

Our prayer room is available for private prayer at times of special need and there will be someone available to pray with you there after each morning service. This room is situated alongside the minister's vestry en-route for the halls. Please do make use of this facility.

Discovery Club welcomes children aged 5 years and upwards to join them for the story, games and craft activities. Children aged between 3 and 4 years are also welcome when accompanied by a parent/carer. For the under 3s there are toys, games, soft toys and books in the Play Zone at the rear of the church where parents can listen to the service through the speakers.

Tax efficient giving...

If you pay income tax the church can, like any charity, reclaim the tax you have paid on your gifts. If you would like the church to do this on all your weekly gifts, this is most simply done by joining the Envelope Scheme – see Sue Dennison for details.

For single donations, envelopes are available in the church entrance, please fill in the details.

Books...

We have a Christian book loan scheme that can be found on the book trolley in the narthex. The books are available for free loan. If you wish to borrow a book just sign for it in the exercise book provided and tick when you return the book. If you have any good, up to date Christian books that you would be willing to lend to the scheme please put them on the trolley. If you have any queries see Wendy Salmon.

A vision for our Church is...

To be a place where existing members can worship and grow in faith but also a place where newcomers feel valued and can be brought to know Jesus Christ as a Saviour for themselves.

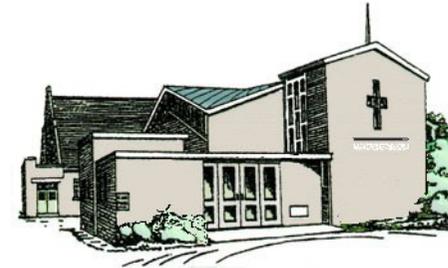


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Percy Road, Hampton



News and Notices

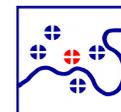
13th May 2018

Visitors: We give you a warm welcome and ask you to sign our visitors book. Please do also join us for coffee/tea and biscuits in the small hall afterwards. We hope to see you again soon.

Mission Statement

To fulfil God's will in love, word and power, helping people to become fully committed followers of Jesus Christ.

Minister: Rev Vicci Davidson (01932 788066)



Part of the Teddington Methodist Circuit

Dates For Your Diary

Sunday 13th May

10:30am All-Age Service, led by **Rev Vicci Davidson**
followed by tea or coffee served in the small hall
Every Sunday after the morning service the Prayer Room is available
for private prayer

Monday 14th May

Tuesday 15th May

Wednesday 16th May

7:45pm Insights Bible Study – see opposite for more details

Thursday 17th May

7:45pm Housegroup at 65 Hatherop Road

Friday 18th May

12:00non Friday Focus lunch

Saturday 19th May

Sunday 20th May

10:30am Service, led by **Bron Coveney**
followed by tea or coffee served in the small hall
Every Sunday after the morning service the Prayer Room is available
for private prayer

The offertory on Sunday 29th April amounted to £179.00
and on Sunday 6th May amounted to £442.30

Notices for 20th May to Michael Dennison by Thursday 17th, please
(8, Chestnut Avenue or e-mail notices@hamptonmethodistchurch.org.uk).

Sunday, May 27th

Annual Church meeting after the service on Sunday, May 27th 2018

Future dates:

Housegroup at 65 Hatherop Road: 7:45pm. The group meets fortnightly on Thursday evenings at 7:45pm, on the following dates: 17th and 31st May, 14th and 28th June and 12th July.

Messy Church: 29th May, 9th June at Hampton Carnival, 24th July, 28th August.

Friday Focus: future dates are - 18th May, 15th June and 13th July. A home-cooked two course lunch, including teas and coffees for £4.00, served in the small hall. Teas and coffees served from 11:45am. Please speak to Hazel for further information.

Tea & Memories: continues on the first Friday of each month in the small hall, from 10:30am – 12:00noon.

Insights Bible study led by Vicci, looking at the amazing Gospel of John. You do not need to do any homework, just come along with your friends and enjoy this powerful book. 16th May, 20th June, 25th July. All start at 7:45pm and finish at 9:30pm. All welcome.

News and Notices

Christian Aid Week begins today, Sunday 13th May. Envelopes will be available in the Narthex for anyone who does not have one delivered at home.

The London District Conference 'Moving Stories' is taking place from Friday 20th July 2018 - Sunday 22th July 2018 at High Leigh Conference Centre. The conference is for all members of the London District.

For further information check <https://www.movingstorieslondon.com/conference>

Methodist Woman in Britain are holding a "Quiet Day" at Ruislip Methodist Church HA4 7BZ on Saturday 30th June 2018 entitled **Living in Ordinary Time**. Outside the seasons of Advent, Christmas, Lent and Easter, other Sundays in the Church's calendar are described as being in Ordinary Time. This Quiet Day offers the opportunity to reflect on the spirituality of ordinariness as we live, work and pray in the presence of our everyday God. It is led by Rev John Swarbrick and runs from 10:00am – 4:00pm.

Cost per head £5 including lunch. To book your place please contact Gillian Oxman 01895 634859 by Monday 25th June.

Bronwen's orchestra, Kensington Symphony Orchestra, will be performing Puccini's **La Bohème** at St John's Smith Square, SW1 on Monday 21st May at 7:00pm. Soloists include Monica McGhee (English National Opera), Nico Darmanin (Royal Opera House), Nicholas Morris and Hazel McBain (Opera Scotland). Tickets £30, £20, £18 and apparently selling fast!

All welcome: do ask Bronwen for further details. More info online at: www.kso.org.uk.