



Ainsdale Methodist Church

Weekly Notices

Sunday Worship

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6th November 2022

9am Circuit Service at PPW

10.45am Service led by Rev Patrick Evans - Memorial Service/Communion

13th November - 10.45am Service - CTiA led by Father Tony Slingo

Mission Statement

To share locally and globally in the whole Church's purpose of the worship of God and the care of people.

Lectionary Readings 6th November 2022

Job 19:23-27a, Psalm 17:1-9, 2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17, Luke 20:27-38

Prayer

Eternal God, in whose perfect realm no sword is drawn but the sword of justice, and no strength known but the strength of love: guide and inspire all who seek your kingdom, that peoples and nations may find their security in the love which casts out fear; through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen.



Flowers

Our flowers this week have been kindly donated by Jan & Pete Holmes in memory of their parents Joan & Jim Dunwoody and Lil & Bill Holmes.



Mid-week Prayers

Wednesdays at 10am. All welcome.



Church Notices

If you have any items you want including in the notices for the next week, please let Lucy Lloyd know by Tuesday on 01704 536648 or lucy@southportmethodist.org.uk.

The Shack

The film of the book 'The shack' will be shown in the church lounge on Monday 14th November starting at 6.15pm. After the film a discussion about the story will take place during which tea/coffee will be served.



Octave Choir
Our next concert
in Ainsdale Methodist
Church
Friday 11th November
2022
7.30pm
'Songs for
Remembrance'
Community songs from
the wars
(A Jolly good singalong!)
Tributes to our heroes
Donations appreciated



Welcome to

Ainsdale Lunch and Leisure

Starting Friday 11th November

SINGING FOR ALL

Including:

learning both new and familiar songs, breathing for song and wellbeing, exploring musical ideas.



Session times: Fridays 12:45 – 1:45pm

Members: £2.50 / Visitors: £3.00

A playful but purposeful journey into music through song: discover your voice, learn new skills, improve your wellbeing, make new friends and have fun!



Any enquiries please contact the office: 01704 574838

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Ainsdale Methodist Church

(The Church on the Green)

Supported by Ainsdale Lunch & Leisure

Welcome Lounge

Every Monday commencing 14th November

**Free
Tea &
Coffee**



**Free
WiFi**

**Our coffee lounge will be open for anyone to come in
between 10am and 2pm and share the warm space**

Have a chat, read or play board games

**Free toast and a bowl of soup
at lunchtime**



Dear Friends

Last Sunday we received an extra hour as the clocks went back. What did you do with your extra hour? To be honest I haven't a clue, it just seemed to evaporate. Some such hours get lost in melee of the day, whilst other hours are precious beyond measure, such as the last hour spent with a loved one. An hour never to be forgotten, with a heartfelt wish that we could have just one more hour.

The turning of the clocks back coincides with festivals of Halloween, All Saints and All Souls. Our services this Sunday may well focus on remembering those who have gone before us, who have died and are in God's eternal care. We celebrate what we have received from our loved ones, the witness they have given to us in helping to point us to the light and love of Jesus; a light that shines eternal, a love that is everlasting.

A Prayer for All Souls

God of all creation – who cannot be contained by our boundaries or our definitions – light from beyond the galaxies, sea without a farther shore; you are present in every distinct place, in every moment in history. You are here and now. Help us to understand that those from whom we are separated in life by distance, by sea and land; those from whom we are separated by difference, by prejudice, by language, by lack of communication; and that those from whom we are separated in death, by its long silence, its aching absence – are each of them in your presence; that beyond our horizons, beyond our boundaries, beyond our understanding, they are in your embrace. AMEN

God bless

Patrick

