

Sunday 12th October 2025 Chislehurst Methodist Church

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Dear Chislehurst Methodist Church members and friends,

Welcome

Welcome to Chislehurst Methodist Church today. If you are here with young children or babies, please ask a steward for a children's activity. New visitors are especially welcome, please ask a steward for more information.

Sunday Coffee and light refreshment

The Friends of Chislehurst Methodist Church have organised and served the coffee, tea and soft drinks and light refreshments after the 10.30am Sunday Service each week for many years.

All are welcome to in and to meet people from the congregation.

Praying for the Chislehurst Methodist Church Community

This week's prayer focus for the Chislehurst Methodist Church Community is printed at the back of this notice sheet. This week we also pray for all the children and their carers using the facilities at the church.

God bless you richly, Rev Hannah Faal-Heim



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Order of Service

Preacher: Ralph Brandhorst

Stewards welcome / notices

Call to worship: Psalm 95: 1-7

Hymn 34 "O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness..."

Prayers Adoration

Confession

Introduction

Hymn (singing the Faith - StF) 345 "And can it be that I should gain ..."

Introduction to readings

Reading: Luke 17: 11-19

Jesus Cleanses Ten Lepers

¹¹ On the way to Jerusalem Jesus^[a] was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. ¹² As he entered a village, ten lepers^[b] approached him. Keeping their distance, ¹³ they called out, saying, 'Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!' ¹⁴ When he saw them, he said to them, 'Go and show yourselves to the priests.' And as they went, they were made clean. ¹⁵ Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. ¹⁶ He prostrated himself at Jesus'^[c] feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. ¹⁷ Then Jesus asked, 'Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? ¹⁸ Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?' ¹⁹ Then he said to him, 'Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well.'

Reading: 2 Timothy 2: 8-15

⁸ Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, a descendant of David—that is my gospel, ⁹ for which I suffer hardship, even to the point of being chained like a criminal. But the word of God is not chained. ¹⁰ Therefore I endure everything for the sake of the elect, so that they may also obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus, with eternal glory. ¹¹ The saying is sure:

If we have died with him, we will also live with him;

12 if we endure, we will also reign with him;

if we deny him, he will also deny us;

13 if we are faithless, he remains faithful—

for he cannot deny himself.

A Worker Approved by God

¹⁴ Remind them of this, and warn them before God^[a] that they are to avoid wrangling over words, which does no good but only ruins those who are listening. ¹⁵ Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved by him, a worker who has no need to be ashamed, rightly explaining the word of truth.

Commentary / Reflection

Hymn (StF) 350 "I cannot tell why He whom angels worship...".

Prayers of Intercession & The Lord's prayer

Offertory / Dedication

Hymn 470. "Lord for the years your love has kept and guided us..."

Blessing / Grace

Next Service:

Sunday 19th October, 10:30am – Rev Dr Jonathan Dean

Church Anniversary

NOTICES

Monday Focus 13th October

There will be a hot meal costing £10pp this coming Monday. Please do let Sharon or myself know if you are attending for catering purposes.

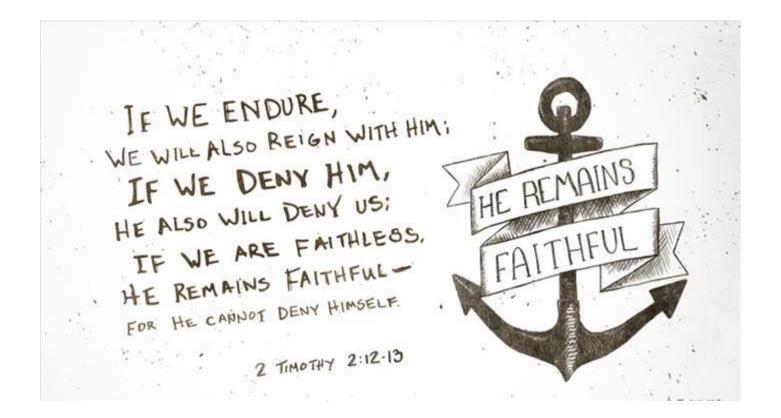
Monday Focus is meeting the Wesley Room at 12.45 pm. There will be a 'bring and buy' stall -sweets and treats only, for Monday Focus funds. All welcome.

Rosemary 07791603668 or Sharon 07757717399



Eileen Dorothy Lidinson

With sadness it was announced in last Sunday's service that Eileen Lidinson has died. Please keep John, Andrew and Mark in your prayers. The funeral will take place here at the church. Details to be announced.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Sunday 19th October Church Anniversary and Gift Day

The Chairman of the London District, The Rev Dr Jonathan Dean has accepted our invitation to lead the worship.

Wednesday 29th October 10am – 12pm

Christmas decoration workshop. Everyone welcome.

EDI and Safeguarding Training

Training dates are displayed on the noticeboard in the Courtyard.

MEMORIAL BOOK

The memorial book is on display in the church. New entries can be added at any time so please do contact the church office if you would like to add an entry.

We remember and pray for all of those that have died in the month of October.

Helen Vera Towers

Born: 28th June 1911, Died: 13th October 1992

Pam Giles

Born: 16th October 1934, Died: 11th October 2022

WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS

Those of our church community who are unwell or who have need for our prayers: Helen Baylis, Julie Covill, John Sennett, Janet Woollett, Pam Wallace, Jeanne Pearce, Monica Faux, Brenda McBearty, John Lidinson and his family, Christine Pott. All our friends who are in care homes, particularly Joan Clements and Rosemary Whittingham.

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



Pastoral Support Contacts

If you need any pastoral support or know someone who does, please speak to:

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