

Regent Street Methodist Church



To Know God's Love and to Share it with Others
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Welcome to Our Service Today

Sunday 19 November 2017

Announcements

Introit

Call to Worship

Praise Group

Prayer (Billy Davison)

Sharing with Children

Hymn HP 133 "Father I Place Into Your Hands"

(Young People leave for Sunday School)

Offering and Dedication

Anthem

Scripture Reading "Philippians 1 v 1-8"

(Read by Anne Latimer)

Prayers for Others

Hymn 48 "Be Still and Know that I am

God"

SHARING THE WORD

Hymn HP 770 "Go Forth and Tell"

BENEDICTION



PRAYER Prayer Ministry will be available at the Prayer Corner at the back of the Church after the morning service each week (except Communion Sunday). If you would like to use our Telephone Prayer Link, contact Mary Mulligan on 9181 4486 / 07702701726 or mulliganmary727@gmail.com at any time. Please remember that any Information given will be treated with the strictest confidence.

SUNDAY 19 November Home Mission Sunday

10.45am Church Morning Worship - Rev Billy Davison
 11.00am Halls Sunday School & YP's Group
 3.00pm Scrabo Rm Kolkata Meeting
 7.00pm Epworth Rm Evening Worship - Rev Andrew Kingston
 Regent Street Trevor Spencer, John Henderson, Kerri Cunningham
 Mill Street Paula and Kirsten Robson
 Scripture Reading Anne Latimer
 Flower Rota Mr & Mrs D Cunningham
 Prayer Request Book Laura Irvine
 Coffee Rota Marta & Gordon Kennedy

MONDAY 20 November

6.30pm Halls Girls' Brigade (Explorer Section)
 7.30pm Halls Girls' Brigade (Company Section)
 8.00pm Scrabo Rm Pastoral Committee

TUESDAY 21 November

1.00pm Church Lunchtime Prayer (Holy Communion)
 6.30pm Halls Boys' Brigade
 7.30pm Scrabo Rm Human Sexuality (Week 1 of 3)

WEDNESDAY 22 November

10.00am Halls Little Ark
 7.30pm Church Choir Practice

THURSDAY 23 November

10.00am Epworth Rm Craft Class
 7.30pm Halls Bowling Club

FRIDAY 24 November

7.00pm Setting up for Christmas Fayre

SATURDAY 25 November

10.00am Halls Christmas Fayre
 7.30pm Halls Badminton Club

SUNDAY 26 November

10.45am Church Morning Worship (Kolkata Report)
 11.00am Halls Sunday School & YP's Group
 7.00pm Epworth Rm Evening Worship - Mrs Jean Kingston
 Regent Street Trevor Spencer, John Henderson, Kerri Cunningham
 Mill Street Ossie and Lorraine Bruce
 Scripture Reading Howard Ming
 Flower Rota Mr & Mrs G Bennett
 Prayer Request Book Laura Irvine
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Women Together Join us in the Living Room on Saturday 25 November at 7.30pm for coffee and fellowship. Our speaker is Mrs Melanie Douglas and our topic is "Being Blessed". Feel free to join us as we learn more about God's word and His purpose for us as His children. Look forward to seeing you there.

Overseas Missions

Thank you to all who contributed through the Overseas Mission Boxes. The total amount was £801.28.

Quayside Christmas Hamper Appeal 2017

It is that time again when we ask for your help to supply Christmas hampers for the Quayside families. This year we are asking for a monetary donation, which will be used to buy much needed items. Please give your donations to Caroleen, Laura Irvine of Margaret Cairns in the next few weeks. Thank you for your continued support.

Spud Bears Ministry We send cuddly bears and talking teddies to hospitals and orphanages in countries such as Uganda, Ghana and Ecuador to help bring comfort and God's love to children when they are most afraid. If you have any small teddies that you would like to donate please bring them to Caroleen.

Human Sexuality We will spend three Tuesday's looking at the issues raised by the Methodist Church Booklet "Sexuality, Developing Good Conversations around difficult issues".

Dr Olwyn Mark, Love for Life will join us for these three Tuesday evenings. It should be particularly relevant for young people. Dr Mark will bring us some teaching in the Church Sanctuary at 7.30pm and we will discuss around tables at 8.10pm, meeting back in the Church from 8.30-9.00pm. Conference has asked us to feed back the consensus of our discussions to the Faith and Order Committee before the end of the year.

Week 1 Tuesday 21 November 7.30-9.00pm

Sexuality: Why this? Why now? Understanding and responding to : Sexualisation of Western culture, Changing sexual mores, Pornographic culture, Impact on children and young people.

Week 2 Tuesday 28 November

Human Sexuality in Christian Perspective. Exploring a Christian sexual ethic, including: Meaning and purpose of human sexuality, Honouring God with our bodies, Homosexuality, Developing a pastoral response.

Week 3: Tuesday 5 December

Developing a vision for Christian Relationships. Telling a Better Story around: Meaning and purpose of marriage, singleness, children and the family, Christian Formation, The Mission of the Church.

Christmas Fayre



Our Christmas Fayre is being held on
Saturday 25 November
from **10.00am-12.30pm**

As in previous years we are relying on your generosity for donations of the following:

- Homemade Preserves**
- Cakes/Traybakes**
- Nearly New Items**
- Books**
- Toys**
- Vegetables**
- Crafts/Cards**
- Sports Goods**
- Toiletries**
- Christmas Gifts**
- Ladies Accessories (scarves/bags/jewellery etc)**



Any item you donate can be placed on a suitable stall.

All donations will be greatly appreciated.

Items for the Fayre may be left in the Halls on **Friday 24 November** from 2.00pm-4.00pm and from 7.30pm onwards.

Stallholders may set up tables from 7.30pm on **Friday**.

Covers are available for covering tables.

Stallholders are asked to be responsible for **disposing** of any unsold items.

CAMEO are providing the tea/coffee and would be grateful to anyone who could supply traybakes etc.

GIRLS' BRIGADE HAMPERS The Girls' Brigade would appreciate any donations of Shloer, Pringles, Shortbread etc to help with their hampers for the fayre. These can be left in the Epworth Room or given to any GB Officer on or before **Monday 20 November**.

COULD ALL STALL HOLDERS PLEASE REMAIN FOR A SHORT MEETING IN THE EPWORTH ROOM AFTER THIS MORNING'S SERVICE.