

### Perry Hall Methodist Church

Sunday 22nd April 2018 - 10.45am

**Growing Disciples | Building Community** 



Who's preaching today
Sunday 22nd April 2018 @ 10.45am

Rev'd Deborah Humphries - Holy Communion

Who's preaching next week Sunday 29th April 2018 @ 10.45am

Helen Pollard

We pray for Deb as she leads our worship this morning, along with all those who enable our worship to take place. We also pray for Janice who is leading worship at Perry Barr this morning.

### Thought for the day

Enfolded in God's love Psalm 23; John 10.11-18

- What is the role of the shepherd?
- How do you enfold others in God's love?
- How does our resurrection community offer protection and service?



Tonight - Local Preachers Commissioning and Easter Offering Service Sunday 22nd April at Shirley Methodist Church from 6.30pm - 8:00pm This annual service is a combination of two significant events in the life of our 37 churches.

The commissioning of new Local Preachers, who are now qualified to preach in our circuit and within the wider Methodist Church, and the time we all come together to bring the financial offerings gathered at our Easter services.



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# 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.

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

#### **Tuesday Club**

Tuesday 24th April 2018 - 2.15pm to 4pm

Word on Wednesday @ 7.30pm - Studying the book of Revelation Wednesday 2nd May, Wednesday 16th May & Wednesday 30th May

Coffee morning - Thursday 3rd May 2018 10am to 12 noon

Year 7+ Young Church led by Pat Rowley - Sunday 6th May

Sunday morning group for our young people in school years 7+.

#### **Monday Night Bible Study**

Monday 21st May

The story of Joseph

Genesis 43,44

Monday 4th June

The story of Joseph

Genesis 45:1-46:7

Monday 16th July

Moses and the Exodus

Exodus 1,2

### What we gave last week -

Sunday 15th April 2018 - £204.80

Monthly total of collections made by Standing Order £405.00

#### The Great Barr Foodbank is currently short of the following items

Long life milk and fruit juice, small jars of coffee and instant mash

## Ping Ting Chen & Farai Mapamula Ordinations Sunday 1st July 2018 at 4pm at The Chapel, Repton School

Ping Ting Chen and Farai Mapamula, the two probationer ministers in the Birmingham Methodist Circuit, will both be ordained at the Chapel, Repton School on the afternoon of Sunday 1st July. The circuit are arranging coaches from the circuit at a cost of £15 per person. Everyone who attends will need a ticket. These are free but there is limited availability. The circuit have some tickets or people can order them on line via the <a href="https://www.Methodist.org.uk">www.Methodist.org.uk</a> website.

Please let Colin know by 29th April if you would like to go.

# 'Beyond The Dream' - Tuesday 24th April at Highgate Baptist Church, Birmingham from 9.30am -5:00pm

This one day conference brings together scholars and activists, fans and critics of Martin Luther King Jr, to mark the 50th anniversary of the death of one of the greatest humanitarians of the 20th century. For further information contact:

Revd Kumar Rajagopalan - siva kumar.t21@btinternet.com

#### Thy Kingdom Come #Pledge2Pray - 10-20 May 2018

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Thy Kingdom Come is a global prayer movement and the Methodist Church is a major partner in this initiative. It invites all Christians to pray between Ascension and Pentecost for more people to know Jesus. The Archbishop of Canterbury, the Most Revd Justin Welby, and the Secretary of the Methodist Conference, the Revd Canon Gareth J Powell, are inviting people around the world to join with this campaign. View their conversation here: https://perryhallmethodist.contentfiles.net/media/

#### Message from Rev'd Ian Howarth Chair of Birmingham Methodist District

#togetherinmission week starts this weekend, and I want to thank all churches that have put so much work into it. I will be praying for you.

(Our Together in Mission event will be a Community Fun Day on Saturday 9th June)
I also ask you to pray for me and the five other members of the District who spending #togetherinmission week in Zimbabwe, visiting Kadoma district as we form our District link with them.

I hope to be posting regular updates on the District Facebook page and Twitter #zimbabwelink and look forward to seeing what you post about what is happening in the district from the other side of the equator.

It is wonderful to be sharing in God's mission in such diverse ways across the District.

#### **Methodist Hymns and Songs Research**

A masters student at Durham University is looking for people to complete a survey about how "Methodist traditional hymns and worship songs are experienced and perceived by 21st century Methodists".

If you would like to help download a form here:

https://perryhallmethodist.contentfiles.net/media/assets/file/Survey-questions.docx Once complete email it to Veronica de Freitas at veronica.freitas@dur.ac.uk

## Doing Theology in a Strange Land - Friday 27th April 10.30am to 4pm Queens Foundation, Somerset Road, Birmingham B15 2QH

Cost £15

Insights from Dalit Theology into Caste Discrimination in India & Britain Speakers Rev'd Dr Vincent Manoharan & Rev'd Dr Israel Selvanayagam

**Dangerous Presidents' Gig** (featuring John Emery from Great Barr Methodist) Tuesday May 1st @ 8.45pm - Hare and Hounds, King's Heath

## Everyday Faith Sharing (Authentic Evangelism) - Saturday 12th May, 10am to 1pm Acocks Green Methodist Church

All are welcome to join Rev'd Andrew Roberts, Rev'd Deborah Humphries and Tom Milton for a morning exploring authentic faith sharing. Why do we share our faith? Who with and how should we do it?

To book, email Deb at deborah.humphries@methodist.org.uk

#### Contact us

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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 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	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