

This Week's Bible Readings

Mark 9:30-37

James 3:13-4:7

Pray & Do. *Saturday 20th October.* Starting at 12 noon with a bring-your-own lunch (tea/coffee provided), followed by a short time of worship and prayer before getting on with some cleaning and maintenance tasks around the church. Please come for as much or as little of the afternoon as you can.

Keys! Just a reminder that the new locks are now in operation so please make sure that both doors are locked if you are the last to leave the building. If you need access to the church and have not yet been given a set of keys, please speak to Su or Chris.

Open the Book. As the new school term begins, our Open the Book team are preparing to start their fortnightly visits to the Junior Academy to present dramatised bible stories to the children. If you would like to find out how you can participate in this important ministry, please speak to Liz, Matt or Roz today.



Our Leadership Team is:

**Rev Paul Beard, Matt & Liz Coates,
Kate Paterson, Chrissy Adams & Martin Baker**

P Please remember parking is available at Greystones

If you have any items for inclusion in the notices, or prayer requests for future weeks, please call Matt on (01487) 830345 or email: notices@sawtrymethodist.org.uk before **Saturday midday**. An online version of the notice sheet is always available at www.sawtrymethodist.org.uk



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Notices for Sunday 23rd September 2018

We welcome any visitors to our church today and pray you will find encouragement and comfort here. After the service has ended please feel free to join as friends for tea or coffee in the Sunday School Room. If you have any questions about the service or our church please speak to a member of the Leadership Team.

SITTING DOWN JESUS
CALLED THE TWELVE AND SAID
"ANYONE WHO WANTS TO
BE FIRST MUST BE
THE VERY LAST AND
SERVANT OF ALL."
MARK 9:35

Today	10:30am	Colin Webber
Monday	2:30pm	United Fellowship
Saturday	9:30-11:00am	Coffee Morning
Next Sunday	10:30am	John Green

Monday United Fellowship. *Tomorrow, 2.30pm.* All welcome.

Church Council Meeting. *Tuesday 9th October at 7.30pm.* All are welcome. Please speak to Liz if you would like a copy of the minutes of the last meeting.

Please remember in your prayers this week:

- Our friends in the **Huntingdon** congregation
- **Sawtry Parish Council**
- **Jessica Dickinson**
- **Thelma Baker**
- **Jo Anderton**
- **Chris & Su's niece, Victoria**
- The friends and family of **Eddie Edwards**
- **James Ellerbeck**
- **"Growing Together with Sawtry"**

If you have any items for prayer, please speak to a member of the leadership team or send them to notices@sawtrymethodist.org.uk

Finance

Offertory: £191.23 (plus £40.00 Bank Transfers)

All We Can Harvest Appeal: £116.00

Coffee Morning: £25.00

Thank you for your generosity

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Next Saturday Coffee – Liz & Matt

Next Sunday Door – Martin & Thelma

Coffee – Liz & Tess

Vestry – Alicia

Growing Together in Faith

Our fortnightly fellowship group continues with **Making Disciples** at 7pm on **Wednesday 3rd October.**

All are welcome.

Making Disciples. If you were unable to get to the previous sessions but would still like to participate in the course, copies of the accompanying resources are available in the porch or from a member of the leadership team. A DVD with the main teaching material is also available for viewing at home, or you can access the videos online at www.wearemakingdisciples.com.

Eddie Edwards. There will be a funeral service at Peterborough Crematorium at *1pm on Wednesday 26th September*, followed by refreshments at Greystones from 2.30pm. All are welcome. Please remember Pat and her whole family in your prayers.

George Edwards – Workhouse Inmate to Guardian. A talk by Ann and Stephen Pope for the Wesley Historical Society. *Saturday 6th October, 3pm*, Wymondham Methodist Church.

A Special District Event to welcome the Deaf Church as part of the Methodist Church in East Anglia. *Saturday 20th October, 3pm*, Downham Market Methodist Church. Worship in English and BSL with guest preacher, Sue Whalley.

Methodist Women in Britain. Autumn District Day. *Thursday 11th October, 10am* coffee for 11am start. Sheringham Methodist Church. Speaker: Rev Anne Richardson (working with the deaf).

Blended Festival. National Anglican Fresh Expressions Festival. *Saturday 3rd November.* Ely Cathedral. Tickets £10. See the poster in the porch for more details.

Quote of the Week

"Eternal values, not temporal ones, should become the deciding factors for your decisions."

Rick Warren