



Notices for Sunday 16th January 2022

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Sunday Worship

16th Jan 10:30am – Don Moorman
23rd Jan 10:30am – Rev Sue Baker-Maher – Covenant Service
30th Jan – No Service
6th Feb 4:00pm – Rev Sue Baker-Maher

All services are also accessible via Zoom for any who are unable to attend in person.

Zoom link: <https://zoom.us/j/172859764>
Meeting ID: 172 859 764
Dial-in number: 0203 481 5240

All are invited to join us for worship each Sunday. For the moment, any adults attending are requested to use face coverings and no refreshments will be served after the services.

Covenant Service & Communion. 10:30am, Sunday 23rd January. If you plan to attend the service via Zoom and would like to participate in communion from home, please make sure you have bread and grape juice ready in advance. Please also see the attached Circuit advice regarding the conduct of communion online.

A Light in the Darkness. Our service at 4:00pm on Sunday 6th February will be an informal time of worship suitable for all ages. Invitation cards are available for you to use to invite along friends, neighbours and family members to share in a celebration of light and hope in these dark months.

Got Questions? Alpha allows you to explore questions of life in an open-minded and friendly environment. There's no cost and no pressure – just lots of great conversation and space to think. The course continues on **Monday 17th January**, 7:30pm, at the Greystones, and includes a delicious hot meal served from their kitchen. It's still not too late to join in so if you would like to get involved, please speak to Matt or Debbie to find out more.



WAVE for Change. A group encouraging and enabling inclusive places – including WAVE Church and pop-up Cafés for people with and without learning disabilities – will be visiting our circuit in March to share their experience. If you would like to be involved, or would just like to know more, please join us on a Zoom call at 7:30pm on Thursday 20th Jan. Join by Zoom link: <https://zoom.us/j/97204214318>, or by phone on 03300 885830.

Meeting ID: 972 0421 4318. Passcode available on request. Please let Rev Sue know if you intend to come at sue.bakermaher@methodist.com, or by phone on 07483 153948.

This Week's Bible Readings

Isaiah 62:1-5 Psalm 36:5-10 1 Corinthians 12:1-11 John 2:1-11

Please use these readings in your personal devotions this week. If you have any thoughts or insights you would like to share with others via this news sheet, please send them to notices@sawtrymethodist.org.uk

Saturday Coffee Morning. Our coffee morning has now been running for several months and has quickly re-established a regular group of attendees. It's a great place to come with a friend for a catch-up, or just to see some familiar faces from our wider community, so please drop in any Saturday between 9:30 and 11:00am for a warm welcome, tea or coffee and a toasted morning snack.

Keeping Safe and Warm at Church. In line with the current national precautions, we will continue to require the use of hand sanitisers on entering our building and face coverings while moving around and for singing. We also need to keep the church well ventilated, so please make sure you wrap up warm.

Monday United Fellowship. We regret to announce that the meeting originally planned for Monday 31st Jan has now been postponed. Further details to follow.

Boardgames Café. Our next boardgames evening will be on Friday 21st January, starting at 7:30pm, and continuing on the first and third Fridays of each month. All are welcome – bring a friend.

Pray & Do. Saturday 22nd January. The session will start, as usual, at 12 noon with a picnic lunch in the hall (please bring your own food; tea and coffee will be provided), followed by a short time of prayer, before getting on with some much-needed cleaning and tidying, finishing around 4pm. Please come along for as much or as little of the afternoon as you are able.

Please remember in your prayers this week:

- Our friends in the **Berkley Street** congregation
- **Little Saints** toddler group
- **Stephanie** (a friend of Alexis)
- **Roz Rowland**
- **Brian Rodger**
- **Maureen** (Tess's sister)
- **Laura** (Tess's daughter)
- The family and friends of **Nicola**, especially **Louise** (Su's niece)
- **John & Jean Garner**
- **Trevor Taylor-Peach**
- **Thelma Baker**
- **Alicia Nicholls**
- **Donna and Jake Johnson**
- **Eleanor and Gary Kernaghan**
- **James and Clare** (Tess's niece and nephew-in-law)
- **Hannah** (Jo's niece)

If you have any items for prayer, please call 01487 830345 or send them to notices@sawtrymethodist.org.uk