



**30 June &
7 July 2024**

Sunday 7th

10.30 a.m. **All Age Cafe worship** – led by Revd Kevin Price
4.00 p.m. **Rooted** (at Belper Methodist Church)
6.00 p.m. **Evening Communion** – led by Revd Kevin Price

Monday 8th

7.30 p.m. **Life Group** (at the Houghs')

Tuesday 9th

9.30 a.m. **Coffee Stop**
9.30 a.m. **Little Springs** (in the worship space)
6.00 p.m. **Brigades**

Wednesday 10th

9.00 a.m. **Prayer Walk**

Friday 12th

6.00 p.m. **Prayers for revival and growth** (at St Mary's)

Sunday 14th

10.30 a.m. **Shared worship at Cromford Methodist Church**
- led by Anne Welch
1.45 p.m. **Circuit Walk** (details tbc)

Lectionary Readings

30th June

2 Samuel 1: 1, 17-27; Psalm 130; 2 Corinthians 8: 7-15; Mark 5: 21-43

7th July

2 Samuel 5:11-5, 9-10; Psalm 48; 2 Corinthians 12:2-10; Mark 6 1-13

14th July

2 Samuel 6:1-5, 12b-19; Psalm 24; Ephesians 1:3-14; Mark 6:14-29

Please note that Kevin will be taking consecutive *Free Sundays* from 14 July – 4 August, including a period of summer holiday, when our Sunday ministry will be led by Wellspring worship leaders and visitors.

Next News-Sheet

This will be another double edition for Sundays 14th & 21st July.
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Ending & Beginning

What's On?

Sunday 30th June

10.30 a.m. **Morning worship** – led by Revd Kevin Price
4.00 p.m. **Afternoon worship** at Waltham House

Monday 1st July

7.30 p.m. **Life Group** (at the Houghs')

Tuesday 2nd

9.30 a.m. **Coffee Stop**
9.30 a.m. **Little Springs** (in the worship space)
6.00 p.m. **Brigades**

Wednesday 3rd

9.00 a.m. **Prayer Zone** (on Zoom)

Friday 5th

6.00 p.m. **Prayers for revival and growth** (at St Mary's)

Saturday 6th

9.30 a.m. **Repair Cafe**

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Bible Month

As we conclude Bible Month our remaining theme for 30th June is:
The God who Confirms and Safeguards Divine Purposes (chapters 37-50)
We give thanks for the ways in which we have encountered God in these ancient stories.

You might like to read these chapters of Genesis or join our Monday evening *Life Group* when our Sunday themes will be followed up.

Rooted - Sunday 7th July: 'His story is worth telling'

Rooted - not to a place but to faith and family, in an inclusive and encouraging atmosphere. This next event offers an opportunity for outdoor worship with a story tent, prayer tent, and picnic tea provided at Belper Central Methodist Church from 4.00 – 6.30 p.m. Please bring a chair if needed.

Circuit Day Trip to Scarborough – Wednesday 7th August

Join a coach to the seaside departing from Darley Dale or Belper Methodist Churches. Costing £10.00 for adults with children under 18 (and accompanied by a relative) free. Booking forms are available or contact Revd Ann Anderson revannanderson@gmail.com (01269) 356463. See poster for more details.

'Big Sing' – Sunday 28th July at West Derbyshire URC at 2.30 p.m.

An invitation to join an informal time of singing together, with a variety of songs: sacred and secular; old and new; thoughtful and light-hearted; *a capella* or in easy parts. Simply singing for enjoyment so, 'Do come!'

Save the date!

Christian Aid Summer Party – 8th August

Wellspring Family Fun Day – 14th August

Wellspring Holiday Club – 2nd to 4th September

Wellspring Tenth Anniversary – 21st/22nd September

Congregational Meeting – now 28th September

Methodist Prayer Handbooks

If you would like to order the Handbook for the year 2024/2025, which starts from September, please let Sue Watts know well before the end of July. The special price is £4.15. (Large print copy also available at the same price).

Membership Review

As mentioned at the May Congregational Meeting, Trustees believe that the milestone of our Tenth Anniversary presents an appropriate opportunity to review our membership, underlining the place of this commitment in our life together as church. As part of this process, all church members, together with those regularly attending worship at Wellspring, will receive a copy of the same letter during July.

Love, Pray, Vote

To help us prepare for the General Election on 4 July, JPIT has produced an election issues briefing – if you haven't had a chance to look at this, please do. Some printed copies are now available. Then, mindful of all who have made sacrifices for our democracy, and those who offer themselves as Parliamentary candidates, we pray that people of integrity, who will put the needs of nation and constituents ahead of party loyalty, will be elected.

"PRAY ALWAYS FOR ALL GOD'S PEOPLE" (Ephesians 6:18)

We continue to hold in our prayers and thoughts:

John Pearson, Sheila, Mary W, Jenny F, Jennifer and Paul T, Ian & Gill Ambrose, Bridget and all who have recently been bereaved.

As Baptist and Methodist people meet at the EMBA Annual Gathering on Saturday 29th June and the MDMC Circuit Meeting on Tuesday 2nd July, we pray that God's presence will be known.

Give thanks for our fellowship with Cromford Methodist Church and pray for our friends as their future is embraced.