

Welcome to Lidgett Methodist Church

Weekly Notices

Sunday 3rd March 2019 and Sunday 10th March 2019

Minister: Rev Ian Hill Mission Development Enabler: Anna Harrison



Services Information

SUNDAY 3rd March: Own Arrangements Café Style All Age

Exodus 34:29-35; Psalm 99; 2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2; Luke 9:28-36(37-43)

Church Stewards: Rosamond & Lin Elizabeth & Judy Door Stewards: Brenda & Robin Teas/Coffees: Audio Steward: Graham Jean S Flowers:

SUNDAY 10th March: No Service

We are invited to join our friends in Poppleton at their service at 10.30am.

What a fantastic event our World Day of Prayer was here at Lidgett on Friday, with 2 services and a light meal. Many thanks to all involved and who helped in any way, but particular thanks to Rosamond for picking up the organisational baton at late notice due to illness.

Offerings Received:

24th February - £277.00

(NB weekly figures do not include offerings made via Standing Order) If you would prefer to make your Offerings by Standing Order please see Robin

Please remember in your prayers.....

The Circuit asks us to pray this week for our preachers and those who lead worship. Please also pray for Ian as he takes the services at Hessay and Poppleton this morning and for all who worship in those places.

Please continue to pray for Jan as she continues her recuperation, who says "could you please pass on a big thank you from me to everyone at Lidgett for their prayers, love and kindness. I have felt so supported and cared for, it has made a huge difference. Thank you." Please also pray for Jean S recovering from an infection, and this week particularly for Sylvia and family.

DON'T FORGET THIS WEEK.....

House Group on Monday evening. Church Council on Tuesday evening. Alan's funeral on Friday morning. Men's Breakfast on Saturday morning. Messy Church on Saturday afternoon.

LENT COURSE BEGINS WEDNESDAY 6TH MARCH

Rev'd Ian Hill will be leading our Wednesday Lent Meditations using songs and scenes from *Les Miserables*, on Wednesdays at 11.45am after the Community Café.

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Public Events Week Commencing Sunday 3rd March

Sunday:

10.30am Service

Monday:

7.30pm House Group (Rm 3)

Tuesday:

9.30am Keep Fit (Hall); 1.00pm NO CRAFT AND CHAT TODAY; 7.30pm SuperSingers (Hall); 7.30pm Church Council (Rm 3)

Wednesday:

9.30am Community Café (Church); 9.30am & 10.30am Song-Box (Rm 1); 10.00am Boccia (Hall); 5.30pm Beavers, Cubs and Scouts (Hall); 7pm Slimming World (Church)

Thursday:

9.15am Little Lambs

Friday:

11.15am Alan Moorby's Funeral Service

Saturday:

9.00am Men's Breakfast (Church); 3.00pm Messy Church (Hall & Church)

Please see the room booking sheets in church and details on the website for events next week.

OTHER NOTICES

Alan Moorby

Alan's Funeral service will take place here at Lidgett this Friday 8th March at 11.15am.

(As it is Men's Breakfast the following morn-ing, and there is service at the Lidgett on Sunday, help to clear away the chairs afterwards would be much appreciated.)

- ♦ Those eagle-eyed amongst us will have noticed we have a new **doorbell** at Lidgett, at the carpark entrance. It is a smart bell which allows us to check callers through an intercom, hear the bell in the office/church, and if the church is empty to respond from home via our mobile phones. It can also be set to detect and record movement as well, which has alerted us to at least one vehicle parking in our carpark for days without permission.
- ♦ Lin is about to begin the process of compiling a new **Contacts Sheet** for those attending Lidgett, so look out for the forms in coming weeks. Information is entirely optional, but also very helpful, as some telephone numbers and email addresses are either incorrect or out of date. Only those whose information appears on the list will receive copies, and they are to be held confidentially, not placed publicly, in accordance with GDPR.
- ♦ Acomb Library are looking for temporary help for their Boccia Group, please speak to Lin if interested.
- ♦ Apparently over 250 people have already booked for the October *Flourish* District event in Scarborough! Places are free and plentiful, but if you were wanting to stay overnight locally, it might be an idea to book accommodation sooner rather than later and for those interested to book together. Lin is happy to co-ordinate this if you speak to her **before the end of March**.

Our successful **Little Lambs** group still needs volunteers on Thursday mornings for a couple of hours to help things run smoothly. If you can help, please speak to Anna. Thanks.



Circuit Service TODAY—3rd March 4pm

We are all invited to the Circuit Service **TODAY** which is being held at **Haxby & Wigginton Methodist Church at 4pm.**

Please come along to worship, celebrate the contribution of Local Preachers, and hear about the Circuit theme for Lent which will be introduced. All are welcome. If you would like to go but don't have transport, or would like to car-share, please have a word with Lin.

Don't forget the next Men's Breakfast is next Saturday 9th March at 9am.

The group is thriving, but they would love more men from church to come along and support this initiative which grew out of Yorkie Dads and Lidgett's Men's Breakfast, so that we can maintain our loving Christian presence there.

Sundays! A big thank you to those who responded to our recent request to help tidy things away at the end of services. For those who missed it, please:



- * Take home your service sheet and tidy away hymn books and bibles
- Stack your chair on a neighbouring one (max height 4 chairs)
- * Return mugs for washing
- * Café Services: tidy pens etc away into containers on tables; take home anything you made; put all rubbish in the bin near the counter; wipe and fold up the tablecloth; fold table and chairs and put away on the racks



Sunday 3rd March Tuesday 5th March Saturday 9th March Tuesday 12th March Friday 15th March Monday 18th March

Church Council 7.30pm Men's Breakfast 9am; Messy Church 3pm Ladies' Leisure Group visiting Holy Redeemer 2

Ladies' Leisure Group visiting Holy Redeemer 2.15pm MWiB District Meeting/Annual Communion Service at Haxby 10.00/10.30am-3.15pm Ladies' Leisure Group lunch out at Wetherby Whaler 1pm

Circuit Service: Celebrating Preaching & Leading Worship, 4pm at Haxby/Wigginton

Sunday 5th May Tuesday 7th May Thursday 16th May Sunday 26th May Circuit Service at Stillingfleet Parish Church 3pm Property Committee 7.30pmpm Stewards Meeting 7pm; Leadership Meeting 7.30pm Circuit Easter Offering Service at Huntington Methodist 4pm

18th-20th October

Flourish District Gathering weekend in Scarborough

Please do have a look at the new notices on our Church notice board, which are updated regularly