

## SHRIVENHAM METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY 26th November 2017

Welcome to our Church

Our Website: [www.shrivenhammethodistchurch.co.uk](http://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 26th November

10.30 am	Ian Taylor
6.30 pm	Anne Pope
Steward	Janet Mawer
Door	Lynn Pembroke
Organ	Stella Tidmarsh
Readers	Lynn Pembroke/Ian Brodie
Creche	Bob Mawer
Flowers	Helen Taylor
Coffee	Sue Colyer/Wendy Pearcey
Garden	Stella Tidmarsh

### Services for next Sunday 3rd December

10.30 am	Joseph Musungu
3.00 pm	Carol Service at Longcot
Steward	Linda Hood
Door	Michelle Holloway
Organ	Stella Tidmarsh
Readers	Paul Holloway/Mike Bathe
Creche	Wendy Pearcey
Flowers	Michelle Holloway
Garden	Tony Belk

### Prayers this week

**Circuit: MHA/Fitzwarren Court**

**Rota:** Christian youth charities - Scripture Union, Swindon Youth for Christ

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

### Events this Week

#### **Monday 27th**

9th Alpha meeting 7-9 pm

#### **Tuesday 28th**

Refreshers - 8.30 am in front room

#### **Wednesday 29th**

Songs & Stories for children 9.00

#### **Thursday 30th**

Prayer meeting 6.30 pm in SMC

#### **Friday 1st**

Hymn practice at Stella's 8.00 pm

#### **Saturday 2nd**

Prayer breakfast 8.30 am

Coffee Shop - Group 2

**Joyce** - there is an invite to you all from Gill (Sharpe) to the celebration and thanksgiving service for her Mum. It is going to be in our church at 1.30 pm on Tuesday the 5th December, followed by light refreshments at the Crown, Shrivenham. She also says that as it is a celebration we can all wear bright colours.

**Faringdon Singers Concert** - Saturday 9th December at 7.30 pm in church. Stella is also asking for help to serve non-alcoholic punch and mince pies after the concert. Would you please contact Stella if you are able to help.

**Prayer before Service** - is still continuing for 15 minutes before our morning service.

### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

2nd Oct - 11th Dec - Alpha Course - Monday evenings 7.00 - 9.00  
9th December - Faringdon Singers Concert, 7.30 at SMC  
10th December - Carols Round the Tree  
14,15,16 December - Christmas Tree Festival  
20th December - Village Afternoon Carol Service at SMC 2.15 pm  
21st/22nd/23rd December - church open 10.00-12 noon  
24th December - NO evening service  
31st December - NO evening service  
8th January - Worship Consultation meeting at Stella's - 7.45 pm  
10th January - Local Preachers & Worship Leaders meeting - Royal Wootton Bassett  
28th January - Joint Covenant service

### **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 next week: [morvawhite@supanet.com](mailto:morvawhite@supanet.com)