

This Week *18th - 23rd September*

Monday	10.00 - 11.15 am	Parents and Toddlers
	7.00 - 8.00 pm	Spanish for Beginners
	7.00 - 8.00 pm	Prayer for Alpha
Tuesday	10.00 - 11.15 am	Parents and Toddlers
	10.00 - 12.00 pm	House Group at 37 St George Road
	7.30 pm	Wesley Guild - Communion Service
Wednesday	10.00 - 11.15 am	Parents and Toddlers
	10.30 - 12 pm	Singing for Fun
	2.45 pm	Women's Fellowship - Holy Communion
	7.30 pm	House Group
Thursday	9.30 am	Bible Study in Youth Room
	11.45 - 12.20 pm	Mid Week Worship
	12.30 pm	Lunch Club
Friday	10.00 - 11.15 am	Parents and Toddlers
	10.30 - 11.30 am	Food Co-op

The Beacon Coffee Shop
Open Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday
10.00 am - 2.00 pm

All activities at Albion Square unless otherwise stated

Worship Sunday 24th September 2017

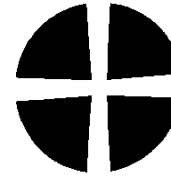
9.00 am Rev Andrew Webster
10.30 am Rev Paula Parish - Foley

Welcomers

9.00 am Bronwen & Michael Bale
10.30 am Pauline Davies & Cheryl Merrony

Chepstow Methodist Church

Albion Square

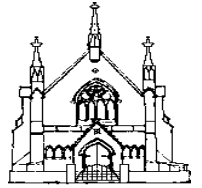


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Sunday 17th September 2017

Worship Today

9.00 am Rev Gordon Gresswell
10.30 am Rev Andrew Webster - Harvest
6.00 pm Healing & Wholeness

Welcomers

9.00 am Linda & Stuart Nuttall
10.30 am Betty Bastin & Helen Painter

Readings

Deuteronomy 16:13-17. Hebrews 9:1-5, 11-15
Matthew 25: 14 - 30

**We extend a very warm welcome
to all who join us in worship today.**

Tea & coffee will be served in the hall,
after the 10.30 Service
if you are able to stay, we'd love to have a chat.

**Large print books and a hearing loop are available:
Please ask a Steward**

Call to Worship

**9.00 am StF117 v1 Sing Praise to God
who Reigns Above**

Diary Dates

Please remember in your prayers this week all who are housebound and no longer able to worship with us, also Pat, John & Eric Brewer; Margaret Bishop; Chris & Ray Lee.

Long-term prayer concerns will be covered by the Church prayer group. If anybody requires prayer after either service, for themselves or for another, please ask a steward who will arrange it for you.

This Week's Church Flowers are in memory of

Cleaning this week - Pat & Dave Lindo

Coffee Duty for 24th September - Margaret Harvey & Joan Tonkinson.

Help Desperately Needed with Refreshments at the Friday Parents & Toddler Session each week. If you are available 9.50am -11.30am and could help out, perhaps on a rota basis, please contact Cheryl Hay (01291 625018). Thank you.

A Pilgrimage to Israel - Rev Rod Ingrouille is intending to lead a Pilgrimage to Israel next April. It has often been said that the fifth Gospel is a pilgrimage to Israel. When I have led my previous four pilgrimages folk have often been truly blessed to meet and pray at the holy sites. We shall visit all the traditional biblical sites and share bible readings, prayers and Holy Communion at some of the sites. We shall be using 'Maranatha Tours' as the agents, who always seek to use very good quality Palestinian Christian hotels, coaches and guides. One evening we shall meet a group of Palestinian Christians who will share with us the challenges of being Christians in Israel. Please contact Rod (01934 204561) or email rodney.ingrouille@methodist.org.uk for further details and information

The Wesley Guild meets every Tuesday at 7.30pm, generally school term time only, in the Wesley Room and generally ends with a cup of tea/coffee and biscuits about 8.30pm. It is open to all church members and friends, allowing plenty of time for fellowship and conversation and offers a varied programme of speakers with diverse interests, devotional, cultural, Christian services and social events. Details of this year's programme of speakers and topics are included in this week's notices and are also on the Church website. The first meeting this year is on Tuesday 19th September at 7.30pm with a Communion Service led by Reverend Andrew Webster. For further information or details about the Guild please talk to one of the Secretaries - Barry Catlin, Sheena Houghton, Stuart Nuttall, Tony Watkinson. We look forward to seeing existing and new members during the coming year.

Food Co-Op - Friday mornings, 10.30 - 11.30 am. £3 for 5 items or more of good quality vegetables, fruit, salad or stir-fry, all sourced where possible within 50 miles, with less packaging. For more information contact *Pauline* 01291 625896 or *Paul* 07976926591

Chepstow Foodbank - items currently required include tinned meats (eg. corned beef, ham), along with tinned tomatoes, tinned vegetables, coffee and fruit juice. Many thanks for your ongoing support. *Hilary Collins*

If you have anything you wish to be included on the notice sheet, please contact: Russell Collins, email notices@chepstowmethodist.org.uk
by Thursday 6pm

Every Monday 7.00 - 8.00pm - Prayer for Alpha in the Bunyan Room. Your support & commitment to prayer will be so valued and provide the foundations for the autumn Alpha. If you can't join us physically please can you pray where ever you are on Mondays; prayer points are available. Contact: Vera & Brian Lloyd verabrian@btinternet.com or 01291 620643

Tuesday 19th September - 7.30pm - Wesley Guild - Communion Service in the Church led by Rev Andrew Webster

Wednesday 20th September - 2.45pm - Women's Fellowship - if you have not been before do come and join us when Rev Andrew will be taking a service of Holy Communion. If you have an occasional commitment on a Wednesday afternoon, don't let that stop you, many of our members already have. Our programme can be found on the notice board or in the notices.

Thursday 21st September - 9.30am - Bible Study in the youth room. Mark chapter 15. All welcome.

Thursday 21st September - 7.00 pm - Alpha Introduction at Church - an introduction to the autumn Alpha with food, a short talk and, over 10 weeks, an opportunity to explore the Christian faith. Is it for you? Or who can you invite & bring along? Contact: Vera & Brian Lloyd verabrian@btinternet.com or 01291 620643

Thursday 28th September - 7.30pm - Church Council. All welcome.

Sunday 22nd October - 5.00pm - Songs of Praise - we are hoping to arrange **your** "Songs of Praise" with **your** favourites Hymns and **your** help is required. If you or your loved ones have or had a favourite hymn from either the present hymn book (STF or Mission Praise), or if your favourite is not in the Hymn books, we shall try and find it. Please state why the choice or, if you prefer, your reason could be announced before the singing of the hymn. When you have chosen, please e-mail me jones.meurig@talktalk.net /phone 01291 624254. or Cliff cliff@paramedic.eclipse.co.uk /phone 01291 626512

Do you know anyone who is sick, bereaved or in need of a visit or flowers?
Or has moved to this area or Church?
If so, please contact *Elena Johnson* (627754) or *Kathy Griffin* (620870)