

Perry Hall Methodist Church

Growing Disciples | Building Community

Sunday 2nd February 2020 - 10.45am



Perry Hall Methodist Church seeks to be a welcoming place within the community, open to all to come and find peace, and a sense of God's love.

Who's preaching today Sunday 2nd February 2020 @ 10.45am

Adam Sanders - Birmingham Methodist District Mission Advisor

Who's preaching next week Sunday 9th February 2020 @ 10.45am

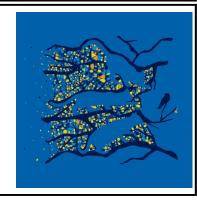
Rev'd Deborah Humphries

We pray for Adam as he leads our worship this morning, along with all those who enable our worship to take place. We also pray for Deb leading worship at Great Barr.

Thought for the day

God's values, our values 1 Corinthians 1.18-31

- Look closely at this image - what can you see?
- How does this image make you feel?
- How might trying to see things 'God's way' change your perception of others?



Who's preaching this month?

Adam Sanders

Sunday 2nd February 2020 @ 10.45am Sunday 16th February 2020 @ 10.45am Rev'd Neil Johnson

Rev'd Deborah Humphries

Sunday 9th February 2020 @ 10.45am Sunday 23rd February 2020 @ 10.45am Rev'd Nick Jones

Holy Communion

www.perryhallmethodist.org.uk

Upcoming events at Perry Hall Methodist Church ...

Tuesday Club - 2.15pm to 4pm Tuesday 4th February 2020

Word on Wednesday (2.30pm to 4pm)

5th & 19th February 2020

Coffee morning - Thursday 6th February 2020 10am to 12 noon Talk by a representative from Farm Foods

Monday Bible study - 3rd Monday in the month - 8pm to 9pm

17th February 2020 - Ruth 1-4

Pancake Party - Tuesday 25th February 2020 from 4-6pm

Service for Ash Wednesday - Wednesday 26th February 2020 @ 7.30pm

What we gave last week -

Sunday 26th January - £166.77

Monthly total of collections made by Standing Order £265.00

Methodist Housing and Homelessness Gathering

The Church at Carrs Lane - Saturday 8 February 2020 from 9.30am to 3.30pm

Workshop groups to consider political campaigning, new projects, best practice and the practicalities (offering affordable accommodation, addressing the rise in rough sleeping, working with those hidden in unsupported temporary accommodation etc.). Contact Ian Rutherford on ianr7@hotmail.co.uk to book.

The Dangerous Presidents Gig - 13th February 2020 @8pm

The Hare & Hounds, Kings Heath Admission free

Handsworth Gangshow 2020

Wednesday 19th to Saturday 22nd February 2020

Nightly @ 7.15pm plus Saturday matinee @2.15pm A3 Arena, Forest Arts Centre, Walsall WS3 1AG Admission - Wednesday to Friday £10.

Saturday Matinee £9. Saturday Evening £12.

Tickets from www.walsallarena.com or 0300 555 2898



The Real Cost of War Event - Saturday 22nd February 2020 at Bull Street Quaker Meeting House (Priory Rooms), 40 Bull Street, Birmingham B4 6AF

A day, organised by Church and Peace and Fellowship of Reconciliation, of workshops, worship and conversation exploring the impact of war today and why we need to stop future ones from happening.

The main speaker will be Maria Biedrawa, a peace deacon resident in Northern France. Based on her work in the Central African Republic and South Sudan, she will be talking about what armed conflict really means for people, and what unarmed, non-violent civilians do to face it.

To reserve your place at this free event please email: forbesbarbarae@yahoo.co.uk

relmagine Church Birmingham 2020 - Carrs Lane Church Centre

Saturday 29th February 2020 from 9:30am - 4pm £7.50 to cover lunch

Keynote Speaker: Michael Harvey 'Culture of Invitation'

Author of "Unlocking the Growth" Signup @ reimagine2020.eventbrite.co.uk

Living Lent is back!

During Lent 2020, we are once again invited as Christians to gather as a community and journey together towards radical change for the climate.

As a global community, we are facing new and significant challenges. How do we respond as Christians? We know that our lifestyles and choices mean we have played a role in damaging creation. But many of us are also desperate to change, as we hope to see creation flourish as God designed. So where do we begin?

We recognise that responding to the climate crisis is not just an activity but a lifestyle. That's why during Lent we're inviting you to take the first step by making a positive commitment towards change.

Together, we will each take on one of six challenges, and in doing so gather together as a dispersed community, to explore the difference personal lifestyle change really makes in response to a global crisis. We will share in daily e-mail reflections, digging deeper into how the Lenten season of questioning and uncertainty might enable us to grapple with the challenges before us.

Find out what's new for 2020 and sign up @ https://livinglent.org/

Green Tip

The New Year is often a good excuse for a clear out, if you're doing one, please don't forget to think about recycling or giving away those things you no longer need or want.

Birmingham City Mission's Care Centre, based in the city centre, take furniture and clothes to pass on to those in need, as well as food parcels.

You might also recycle your clothes through a charity shop, or check out Shwopping, a way that Marks and Spencer partner with Oxfam to recycle clothes in their stores (whether you have shopped in M&S or not).

Foodbank shortages - can you help?

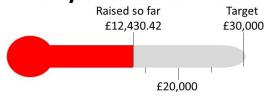
The food bank is desperately short of all items. Anything you can donate to help will be very, very much appreciated. Fruit juice, Breakfast cereals, Soup, Rice, Pasta sauce,



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Tinned meat, Tinned vegetables, Tinned fruit, Tea or coffee, Sugar, Biscuits, Snacks

Perry Hall Methodist Car Park Fund



Church events	£2,730.42
Closure of Central	
Finance Board a/c	£2,200
Circuit grant	£3,000
District grant	£3,000
Gift aid refund	£1,500
Total	£12,430.42

What happens during the week?

Day	What	Time		Contact
Monday	Rainbows Brownies Guides	5pm - 6pm 6pm - 7.30pm 7pm - 8.30pm	5 - 7 years 7 - 10 years 10 - 14 years	Maggie Jones 07505 364125
	Bible Study	8pm to 9pm	Once a month	Rev'd Deborah Humphries 0121 554 2338
Tuesday	Art Group	10am to 12 noon	Community Activity	
	Tuesday Club	2.15pm to 4pm	Friendship, games, activities & a cuppa	Olive Townend 0121 360 0225
	Weight Watchers	6.30pm to 7.30pm	Community Activity weightwatcherslocal.co.uk	0345 677 7788
Wednesday	Baby Sensory	10am to 11.00am 11.30am to 12.30pm	Community Activity birmingham-north@babysensory.co.uk	Leanne 07882 168495
	Word on Wednesday	7.30pm	Bible study and singing	Rev'd Deborah Humphries 0121 554 2338
Thursday	Coffee morning	1st Thursday of the month 10am to 12 noon	Friendship, refreshments and a varied programme	Jean Clarke 0121 358 3162
	Yoga	7.30pm to 8.30pm	Community Activity yogabilitybirming-ham@outlook.com	Laura Hastie 07478 646411
Friday	Beavers Cubs Scouts Explorer Scouts	6pm - 7.15pm 6pm - 7.30pm 7.45pm - 9.30pm 7.45pm - 9.30pm	6 - 8 years 8 - 10½ years 10½ - 14 years 14 - 18 years	Roy Smith 0121 357 6064

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