

SHRIVENHAM METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY 10th June 2018

Welcome to our Church

Our Website: www.shrivenhammethodistchurch.co.uk

Our Vision: "To be an active part of the body of God, and to spread the Good News of Christ by word and deed in the local Community at every opportunity."

Services Sunday 10th June

10.30 pm	Pam Mullin
6.30 pm	Emily Young
Steward	Robin Christian
Door	Harold Taylor
Organ	Stella Tidmarsh
Readers	Harold/Helen Taylor
Creche	Nicki Norris
Flowers	Helen Taylor
Coffee:	(new rota)
Garden	Harold Taylor

Prayers this week

Circuit: Braydon

Rota: Christian Youth Charities
- Scripture Union (SU), Swindon
Youth for Christ

Local Roads: Claypits Lane,
Faringdon Road, Common Close
Days Ground, Northford

Services for next Sunday 17th June

10.30 am	Phill Bunce
6.30 pm	Emily Young
Steward	Gill & Paul Sharpe
Door	Mike Bathe
Organ	Stella Tidmarsh
Readers	Mike Bathe/Val Pettefar
Creche	Lynn Pembroke
Flowers	Lynn Pembroke
Coffee	(new rota)
Garden	Stella Tidmarsh

Events this Week

Monday 11th

Tuesday 12th

Refreshers - 8.30 am in front room

Wednesday 13th

Songs & Stories for Children

Thursday 14th

prayer meeting 6.30 pm

Friday 15th

Hymn Practice at Stella's 8.00 pm
5.30 pm Joint Worship & Praise at
St Andrews (see below)

Saturday 16th

Prayer Breakfast in front room 8.30
Organ recital at Stratton MC

Worship & Praise joint churches initiative -

On Friday 15th June at 5:30 a new "Worship and Praise" event will be launched at St Andrew's. This is a joint initiative involving churches in the Shrivenham/Watchfield area. There will be live worship led by Mark Waterman from Wotton Bassett. Mark is a worship leader with his local church and the "Filling Station" in Stanford in the Vale.

As this is an inaugural event it would be wonderful if you could find time to come and worship with the congregation at St Andrews. The emphasis is upon informality and inclusiveness so please spread the word to anyone you think might like to attend - everyone is welcome.

For future events members of other congregations will be invited to lead worship and prayers. And, of course, all your prayers for the success of this event are needed.

The Organ Music Recital that had been organised at Stratton Methodist Church back in March will now take place on Saturday 16th June - 4.00 to 7.00 - "a variety of music from a range of organists will be entertaining us, whilst an afternoon tea will be enjoyed" Money raised will be donated to the MHA Stimulating Minds Project. For further details, contact 01793 822015

On **Tuesday 19th June @7pm** 4Front Theatre Company are coming to Highworth Methodist Church to put on the play "Reckless Abandon". For the Waodani people living deep in the Ecuadorian jungle, murder, revenge and death by the spear were a way of life. In 1956, 10 missionaries launched 'Operation Auca' to share God's love with this previously unreachable stone age tribe. Stepping into the jaws of death. The world watched on to see how the story would end. Reckless Abandon tells the story of "Operation Auca" and an inspiring true story of love, forgiveness and fearless faith.

Tickets £10 from Lou Ashford

Email: Louashford231@gmail.com **or phone 01793 201703**

Prayers before Service - 15 minutes before our morning service.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

15th June - New Ecumenical Worship & Praise initiative at St Andrews (see above)

16th June - Organ recital at Stratton Methodist Church (see notice above)

19th June - 4Front Theatre Company performing at HMC - 7.00pm - tickets from Lou Ashford (see above)

29th July Tea in the Garden at Harold & Helen's, 3.00-5.00pm

19th August - Church picnic at Coppidthorn Meadow

PRAYER FOR RENEWAL

Heavenly Father, in Jesus' name we ask for a fresh outpouring of your Holy Spirit on your church in our community. Help us to grow in our experience of your love, forgiveness and healing. Challenge our contentment to stay as we are. Renew our vision of what it means to be a disciple of Jesus Christ, that through our words and the way we live, others may be drawn to your way. Give us the wisdom to seek your will and grant us the joy that comes from wholeheartedly following it. For your glory and the good of all your people.

Amen

Notices to Morva by next Thursday please for the next week morvawhite@supanet.com