



Leaside Church
Methodist and United Reformed

Through care and nurture we witness
to the Gospel of Christ and share
that Gospel through service
within the community

Minister: Rev Kathryn Taylor 01279 425859
Secretary; Mary Pick 01920 464664

Church website : www.leasidechurch.org.uk

Sundays August 1st, 8th & 15th

Welcome to newcomers and visitors.

- Please join us for coffee after Morning Services in the vestibule.
- You are invited to sign our Visitor's Book.
Items for next notices : Mary 01920 464664

Recent offerings

July 25th £246.20

THIS WEEK

Sunday August 1st

• **Morning Service** 10.30am led by Rev Kathryn Taylor . Baptism of Ted John Davies. We welcome Ted, his parents family and friends.

• Monday Aug 2nd

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• **Cameo (Come And Meet Each Other)** at 10.30am
Subject: 'The Spirit filled Life '
(for venue contact J. Wakely 01920 423161)

Tuesday Aug 3rd

• **Listening place** 10.30am – 12 noon
Drop-in Room 1 and coffee in Room 6

Church open 10.30am -12.00 noon

Thursday Aug 5th

• **CLOWNS – (Care Love for Others Witness Nurture Service)** - bible study and fellowship
FOR VENUE – contact Janet 01920 464131

NEXT WEEK

Sunday August 8th

• **Morning Service** 10.30am led by Brian Herring

Tuesday August 10th as August 3rd plus:

• **Prayer Meeting** 9.30am in Room 1

Thursday August 12th as August 5th plus:

• **Prayer Meeting** 7.30pm in Room 6

THIRD WEEK

Sunday August 15th

• **Morning Service** 10.30am led by Rev Kathryn Taylor with Holy Communion. Communion Collection for 'A chance for Christopher'.

Monday August 16th

• **Cameo (Come And Meet Each Other)** at 10.30am
Subject: 'What's Water Walking? '
(for venue contact J. Wakely 01920 423161)

Tuesday August 17th as August 3rd

Thursday August 19th as August 5th



A MESSAGE FROM KATHRYN

'At the last Church Council meeting Graham informed us that our weekly offerings were down slightly on last year. As you are aware costs continue to rise, and therefore I am appealing to you to consider prayerfully your level of giving to Leaside for God's work.'

Kathryn

Prayer foci from HAEBEA plan

Aug 1st Hertford Methodist Church

Aug 8th Haebea Executive

Aug 15th Waltham Cross Christchurch.



GARDENERS NEEDED!

Doreen and Glyn would love to have some help with the church garden, especially the back garden and tending the front long flower bed. If you can help, please speak to Doreen.

Other Leaside Activities-Contacts

Traidcraft (Sunday after service)

• Wendy Cooper 01992 423807

Choir (rehearsal usually before service)

• Brian Martin 01920 465757

Listening Place bereavement support

• Tuesday drop in 10.30-12noon or Wed eve by appointment
contact Alison 01763 232673

Wednesday Fellowship (2nd & 4th Weds.)

• Barbara Antrobus 01920 466806

Cameo (Come And Meet Each Other) Monday am housegroup by arrangement)

• John Wakely 01920 423161

Toddlers (Thurs Afternoons)

• Sandy Alexander 01920 467867

Hall bookings

• Chris Winney 01920 420836

Kindergarten

• Carmel Chapman 01920 485502

Pastoral needs

• Please contact your own pastoral carer initially.

or contact Leaside's pastoral co-ordinators:

Olive Hussey 01920 484559/ Orin Twidle 01920 461551

Social Events

John Amos 01920 821791 or Orin Twidle

See below for forthcoming events



FORTHCOMING EVENTS



POSTPONED CHURCH MEETING ON AUGUST 15TH
Due to several of the congregation being on holiday that weekend, Kathryn has decided to postpone the advertised Bring and Share lunch and Church Meeting on August 15th. We are looking for a new date in September.



NEW DATES FOR PRAYER MEETINGS

Please support these prayer times as we feel it is important to pray together on a regular basis and not just in services. The next set of dates are:

Tuesdays 10th August, 7th Sept, 12th Oct, 9th Nov, 14th Dec, **9.30-10am in Room 1**

Thursdays 12th August, 9th Sept, 14th Oct, 11th Nov, 16th Dec, **7.30-8pm in Room 1**

Please put these dates in your diary. If you cannot be present, please pray with us at these times wherever you are if possible.

TOMORROW Monday 2nd August

Lunchtime Concert at St Mary's Church at 12.30 PM A return visit from the noted local organist - Brian Bromley . Light lunches available in the Church Extension from 12.00 noon and after the Concert. Retiring collection for St Mary's Church Funds.

Sunday August 15th

• **Bring and Share Lunch followed by Church Meeting and Workshop** This workshop is potentially a key piece in the jigsaw of revising our building redevelopment proposals. The URC Training Officer, Peter Ball has agreed to lead an investigation in how we would like to see the church developing and what the building requirements would be for this use. Peter Ball has successfully carried out similar workshops at other churches. The workshop will follow a "Bring and Share" lunch.



Weekend of August 27,28,29th

• **LoveWare:LiveWare Weekend.** Activities will be taking place at Grange Gardens on the Friday, Lower Bourne Gardens on the Saturday and King George Field on the Sunday. **Please sign vestibule list or fill in a green form from the vestibule and give it to Mary** if you would like to be involved or could make cakes.

Saturday September 11th



• **Heritage weekend and Historic Churches Cycle ride.** The church will be open and we will need stewards to greet the cyclists and also to show visitors round the Church. Please look out for the list in the vestibule nearer the time to sign up for an hour or two.

Sunday September 12th

Welcome service for Rev Barbara Routley at Hoddesdon Methodist Church at 4pm. Barbara is replacing Andrew Hollins as Minister for Hertford and Hoddesdon Methodist Churches. This service will also be the induction for Rev Jason Askew who is taking over as Haebea Chair and Rev Terry Keen who is taking the position of Methodist Superintendent.

Tuesday September 28th

• **Church Meeting** to discuss the redevelopment plans. 8 pm in Room 6

Please note this is a change from the date of September 20th which was announced at the last Church Meeting. September 20th is now a Church Council Meeting.

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Those of you who always eat 'Take-a-Ways' or live on ready meals need not read this bit. Now for those who do cook at home..... It was agreed that we would produce a 'LEASIDE COOK BOOK' to help raise funds for the development of the Church Buildings. This is underway and thanks to those who have left their favourite recipe in the tray in the vestibule. However this is in mortal danger of becoming a 6 page pamphlet do to a severe lack of recipes. We were hoping to get this out for September/October so that copies can be bought for Christmas presents etc as well as for ourselves. If we want this to proceed further can we put pen to paper and scribble out a few recipes either savoury or sweet – meals or snacks or anything in between. Don't worry if it is not typed out: we can cope with that, BUT please something. Just leave them in the tray in the vestibule and they will be collected, typed and collated. Thanks (Sorry about the groans). Brian Clark

