiser-display/showROFundraiserPage?userUrl=LMCRunners2018&isTeam=true>

### **Mid-Week Email**

If you would like to receive our weekly email with information about church news and services, please email Glynis on [administrator@loughtonmethodist.org.uk](mailto:administrator@loughtonmethodist.org.uk). You can unsubscribe from this service at any time.

### **Roots on Sunday over the Summer**

If you are interested in leading or helping to lead a Roots on Sunday session with the children during the 10.30am service during the summer holidays, please contact Victoria Williamson on [victoriajwilliamson@gmail.com](mailto:victoriajwilliamson@gmail.com) or 07858 295 384.

### **Covering Tom's Absence**

A small group have been appointed by Church Council to oversee the cover for the gaps that will be left by Tom's departure for his new job. The group is Jenna Thorne, Stephen Murray, Sharon Heather, Charlotte McKernan and Victoria Williamson. If you would like to contact this group, please speak to Jenna or email [lifeworks@loughtonmethodist.org.uk](mailto:lifeworks@loughtonmethodist.org.uk).

### **Butterfly Club**

Sarah King is currently on crutches due to a knee injury. If you are able to help set up Butterfly Club from 1pm on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> July, please contact Victoria Williamson on [victoriajwilliamson@gmail.com](mailto:victoriajwilliamson@gmail.com) or 07858 295 384.

### **Rev Armstrong Fumme**

Will be leaving us at the end of July. A card is available for you to sign from the Stewards on a Sunday and from the office during the week.

### **Teams4U Coffee and Cake Event, Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> July at 7.30 pm in the church.**

An opportunity to hear Dave Cooke, founder of the charity Teams4U, speak about his work distributing Christmas Shoeboxes in Eastern Europe. Hear how it all began and watch last year's video of the distributions in Romania and Ukraine. Come and enjoy a cup of coffee and home made cake, and ask any questions you may have. Look forward to seeing you there! For further information speak to Chris or Fiona.