



Perry Hall Methodist Church

Growing Disciples | Building Community

Sunday 24th November 2019 - 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 24th November 2019 @ 10.45am

Rev'd Deborah Humphries

Holy communion & commissioning of pastoral visitors

Who's preaching next week

Sunday 1st December 2019 @ 10.45am - 1st Sunday in Advent

Rev'd Donald Ker

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 Pat leading worship at Great Barr.

Thought for the day - Our Calling

The calling of the Methodist Church is to respond to the gospel of God's love in Christ and to live out its discipleship in worship and mission.

The four areas we seek to work out that calling are: Worship, Learning and Caring, Evangelism, and Service.

- In which of these four areas do you find it easy to work out your calling?
- Which areas are more challenging for you?
- Pray for guidance as to how you can better work out your discipleship through worship, learning and caring, service and evangelism



Who's preaching next month?

Sunday 1st December 10.45am

Rev'd Donald Ker

Sunday 8th December 10.45am

Rev'd Deborah Humphries

Café style toy service

Sunday 15th December 10.45am

Rev'd Karen Webber

Sunday 22nd December 10.45am

Rev'd Deborah Humphries

Junior Church carol service

Sunday 29th December 10.45am

Own arrangement

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Upcoming events at Perry Hall Methodist Church ..

Today - Sunday 24th November - special service to commission our pastoral visitors

Tuesday Club - Tuesday 26th November 2019 - 2.15pm to 4pm

Word on Wednesday

Now the clocks have gone back – new time for Word on Wednesday

27th November 2.30 - 4pm

11th December 2.30 - 4pm

Saturday 30th November - 11am to 2pm - Packing & delivery of angels

Coffee morning - Thursday 5th December 2019 10am to 12 noon

Saturday 7th December - 2 to 4pm - Angel Festival (see article opposite)

Church Council meeting - Monday 9th December at 7.30pm

Monday Night Bible Study for the Autumn term - Looking at the Book of Judges

This will now be a regular slot of the 3rd Monday in the month - 8pm to 9pm

16th December Judges 13-16

What we gave last week -

Sunday 17th November - £143.30

Monthly total of collections made by Standing Order £265.00

3Generate 2019

Please pray for the young people & leaders from our circuit at 3Generate this weekend. Pray for growth in their faith, for fruitful conversations and new friendships formed as they join together with hundreds of other young people. Pray for a safe journey there and back with good weather. The young people attending from Perry Hall with Colin are Alex, Ben, Keon, JJ & Christian.

Commissioning of Pastoral Visitors

Today's service includes the commissioning of our pastoral visitors. This annual service recognises the vital work that pastoral visitors do on our behalf and invites us to pray for them. After the service we will be serving cake as we celebrate our pastoral care system. It is hoped that as many as are able will stay to share in fellowship together.

Perry Barr Travel Survey and Railway Station Consultation Drop In Session

One Stop Shopping Centre on **Tuesday 26th November** from 10am - 5pm or online survey @ www.networkwm.com/PerryBarr Have your say on what journeys you make.

Purple Mission & Ministry Team Gathering

Sunday 1st December from 12.30pm at Lozells Methodist church

Bring and Share Lunch. Come and meet together. Discussion on worship and mission and a possible Youth and Children's Worker for the team.

How do we work better together? Followed by worship together & a cup of tea @3pm

Inclusive Community Carols - Sunday 1st December 4pm-5.45pm

An afternoon of Inclusive Community Carols organised by New Inclusive Church at The Old Library, Gibb Street, Digbeth, B9 4AA. There will be cakes, storytelling and singing led by Eeek, a Birmingham all-female, acoustic soul band.

Ecumenical Carol Service at St Mary's Church Handsworth

Friday 6th December at 7.30pm. All welcome. Refreshments afterwards.

Angel Festival - Saturday 7th December from 2pm - 4pm

Come and see the angel pictures and displays
Join us in various angel craft activities
Decorate shortbread angels
Visit our angel prayer stations for quiet prayer
Free refreshments available - including angel cakes!!



Toy / Gift service - Sunday 8th December @10.45am

This year we will again be collecting gifts for women and children at Birmingham Crisis Centre. The women's refuge have advised that small toys are helpful due to the size of the accommodation. The children particularly enjoy construction toys such as Lego, craft activities and 'fiddle' toys. If you would like to bring a gift for the women they have plenty of toiletries but would appreciate gifts of chocolate.

Journey of the Magi at The Church at Carrs Lane - A Spectacular Christmas Treat Saturday 21st December 2019 @ 3.00pm

Springs Dance Company returns with this popular Christmas production. Journey of the Magi is a sparkling production of dance, theatre, song and poetry. It is a family show: accessible to all, fun for the younger ones, thought provoking for the adults – and will encourage those unaccustomed to dance to come along. A warm, easily-relatable story told through the wonderful performances of outstanding dancers. Tickets: Adult (17+) : £10 Child (up to 16) : £5 Family (2 adults +2 children) : £25

Rotary Shoebox Scheme 2019

Thank you to all who donated over the year. A total of 50 boxes have been sent.



Green Tip

Councils say that shredded paper cannot be recycled because shredding leaves the paper fibres too short. It has to go in the general waste (black) bins. So only shred when really necessary.

It is still best to stuff paper that is shredded into a bag of some kind so that the strips don't fly away in the wind when the bins are lifted and emptied, but the bags don't have to be paper. If you have a compost bin, you always compost your shredded paper.

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,

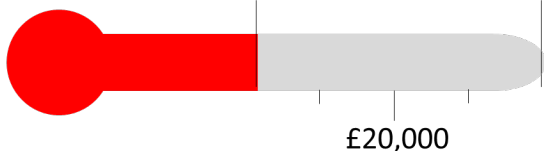
Tinned meat, Tinned vegetables, Tinned fruit, Tea or coffee, Sugar, Biscuits, Snacks



Perry Hall Methodist Car Park Fund

Raised so far
£10,123.63

Target
£30,000



Church events £2,623.63
Circuit grant £3,000
District grant £3,000
Gift aid refund £1,500
Total £10,123.63

What happens during the week?

Day	What	Time		Contact
Monday	Rainbows	5pm - 6pm	5 - 7 years	Maggie Jones 07505 364125
	Brownies	6pm - 7.30pm	7 - 10 years	
	Guides	7pm - 8.30pm	10 - 14 years	
	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
	Beavers	6pm - 7.15pm	6 - 8 years	Roy Smith 0121 357 6064
Cubs	6pm - 7.30pm	8 - 10½ years		
Scouts	7.45pm - 9.30pm	10½ - 14 years		
Friday	Explorer Scouts	7.45pm - 9.30pm	14 - 18 years	

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