

INFORMATION

WELCOME TO

Morning Worship

Welcome to our morning worship. We start with a time of worship songs and prayers. This is followed by an All -Age Talk, after which our offering is taken and then the children leave us for their own activities. We continue with more sung worship followed by God's message from a minister or local preacher. We conclude with a response to the message and prayers of intercession. We hope you will enjoy participating in this with us.

Evening Worship

Welcome to our evening worship which follows a more traditional style and is often based on the lectionary readings for the day.

Items for the next notice sheet may be given to Ann Gray or sent to: notices@davroadchurch.co.uk

PRAYERS FOR OTHERS

Please take note of the names on the screen needing our prayers this week. If you would like prayers put on the screen or said in church for you or those you love, please let Rosemary Britton or one of the Stewards know, (but make sure you have the consent of those you want prayers for).

In your private prayers remember before God those situations in the national and international news needing your prayers.

If you are in need of prayer today, please ask the Prayer Stewards to pray with you after the service ends.

As a church we have a Prayer Cycle in place for those with needs. If you or someone you love requires praying for please contact June Pratley, Tel: 01993 868570. But make sure you have their consent first.

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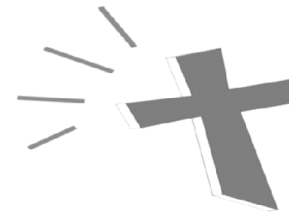
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FOR MORE INFORMATION please ask the Door Steward for a **WELCOME PACK** or go on line to www.davroadchurch.co.uk

And Finally:

When my son was about 4 years old, we were driving down the road. I took a drink of my coffee, and the lid came off and it spilled all over me. I mumbled a little bit, and pulled over to wipe up the mess.

My son rolled his eyes, shook his finger at me and said, "That is exactly why you are NOT supposed to drink and drive!"



**Davenport Road
Methodist Church**

Growing ...Because God is changing lives

THIS WEEK

Sunday 29 April
10.30 am
6.00 pm

**Grahame Faulkner
Rev Hilary Ewing**

Monday 30 April
7.30 pm

House Group
Ring Judith for venue 01993 869185

Tuesday 1 May
3.00 am

Tea & Chat

Wednesday 2 May
9.00 am

Rendezvous

Thursday 3 May
7.30 pm
7.30 pm

Worship Group at Davenport Road
House Group
Ring Grahame for venue 01993 862840

Friday 4 May
6.00 pm

Girls Brigade

Saturday 5 May
9.00 am

Prayer Meeting at 20 Langdale Gate, Witney

Sunday 6 May
9.30 am
6.00 pm

**Rev Hilary Ewing
Rev Rose Westwood [Communion]**

A warm welcome to our services today, especially to visitors. You are invited to join us for coffee after the morning service. Today is a Family Service when we worship together. We realise that children under the age of 5 years can become restless, and so we encourage parents to take their child to the crèche area. Play bags can also be obtained from the Door Stewards. There is a hearing loop for those with impaired hearing. Large print copies of the songs and hymns are available from the door steward.

NOTICES

Sunday 13th May we welcome Rev Loraine Mellor (President of Conference) to lead both our Anniversary Services at 10.30 and 6.00. The Evening service will not only be a Circuit event but also the launch of "Thy Kingdom Come" in Witney.

Saturday July 7th pm we are holding a Church/Circuit/Community Fun Day. Games, Hog Roast, many activities to be enjoyed by all - please put the date in your diaries today.

An Act of Worship

Celebrating God's gifts in music.

At High Street on Sunday 17th June, 6-8pm.

This longer than usual evening service will be led by singers and instrumentalists from several parts of the UK as well as local musicians and clergy from Oxford.

An "Evening with Pam Rhodes and Paul Ledington Wright" (both of TV's Songs of Praise) being held at High Street at 7.30pm on Saturday 5th May.

The evening will be an enjoyable opportunity to sing and hear the stories of great Christian hymns.

Tickets are £12 (£5 for under 19s), available from the High St Coffee Bar, St Andrew's Bookshop, or at the door. Profits are in aid of the renovation of the fine High Street organ, which will be 100 years old next year.

Thy Kingdom Come Quiet Day

Thursday 10th May 10am-4pm, Congregational Church, Witney.

Theme: The Road to Emmaus

Please bring a packed lunch, notebook and a bible: drinks will be provided. Donations welcome.

To book your free place please contact: Rev Joy Hance.

Email:joysmail@talk21.com

Phone: 01993 707935

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Prayer For Today:

God of love, we pray for this church where your love has been known for many years. We pray that we will welcome everyone in Jesus' name and that, as your love pours in, it will overflow to our neighbours. May each person come to know that they are loved by you and to love you in return. May all grow in faith as we learn and pray together, and may our faith be seen in action. Amen.

FLOWERS

The flowers this week have been kindly donated by Barbara Barrett. Many thanks.



Witney and Faringdon Circuit Study

Free and open to everyone – come - share
Davenport Road Church, Witney, Saturdays 10:00-12:00

Next sessions -

19th May 5.2 The Bible - close up

16th June. 5.3 Focus on preaching (part 1)

THY KINGDOM COME

Join the global wave of prayer

24/7 prayer space

Congregational Church, Witney

Sunday 13th May 8pm - Saturday 19th May 8pm

Interactive, imaginative and creative prayer opportunities.

Saturday 5th May 9.30 - 12.30 Dav Rd's Coffee Morning at High Street. Do pop in, invite your friends and support us.

Anniversary Sunday - the sign up sheet for Rendezvous 2 lunch is in the foyer today.