

# Perry Hall Methodist Church

**Sunday 18th February 2018 - 10.45am** 

**Growing Disciples | Building Community** 



# Who's preaching today

Sunday 18th February 2018 @ 10.45am

Rev Alison Richards - Lozells/Villa Road Methodist Churches & one of the Birmingham Circuit Superintendent Ministers

Who's preaching next week
Sunday 25th February 2018 @ 10.45am

Rev'd Deborah Humphries - Holy Communion

We pray for Alison as she leads our worship this morning along with all those who enable our worship to take place. We also pray for Deb as she leads worship at Great Barr and Pat at Dorridge Methodist Churches.

# Thought for the day -

No short cuts Mark 8.31-38

- What stories of struggle can you tell?
- When have you been up against it?
- Where was God?



## Who's preaching this month?

Sunday 4th February 2018 10.45am

Marjorie Evans

Sunday 18th February 2018 10.45am Rev'd Alison Richards

Sunday 11th February 2018 10.45am

Rev'd Deborah Humphries Parade/All age

Sunday 25th February 2018 10.45am

Rev'd Deborah Humphries Holy Communion

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# Upcoming events at Perry Hall Methodist Church .....

#### Tuesday Club

Tuesday 20th February 2018 - 2.15pm to 4pm

#### **Great Barr Churches Together Lent groups**

This year we will be following a course entitled *Steps in Discipleship*, produced by the Diocese of Lichfield

Participants will be given a free copy of the course booklet We shall meet on Wednesdays 1.30 - 3pm and 7.30 - 9pm

Date	Title	Led by	Venue
21st February	The Cross	Rev Rachel Frank	<b>Great Barr Methodist</b>
28th February	Discipleship	Rev Martin Rutter	St Margaret's
7th March	Evangelism	Rev Deborah Humphries	Perry Hall Methodist
14th March	Vocation	Rev Smitha Prasadam	St. Paul's
21st March	Community	Rev Andrew Brazier	Beacon Church

#### Good Friday walk of witness and service - Friday 30th March 2018

Meet at Holy Name at 10.15, Service at Scott Arms at 10.30

#### Mental Health Awareness - Saturday 24th February 2018 - 10am to 1pm

A short course hosted by Perry Hall Methodist Church to help your understanding of mental health & what can affect it. Course includes an introduction to mental health, a guide to supporting people who are struggling with their mental health and confidence in signposting people to helpful services. To book Tele: 0121 616 1800 Run by: Carol Wilson (Head of Spiritual Care for Bham & Solihull Mental Health NHS Foundation Trust)

Coffee morning - Thursday 1st March 2018 10am to 12 noon

Monday Night Bible Study - The story of Joseph

5<sup>th</sup> March 2018 - Genesis 39-41 16<sup>th</sup> April 2018 - Genesis 42

# What we gave last week -

Sunday 11th February 2018 - £184.50

Monthly total of collections made by Standing Order £405.00

# Handsworth Gangshow 2018 - Tuesday 20th to Saturday 24th February @ 7.15pm Saturday Matinee @ 2.30pm

Crescent Theatre, Sheepcote Street, Brindleyplace Birmingham B16 8AE Tickets are available from the 'Gang Show Box Office' email:

boxofficehgs@gmail.com or telephone 01543 480668. Book now! www.handsworthgangshow.org.uk

### Jesus Christ Superstar presented by SMASH at Solihull Methodist Church

Wednesday 21st - Friday 23rd March at 7:30pm & Saturday 24th at 2:00pm & 7:00pm SMASH online box office at www.solihull-smash.org.uk or telephone 07506 206892 Loosely based on the Gospels of Matthew, Mark, Luke & John, 'Jesus Christ Superstar' follows the last week of Jesus Christ's life as seen through the eyes of Judas Iscariot



#### Guided Retreat in Daily Life - Wednesday 25 April to Wednesday 13 June

You are invited to take part in an Ignatian individually guided retreat in daily life. What does the Retreat in Daily Life involve?

Daily private prayer: The heart of the retreat is private individual prayer. You are invited to make a commitment to pray privately, daily, over the six weeks, for whatever period you can manage each day, but we recommend 30 minutes a day.

Weekly individual meeting with your prayer guide: Once a week, you will meet in private with your allocated prayer guide for about 30 minutes, at a time and place that works for you. It can be at your home or the prayer guide's home, or some other mutually convenient and acceptable place. You sort this out with your prayer guide at the beginning.

**Group meetings to begin and end the retreat:** Although this is not a group retreat or prayer group, there is a sense in which everyone making the retreat is journeying together. MANRESA LINK

See the poster in church for more details.

#### Palm Sunday Farm Trip - Sunday 25th March from 1:30-3:30pm

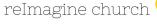
Southfields Farm will be hosting a farm trip which all are welcome to attend. This will include an interactive Palm Sunday story with singing and donkeys, tractor rides, free time play with the animals at the farm & cream teas.

Bring your own picnic lunch A coach will pick up from Perry Hall at 1pm for those that wish to attend. Coach cost £1 per person.

## Reimagine Church Conference 2018 - Saturday 10th March 2018 Carrs Lane Conference Centre - 9.30am to 4.00pm

With more than 200 people already registered, this event promises to be a powerful experience for anyone interested in engaging new people in mission in the 21st century. Gather with diverse Christians to engage conversations around leadership, mission, inclusive evangelism, church growth, and innovation. Keynote address by Anji Barker, social entrepreneur, community builder, school chaplain, and pioneer in Birmingham.

To book: email office@birminghammethodist.org.uk or ring 0121 449 0131



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# What happens during the week?

Day	What	Time		Contact
Monday	Badminton	7.30pm	Community Activity	Andrewguest48 @hotmail.com
	Rainbows Brownies Guides	5pm - 6pm 6pm - 7.30pm 7.00pm - 8.30pm	5 - 7 years 7 - 10 years 10 - 14 years	Maggie Jones 07853 137555
	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	6pm to 8pm	Community Activity weightwatcherslocal.co.uk	0345 677 7788
Wednesday	Word on Wednesday	7.30pm	Bible study and singing	John Townend 0121 360 0225
Thursday	Coffee morning	1st Thursday of the month 10am to 12 noon	Friendship, refreshments and a varied programme	Jean Clarke 0121 358 3162
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
Sunday	Prayer Group	4th Sunday of month @ 10.15am	Gather around the prayer table	All welcome