

### **PLEASE HOLD IN PRAYER:**



**From the Connexional Prayer Handbook:** The Methodist Church in Israel and Palestine Mission Partner: Angleena Keizer.

The Isle of Man District. Chair of District: Rev'd Janet Corlett.

**From the District Prayer Handbook:** The Stamford Circuit.

Superintendent Minister: Rev'd Andy Fyall.

**From our Circuit Preaching Plan:** The President & Vice-President of Conference.

Brenda Smith; Pat & Dennis Flynn; Cyril Colbert and the family of Dorothy.  
Heather Stafford & family. John Judge. Maz Roberts. Kate & Maurice Ellery.  
The housebound. the bereaved. Afghanistan. The crisis and human cost of  
migrancy by those seeking a safe home and better life.  
World Governments during this time of turmoil. Ukraine.  
Those struggling with the increased cost of living.

### **ONLINE WORSHIP**

'Worship from home' – 10.30am Sundays. Evening Prayer – 7pm each evening – online at <https://stamfordmethodistchurch.online.church> Services stay on YouTube so you can watch them later. Search YouTube for STAMFORD METHODIST CHURCH AND CIRCUIT plus the date of the service you wish to watch.

**MUSIC EXAMS.** We are still looking for someone to replace Gill Moore as Music Exam coordinator. If you think this could be you, please speak to Gill or to Roger Ing. Thank you.

**NOTICES.** I still urgently need someone to help with producing the church notices. Please come and talk to me about what is involved, or ring me on 01778 590040 if you feel you could help. Thank you. Margaret Hewerdine.

### **THE WELL, OUR CHURCH COFFEE SHOP,**

Is a great place to meet friends for refreshments.  
The prices are very reasonable and every penny goes to our church's chosen charities.

**We are open between 10am and 2pm on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.**

We offer you a warm welcome and look forward to seeing you.



Please send any information for the **monthly notice sheet for June** to Margaret Hewerdine ([marghew15@outlook.com](mailto:marghew15@outlook.com)) by **Wednesday May 25th**

### **Staff availability and contact details:**

Rev. Andy Fyall: 01780 762282 Rest day – Monday (daytime) Thursday (evening) – currently on sabbatical leave. Rev. William Booker: 01778 380195 Day off – Friday.  
Rowan Scholtz, Circuit Administrator: [admin2322@gmail.com](mailto:admin2322@gmail.com) 01780 481395

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
## STAMFORD METHODIST CHURCH

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### **SUNDAY MAY 15th & 22nd 2022**

10.30am Morning Worship  
led by Rev'd William Booker, *Circuit Minister.*

*Activities for children of all ages.*

10.30am Online Worship led by Tony Law, *Local Preacher.*

*Bring your friends and neighbours to worship – you'll be glad you did.*

*The flowers this week are in memory of Hazel Nichols.*



We extend a very warm welcome to all who worship with us and invite you to join us for tea or coffee after the morning service, whilst maintaining social distancing. If you are new to the church, do make yourself known to the Stewards or Welcomers.

**Please help to minimise the risk of infection for yourself and others by continuing to observe HANDS, FACE, SPACE,**

**Please continue to wear a mask inside the church unless medically exempt.**

### This week's events

**Monday 16th** 10.00-11.30am Prison Fellowship in the Prayer Chapel.

**Tuesday 17th** 6.00-7.15pm Girls' Brigade & JCBs.

2.30pm Afternoon Housegroup meet in the Prayer Chapel for Bible Study, prayers and fellowship. All welcome.

7.00pm Evening Prayers led (until Mon. 23rd) by Phil Jones, *Circuit Mission Enabler*.

**Wednesday 18th** 10.00-11.30am Twinkletots.

2.00pm Wednesday Fellowship: Rev'd Bekkie Wright.

**Thursday 19th** 12 noon Zoom Prayer for church growth and renewal. *(For details of the Zoom link please contact Rev'd William Booker)*

1.00pm Funeral Service for the late Dorothy Colbert at Peterborough Crematorium followed by tea in The Well for family and friends.

