

## This Week's Bible Reading

Isaiah 6:1-9

1 Corinthians 15:1-11

**Christmas Cribs Display & Advent Carol Service.** *Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December* from 2.00pm at Huntingdon Methodist Church. Come and enjoy the display of Christmas Cribs from our local church families from 2.00pm to 4.30pm, during which time seasonal refreshments will be served. The event and refreshments are free, but donations can be given for Action for Children. Everyone is also invited to the **Advent Circuit Service at 5pm.** We are inviting families and friends in all our Circuit Churches and our fellow Huntingdon Town Centre Churches to bring cribs for the display which will be in the sanctuary at HMC. The more the merrier! The cribs can be brought to HMC either between 2.00pm and 5.00pm on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> November, or between 1.00pm and 1.45 pm on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December, when the remaining cribs will be set up.

**Peering Through Windows.** A Quiet Day for the churches of the Circuit. *Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> December from 10.00am - 3.30pm* at Over Methodist Church. Led by Rev's James Bamber and Alan Taylor. The day will provide opportunities to reflect quietly through silence, creativity, reading, walking ... just come and be. Short periods of worship/input will give structure to the day. Refreshments will be provided but please bring your own lunch. Cost for the day £5.00. To book: please contact Frank Cannon in the Circuit Office no later than Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> November on (01480) 454979 or by email at: [snhmcc@outlook.com](mailto:snhmcc@outlook.com)

### Our Leadership Team is:

**Rev Alan Taylor, Matt & Liz Coates,  
Kate Paterson, Martin Baker & Su Merton**

**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](mailto:notices@sawtrymethodist.org.uk) before **Saturday midday.** An online version of the notice sheet is always available at [www.sawtrymethodist.org.uk](http://www.sawtrymethodist.org.uk)



# Sawtry Methodist Church A Heart for Sawtry

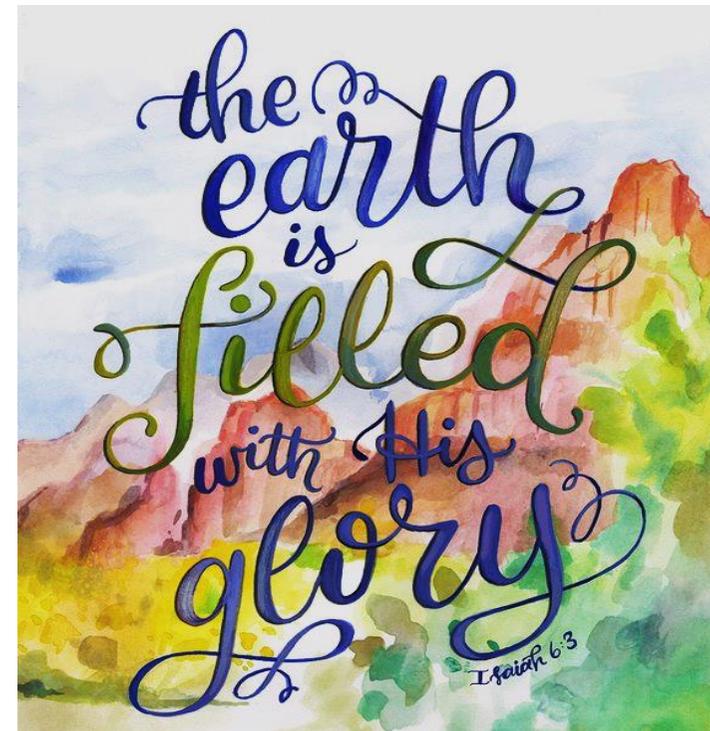
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## Notices for Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2019

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 us 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.



<b>Today</b>	<b>10:30am</b>	<b>Leonore Charlton</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>7:00pm</b>	<b>Growing Together in Faith</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>9:30-11:00am</b>	<b>Coffee Morning</b>
<b>Next Sunday</b>	<b>10:30am</b>	<b>Café Service</b>

**Monday United Fellowship**, *Monday 25<sup>th</sup> November, 2.30pm*. All welcome.

**Please remember in your prayers this week:**

- Our friends in the **Huntingdon and Over** congregations
- **CARESCO**
- The family and friends of **Pete Scott**
- The family and friends of **Stephen Short**
- **Judi Finnegan**
- **Jessica Dickinson**
- **Beryl Ayres**
- **"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](mailto:notices@sawtrymethodist.org.uk)

**Finance (2 weeks)**

Offertory: £155.21 (plus £130.00 Bank Transfers)  
 Coffee Morning: £27.70                      Coffee after Service: £9.11  
 Building Fund: £50.12

Thank you for your generosity

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Next Saturday	Coffee – Emma, Martin & Team	Flowers – Trish
Next Sunday	Door – Felicity & Allen	Vestry – Alicia
	Coffee – Martin & Frances	

## Growing Together in Faith

Our fortnightly fellowship group continues on **Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> November**. The evening will start as usual with refreshments at 7pm. All are welcome.

**Stephen Short**, son of Derek and grandson of Len Short (a former steward at this church), died in a car accident a week last Sunday. A date for the funeral has not yet been announced. Please remember the family in your prayers.

**Pete Scott**, husband of Ali and father to Tom and Sarah (regular members of our holiday club team), died peacefully on Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> November at Sue Ryder Thorpe Hall hospice in Peterborough. The funeral service, to which all family and friends are invited, will be held on *Monday 25<sup>th</sup> November, 2pm* at All Saints' Church. Refreshments will be held at Sawtry Ex-Service & Working Men's Club, from 3pm till late.

**Church Council Meeting.** *Monday 7<sup>th</sup> December at 7.30pm*. This is an extra meeting to update on the plans for the next phase of our building project. All are welcome. Please speak to Liz if you would like a copy of the minutes of the last meeting.

**Voice training** for local preachers, worship leaders, Bible readers and all who would like to improve their speaking skills. *Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> November, 10am-2.30pm* at Berkley St. Methodist Church, St. Neots. Please see the noticeboard in the porch for details about how to book your place on the course.

**Do you have a Servant Heart?** Each week there are many opportunities to serve, such as helping with coffee mornings, welcoming to services, praying with the preacher, bible-reading, arranging flowers or serving refreshments. If you would like to help with any of these over the coming months, please speak to a member of the leadership team.

**Quote of the Week**

*"You can see God from anywhere if your mind is set to love and obey Him."*  
 A.W. Tozer (1897-1963)