

# WEEKLY SERVICES AND CHURCH GROUP MEETINGS

Date	Time	Minister/Preacher	Duty Stewards	Reader	Finance	Door Steward	Flowers	Junior Church
Sunday 22nd May	10.30am	Lesley Trott	Dorothy Odell	Tim Crouch	Brenda Munchin	Jean Wahanchuk	Deborah Ingram	Tim Crouch
Sunday 29th May	10.30am	Fred Yamoah	Jean Wahanchuk	Fran Shepherd	Angie Rastall	Derek Brighton	Val Gibson	Tim Crouch
Sunday 5th June	10.30am	Local Arrangements	Angie Rastall Jean Wahanchuk	Jan Sellings	N/A	Val Gibson	Jean Wahanchuk	Tim Crouch

## HOUSE GROUP/BIBLE STUDY

EVERY WEDNESDAY AT 7PM  
PLEASE CONTACT FRAN SHEPHERD FOR DETAILS.

## HOMEMAKERS

Thursday at 2pm

26th May

From Princess to Queen  
Melanie Gibson-Barton

## Craft Club

Every Friday between  
10.30am and 1.30pm  
All welcome

**Praise and Prayer** our midweek worship service gives you an opportunity to meet up, connect and worship God in between our Sunday Morning Services. Meeting on the first Tuesday in the month at 10:00 am for about half an hour.

**Praise and Prayer** provides a friendly and gentle environment for worship to pray, praise and refuel for the week ahead. Stay on after the service to enjoy a chat over a cup of tea.

**Next Service: 7th June at 10am**

## Weekly On-Line Service

For those wishing to access the circuit live streaming in the morning, the service will be at 10.30am. The link for all the service is below.

<https://www.nkmethodists.org.uk/news/worship-from-home.html>

If you have a Smart TV with Virgin or Sky and it has a YouTube app you can find the weekly services on: "NKMC ..." then type in the date and the surname of the preacher into the search engine and you will find the service.

**This week's preacher is Rev Bonni-Belle Pickard**

## Forthcoming Events

### Date and Time

### Event

18th/19th June

Church Anniversary Weekend—see page 4 for details

18th June

Away Day Retreat at Hartlip

19th June

Anniversary Service led by Revd Kevin Taylor. We will have a selection of cakes with tea and coffee after the service.

16th July

Summer Fete—details to follow.

25th September

Harvest Service

**Church Magazine—Summer Edition**

**Closing date for articles is 25th May.**

## Latest Covid Guidelines

### as at 6th February 2022

Following the lifting of restrictions the wearing of face masks when attending worship is now a personal choice.

However, it is important to consider that others may wish to take a more cautious approach and we should all be considerate of this, and provide the opportunity and space for others to reduce close contacts if they wish, when seated and moving around the church. As a church we will ensure the building is adequately ventilated and we would also ask that you continue to use the hand sanitisers when entering and using the toilet.



## Church Anniversary Weekend June 18<sup>th</sup> - 19<sup>th</sup>

This year, on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> June we are going to have an Away Day at Hartlip Retreat Centre from 10am - 3pm. The theme for the day will be Growing in God and will look particularly at Bible reading and Prayer. Refreshments will be provided and lifts will be available for those who need them. We do hope that you will join us for a few hours of fellowship in the beautiful surroundings of Hartlip Chapel. Please sign the list in church as soon as possible if you would like to come.

On Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> June we will welcome Rev Kevin Taylor to lead our service at 10.30am, which we will be followed by tea/coffee and cake. Kevin was meant to come a few years ago but, unfortunately suffered with illness, which took him some time to recover from. Then Covid arrived, which meant putting him off for another two years! It will be good to see him and to hear the words that he brings for us at this time.

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## Weekly Church Notices for 22nd May 2022

## WELCOME

We extend a warm welcome to everyone worshipping with us today. If you are new to our church we would like to stay in contact with you, so please take a Welcome form from the vestibule, fill in your details and hand it to a Door Steward or any of the Stewards following the service

## Weekly Prayer

We remember in our prayers this week the Apostolic Church who meet in the church on a Tuesday evening. We pray God's blessing on them as they study His word together.