



Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> November 2021  
**Chislehurst Methodist Church**  
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Prayers for the week

God uncreated, bless us who are made in your image.  
God untouchable, come to us in the Word made  
flesh. God unfathomable, reveal yourself in the  
wisdom of the Cross. God immortal, keep us in  
eternal life; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

*Angela of Foligno (1248-1309)*



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**Decorations for the Church Christmas Tree – a theme of Reuse & Recycle**

This year we are planning to use the large quantity of baubles which have been in the loft for some years, so due for RE-USING. In addition, we will have some simple hand-made PAPER decorations hopefully made from used paper which will later be RECYCLED. There are sets of instructions for these decorations and some examples on the piano in the church – do please help yourself to a packet and have a go. Your finished decorations must be in the office by Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> November. Contact me if helpful – Gillian Beecher Bryant ☎ 020 8467 6906 or [beecherbryant@btinternet.com](mailto:beecherbryant@btinternet.com)

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sheet home with you

## Order of Service

**Preacher: Rev'd Duncan MacBean**

Welcome

Opening prayer

First Hymn: 55 Immortal, invisible, God only wise

First Reading: Hebrews 9:24-28

Second Reading: Mark 12:38-44

Second Hymn: 667 O watcher in the wilderness

Sermon

Prayers of Intercession

The Lord's Prayer

Third Hymn: 594 Lord Jesus Christ

The Peace

Communion

Final Hymn 566 Take my life and let it be

Blessing

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Next Service: Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> November, Mrs Joan Mayes

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## NOTICES

### **Carol Singing this Christmas**

I have just heard from The Glades that (restrictions permitting) they will be having carol singing there this year. Unfortunately, it will not be possible for me to be involved but if anyone would like to apply for a slot, to raise funds for **Action for Children or for any other registered charity**, please let me know and I will forward the application details to you. Please note that the closing date for applications is Friday, 5th November. We usually collect around £500 in a couple of hours.

Thank you. Christine - cpott7@gmail.com

### **Chislehurst Act of Remembrance**

This will be held by the Falklands Memorial Tree on Chislehurst Village Green on Sunday 14th November at 10:50. The Village Green is the area of Chislehurst Commons between Church Row and School Lane and is less than 100 yards from the War Memorial. Wreaths can be laid at the War Memorial after the service.

The Act of Remembrance in 2020 was on-line so it will be good to have so many people together again. In 2019 about 1,000 attended.

### **Monday Focus**

Monday Focus will be meeting in the Wesley room at the usual time of 12.45 onward, this week will be a hot lunch. New people are always welcome! Rosemary Hughes, 07791 603 668.

### **Thursday Lunchtime Services**

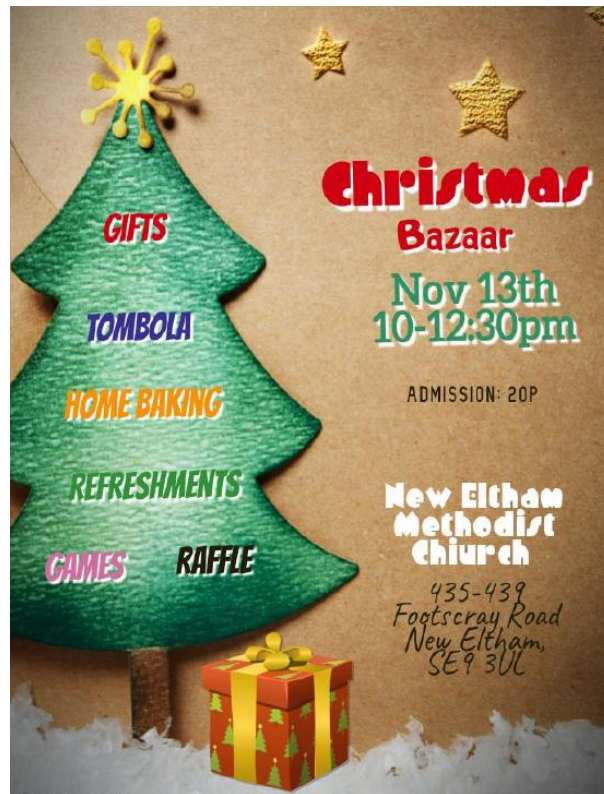
There will be no lunchtime service on 18<sup>th</sup> November. The next one will be on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> December, zoom details will be sent out in due course.

### **JUNIOR CHURCH DATES AND THEMES**

November 7th	Celebration of the Church Anniversary
November 21st	Pre-Christmas Baking (Decorations)
December 5th	Christmas Crafts/ Activities
December 19th	Nativity Celebration

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> November – Christmas Bazaar, New Eltham MC, 10am – 12.30pm
- Friday 12<sup>th</sup> November, 10am – Christmas Decorations Meeting



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## WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS

We keep in our thoughts and prayers the van Teutem family on the recent death of Arend's mother in Portugal. Those of our church community who are unwell or who have need for our prayers: Veronica Crowther; Samuel and Tsion who have family members in the very dangerous Tigray province of Ethiopia; Janet Verrier's son Christopher who is recovering after a motorcycle accident in South Africa; Lynda Smith's granddaughter Emma and her family; Pam Wallace and Myrtle and Neill Truman.

All our friends who are in care homes, particularly Pam Giles, Joan Clements and Ken Chapman.

As part of the fellowship of Churches Together in Chislehurst and Bickley; this week we pray for Christ Church.