The Well will close at 11.30am today to enable Well volunteers to attend Dorothy's funeral.

**NO SERVICE HERE ON MAY 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**CIRCUIT SERVICE AT 10.30am IN THE BARN AT NORMANTON.**

*Please see flyers for full information about the Circuit Barn Weekend – and come along to enjoy all the activities on Saturday and Sunday.*

### Next week's events

**Monday 23rd** 7.00pm Church Prayer Meeting in The Well.

**Tuesday 24th** 6.00-7.15pm Girls' Brigade & JCBs.

7.00pm Evening Prayers led (until June 3rd) by Julia Husbands, *Circuit Children, Family and Youth Enabler*

**Wednesday 25th** 10.00-11.30am Twinkletots.

2.00pm Wednesday Fellowship: Queen's Jubilee Tea with entertainment.

**Thursday 26th** 12 noon Zoom Prayers for church growth and renewal.

### THY KINGDOM COME – STAMFORD METHODIST CHURCH

A space for Reflection and Prayer.

Thursday May 26th – Sunday 5th June

Come and spend some quiet time to think about what God's Kingdom might look like for you and the world today.

We are asking for volunteers to help steward this event, paired with someone else, ideally for up to 2 hours at a time. If you feel able to offer some time to help please contact any of the following as soon as possible:

Rev. William Booker 01778 380195 [✉ williambooker10@gmail.com](mailto:williambooker10@gmail.com)

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**CALLING ALL GARDENERS**: Please - are you able and willing to lend a potted plant to help create a 'garden' for 'Thy Kingdom Come' prayer space? If so, will you please deliver to church on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> June and collect on the morning of Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June. Please make sure that your plant is labelled with your name and any watering requirements. For more details please see Beryl Teasdale, Maureen Jones or Audrey Hensman. Thank you.



### **CHRIS BOWATER (WORSHIP LEADER)** **AT STAMFORD METHODIST CHURCH** **SATURDAY 9TH JULY AT 7:00**



Barn Hill are pleased to announce the 2<sup>nd</sup> of their worship concerts (the last featuring Graham Kendrick) - this year with acclaimed worship leader Chris Bowater. Entrance is free but tickets are available from the Well Coffee Shop at Stamford or by emailing Phil direct - details on the poster.

*Chris Bowater Bio*

*Many consider Christian songwriter and worship leader, Chris Bowater, to be a Father of the modern worship movement. Coming to prominence in the renewal movement of the late '70's and early 1980s, his songs include "Reign in me," "Here I am Wholly Available," "Jesus shall take the highest honour," "Holy Spirit we welcome You", "Lamb of God" and "Faithful God". His songs have been translated into many languages and used in churches all over the world. He has regularly led worship at major events including Spring Harvest, Faith Bible Week, and Grapevine Celebrations. His ministry has impacted many nations. He has trained and mentored generations of worship leaders. He is the co-founder of Worship Academy International and was Senior Pastor of New Life Church Ministries in Sleaford, Lincolnshire, UK.*

### **STAMFORD CONCERT SINGERS – 'THAT'S ENTERTAINMENT'**

In concert at Stamford Methodist Church

On Saturday May 21<sup>st</sup> at 7.30pm

Tickets £10, children £5 from the church or Stamford Arts Centre.

*All proceeds to Mission Projects & Stamford Concert Singers.*



### **A SPECIAL EVENING**

Everyone is invited to make a note of the date: **Saturday 23rd July.**

It will be a special evening with Andy, Helen, Hannah and Matthew to celebrate the 13 years they have spent with us here in Stamford.

The evening will start at 6pm with a meal, followed by some entertainment.

We shall be looking for volunteers to help with the preparation and cooking of the meal, clearing up afterwards (!) and entertaining us during the latter part of the evening.

Much more information will be available on all of this in the next few weeks,

**SO PUT THE DATE IN YOUR DIARY!**