

WOODSIDE AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH

COVENTRY, CV3 6BE

Sunday 28th July 2024

Our own Minister, Rev Doreen Koffie-Williams leads our worship today.

The Service will include Holy Communion and will be followed by the Annual Church Meeting.

ANNUAL CHURCH MEETING : The meeting is open to ALL , but only members can vote. Please stay after the Service and be an active part of the Woodside family.

HURRICANE BERYL EMERGENCY APPEAL : this is the last opportunity to donate to the appeal in support of those who need help following the hurricane.

COFFEE MORNING : The next Coffee Morning will be in aid of 'Mission in Britain' will be held on Saturday, 3rd August from 10.30 am until 12.30 pm at the home of Marjorie Davies, 90 St. Martin's Road, CV3 6ER. Everyone Welcome.

WOODSIDE FELLOWSHIP : This week, we all enjoyed a visit from Deaconess Sue Fry who gave a very interesting talk, together with pictures, about the work she does in Kenya and the lives of the people who live in the rural area she supports.

Our August dates are as follows:

Tuesday afternoon, **13th August** - we will again be welcoming Rev Pauline Warner and Roslyn Leng to give us a talk - followed (of course) by tea and biscuits!

Tuesday afternoon, **27th August** - "Afternoon Tea" on behalf of Breast Cancer Research, in the garden of Sue Davies. We will be enjoying tea and cakes in, hopefully, sunny weather - if wet Sue will kindly allow us indoors! We hope to raise as much money as possible for this worthwhile cause. Why not come along and support us?

Advance Notice:

On Tuesday, 10th September, Paula McClenaghan, our Parish Nurse at Woodside will be bringing along her lovely Therapy Dog (Ruby) and talking to us about the important work that therapy dogs do

DIAMOND WEDDING CELEBRATION - Sue and Brian.

We are very happy to be able to celebrate our Diamond Wedding Anniversary later in August. You are welcome to call in to see us 'At Home' for cake and a drink on Saturday 3rd August between 10.30 and 12.30 or 2.00 to 5.00pm. Afternoon will be best following the coffee morning Marjorie Davies is hosting also on Saturday 3rd August. Please no presents, just your company and friendship. Also on Sunday 4th August, after the service, there will be celebration cake for everyone with tea or coffee.

PARISH NURSE NEWS :

Please note that there are some date changes to previous announcements

Family fun sessions will now be on **14th and 21st August** from 11.00 am until 1.00 pm.

Toys, games, jewellery making, colouring, pebble painting and inflatable under sea adventure. Tea, coffee, fruit, biscuits and toast. Please spread the word and let me know if you can help.

Walk In the park will now be on **Thursday 15th August** at 1.30 pm. Meet at the car park off the Kenilworth Road . Apologies for the change in date. Do gather on the original date if it suits you better. Let me know how you get on – maybe send me a photo!

Baby Massage

We are hopeful that we will be able to start this in September. Please pass my email address on to anyone that may be interested

It is now a full year since I started at Woodside and what a lovely year! Thank you all for making me welcome. Thank you to Sue, Marjorie, Rod, Gordon and Eileen for all your help and to Lorraine for all your support and help particularly in baby groups and family fun, thanks to Judy for all the things you have hunted out in the scrap store! Apologies to people I have missed- I thank you all.

Paula McClenaghan

Parish Nurse

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(Please note I only work Tuesdays and either Wednesday or Thursday with this service. It may be a week before I get back to you. If you have an urgent health issue please see your GP or call 111 or if severe eg chest pain call 999)

CHURCH FAMILY

As always, we continue to remember those who are unwell, house bound and unable to join us in Church. With their permission, do keep us informed of any we may not be aware of in special need.

Please remember John and Joan in your prayers. John has had a fall and is currently in hospital and Joan will be missing him and will need prayerful support.

Jill Smee has sent a message, sending her love and good wishes to everyone.

The flowers this week have been donated by Kath Wykes in memory of her father.

NEXT SUNDAY : Our service will be led by David Kershaw

Our services are recorded and will be available for viewing on our website later in the day and throughout the week. (woodsidemethodist.org.uk) The service can also be heard via the phone: 024 76932114.

If you would like anything included in the notices for next week, please contact Jenny Holmes. email jen.holmes@gmx.com, Tel 024 76307539 or 07495652347