



Welcome to Chepstow Methodist Church

**A Worshipping Church
at the Heart of the
Community**

www.chepstowmethodist.org.uk

Charity No. 1130776



CHURCH NOTICES – 1ST NOVEMBER 2026

OUR MINISTER IS REV IAN GRIFFITHS

For the time being, if you have any concerns, personal or church related, please contact Paula Farr, the Circuit Administrator, and she will pass the request on to the appropriate staff member

01291 424278 or paulinefarr710@gmail.com



If you have anything to share with the Church Family via these notices, please contact Hilary Collins by email: admin@chepstowmethodist.wales



WORSHIP ON SUNDAYS

We extend a warm welcome to ALL who join us in our Morning Worship and other services. If you are able to stay afterwards for a mug of tea/coffee (sometimes even cake!!) we would love to get to know you in a relaxed atmosphere.



This Sunday, 1st November - our **10.30am Sunday Worship & Holy Communion (in Church/on Zoom/recorded)** will be led by Rev Anne Ellis

Next Sunday, 8th November – our Remembrance Sunday Worship **(in Church/on Zoom/recorded)** will be led by Rev Cliff Chonka

For those who prefer to worship from home, most services will also be live on Zoom (see Zoom link below), with a recording posted later on our Church website:

<https://chepstowmethodist.org.uk/keeping-in-touch/podcast-videos/>

Zoom - you will be held in a 'Waiting Room' prior to being able to access the service. NOTE: For practical/technical reasons, we can only admit people BEFORE the Service starts.

Zoom Link:

<https://zoom.us/j/96959863156?pwd=O8apr7xq1Jfb9q8yy4doImHapB31k6.1>

Meeting ID: 969 5986 3156

Passcode: 905885

For those without the Internet, you can join the service in audio through your **phone** by dialling any of the numbers below; entering the Meeting ID followed by the # key, followed by the Passcode and once again the # key as instructed by the verbal prompts Zoom's recorded message. (Meeting ID & Passcode above)

0203 481 5237 / 0203 481 5240 / 0203 901 7895

Stewards and Assistant Stewards

Sunday 1st November	Russell Collins and Hilary Collins
Sunday 8th November	Gordon Casson and John Westlake

**In the quietness of our hearts
we offer up prayers for those we care for:**

Alfred (Janet & Steve Ellard's 1-year old grandson) as he recuperates after his operation; Janet Ellard; Rev Ian & Tabitha (Ian continues to be on sickness leave until at least the end of November).

Father God, help us to be a church family that carries each other's burdens. We pray for those in our family who are hurting, lonely or facing difficult times. May we be quick to offer encouragement and practical help. Let our church be a place of true belonging and support.

In Jesus' name, Amen

**This Week's Flowers
are in memory of:**

**Liam Ralph,
William & Alf Bailey**



Do you know anyone who is sick, bereaved,
in a need of a visit or flowers?
Or has moved to this area/Church?

If so, please contact
Kathy Griffin

THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR GENEROSITY



The **Harvest collection** in the envelopes at Church was **£332.50** and the direct giving to AWC was **£250** making a **total** from us of **£582.50**.

The amount raised from the **Action for Children Film Night** was **£310**.



ALL WE CAN Methodist relief and development

Christmas Coffee Morning

Saturday 28th November
10.30am-1.00pm
(in The Beacon)

Do come and join us for
Coffee/Tea and Mince Pies
Home-Made Soup
Bacon Rolls
Cake Stall
Raffle

All Proceeds to 'All We Can'

Can you offer a Cake/Cakes?
Can you donate a Raffle Prize?

If so, please see *Cynthia Giles*



TAKING ACTION FOR THE WORLD



Thank God for rain!

Around 95% of Welsh Water resources originate as surface water either from reservoir storage or river abstractions.

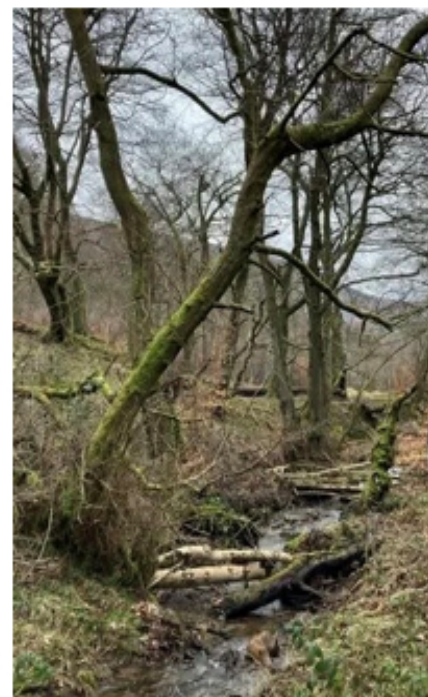
This October, South East Wales reservoirs were **less than half full**.

<https://www.dwrcymru.com/en/our-services/water/water-resources>

Pray for those affected by flooding and for those trying to prevent it!

Leaky Dams in small watercourses slow the water at times of high flow – reducing flood risk and enhancing habitats. Gwent Wildlife Trust are introducing large woody debris and leaky dams in Silent Valley Nature Reserve to trial different techniques and promote natural flood management across Gwent.

<https://www.gwentwildlife.org/natural-flood-management>



Diary Dates for Week Beginning 1st November

WEDNESDAY FELLOWSHIP....

....next meets on **Wednesday, 4th November, at 2.30pm.** Our guest speaker is **Rev Philip Averay AG,** who will be sharing his experiences of the **Greyfriars and his association with this religious order.**

Please do join us for a time of Fellowship followed by refreshments.

For more information, speak to *Beryl Quinlan*



Day	Event	Time	Other Info
Sunday 1st	Morning Worship & Holy Communion	10.30am	Led by Rev Anne Ellis
Monday 2nd	Beacon Café	9.30am - 3.00pm	
	Babies & Toddlers	10.00 - 11.30am	
Tuesday 3rd	Beacon Café	9.30am - 3.00pm	
	Babies & Toddlers	10.00 - 11.30am	
	Housegroup	10.30am	Contact Pam Horne
Wednesday 4th	Beacon Café	9.30am - 3.00pm	
	Babies & Toddlers	10.00 - 11.30am	
	Wednesday Fellowship	2.30 - 4.00pm	See Opposite
	BB - Anchors	5.30 - 6.45pm	
	BB - Juniors	6.30 - 8.00pm	
	BB - Company Section will meet again later in the term Places available in all sections. Contact Mark Lloyd mloydabc@btinternet.com/07768160564		
	Housegroup	7.30pm	Contact Cynthia Giles
Thursday 5th	Bible Study (on Zoom) 9.30 - 10.30am https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86905180276 Meeting ID = 869 0518 0276		Continuing the study of the book of Romans from Ch 8 v 1 Contact Keith Town
	Warm&Cosy@CMC	10.00 - 12.00noon	
Friday 6th	Warm&Cosy@CMC	10.00 - 12.00noon	
Saturday 7th	Men's Breakfast	9.30am	See Opposite

Men's Breakfast

**Bacon Rolls,
Sausage Baps
and Croissants
& Tea/Coffee/Fruit Juice**

**Come and join us for great food
and conversations - 9.30am at CMC**

**Our next Breakfast is THIS COMING
Saturday, 7th November**

	Church Cleaning Week Beginning 2nd November	Eileen & John Westlake
	Coffee Rota Sunday 8th November	Rosemary Davies & Elena Johnson