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Burn Park Road, Sunderland, SR2 7JH

Sunday 16th February 2020.

Good morning and welcome to Burn Park Church. Due to the weather, Miss Joyce Hindmarch is unable to be with us today, so our worship this morning, at **10:30 a.m.**, will be led by Mrs Sue Wilson & Mr Nick Thompson; we look forward to the message they bring for us today. An especially warm welcome goes to any friends who are with us for the first time, whilst we remember in our prayers, those friends who are unable to join our fellowship today. Please stay to share in fellowship over a cup of tea or coffee in the dining area afterwards: donations from which will go into Church Funds.

To receive a clear transmission, please switch to 'T' on your Phonic aid.

If you are Blind or Partially sighted, please ask, and we may have hymn words in Braille or Large print for you to use.



We can accommodate wheelchairs in all rooms within the building.

Collect for the Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time:

O God, forasmuch as without you we are not able to please you; mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord.



If you know of any specific prayer requests, please speak to one of the stewards before worship so that your prayer may be included in the service.

Before worship, we speak to God.



During worship, let God speak to you.

After worship, speak to each other.

<u>Next Sunday:</u> On **Sunday 23rd February** there will be no worship here at Burn Park; instead, at **10:45 a.m.**, we will join with the congregation of Ewesley Road to worship at Humbledon Church when our morning worship for the Sunday before Lent will be led by Rev Rosemary Nash.



Evening Worship around our Sunderland Circuit: regular venues are:

Ewesley Road 6 p.m. East Boldon 6 p.m. (1st & 3rd in month)

Roker 6 p.m. (1st in month) High Southwick 6 p.m.

New Silksworth 6 p.m. Whitburn 6 p.m. (1st & 3rd in month)

St. John's 6.30 p.m.

Don't forget "Sunday Night Extra" from 6 – 8 p.m. at Fulwell on the 2nd Sunday of each month. Check with the Circuit Plan to see whether services are taking place.

Methodist Prayer from methodist.org.uk:

O consuming fire, O Spirit of love, descend into our hearts and there transform us until we are fire of your fire, love of your love, and Christ himself is formed within us.

Elizabeth of Schönau (1129-1164)





Other Notices:

Margaret Metcalfe would appreciate some small donations towards the flowers for the Church. Thank you.

Members of the Church Council are reminded that the next meeting is at 7:15 p.m. on Monday 17th February here at Burn Park. Please make every effort to attend.





Apologies, but the Bible Study at the house of John Carter due to be on this Thursday has had to be postponed. Look out for information about the next time we will meet.

We are reminded that those with responsibilities within the Church should be up to date with their Safeguarding knowledge; to ensure this, some new training has been organised. If you are unsure which course you need to attend, please speak to Rev Rosemary. There are various dates and venues over the next couple of months where training is being held. Foundation Module at St. John's on Thursday 5th March from 1:30 p.m., Refresher Foundation Training at Roker Methodist Church on Thursday 20th February from 1:30 p.m., and 4 dates for the Advance Training Module: Saturday 29th February at Great Ayton Methodist Church, Monday 2nd March at Darlington (actual venue tbc), Friday 6th March at Castletown Methodist Church and Saturday 14th March at Houghton-le-Spring. Booking is essential for the advanced course.

Rev Rosemary Nash will be leading a Lent course to be held at Ewesley Road on Sunday 1st March, Sunday 8th March, Sunday 22nd March and Sunday 5th April at **6 p.m.** each time. All are welcome.





The Joint Public Issues Team of the Methodist Church invites you to a Conference on Renewal and Rebellion: Faith, Economy and Climate: to be held in Derby on Saturday 7th March. There is a poster giving details on the notice board. Booking is essential, see: http://www.jointpublicissues.org.uk/whats-new/conference2020/

Tickets are now on sale for Park Productions' pantomime "Dick Whittington" which is on Thursday 12th March and Friday 13th March at 7:15 p.m., and Saturday 14th March at 3:30 **p.m.** See Kathleen to book your seats before they Saturday afternoon is particularly looking busy but there are plenty of tickets left for Thursday evening at the moment.





Evangelicals 10:30

On Saturday 14th March, from - **12:30 p.m.**, Methodist Together Evangelicals Together are holding

"Chosen people, Royal Priesthood" at Brunswick Methodist Church. See poster for more details.

Could all those with "League of Light" boxes or who would like to give a donation to "Action for Children" please pass them on to Kathleen Carter a.s.a.p.? Thank you





The Feb/Mar edition of "News on the Park" is out! Pick up your copy and take one for a friend! Don't forget to leave a donation in lieu of a cover price to be donated to "Toilet Twinning." It would be great if we could twin the church toilets to help those without facilities elsewhere in the world.

1 John 4:10 (NIV)

This is love: not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as an atoning sacrifice for our sins.



BURN PARK CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

Bum Park Methodist Church exists to worship God,

and make the Love of Jesus known, in our welcome, outreach, and care for all.

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Regular Events at this Church:

Sunday

10:30 a.m. Morning Worship & Sunday Club

11 a.m. Mustard Seed Church

1 p.m. - 3 p.m.

Deeper Life Church Worship

6 p.m.

Churches Together Drop-In for

Homeless people

Monday

10 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. Drop-in Lunch

1:30 - 3:30 p.m. Ladybirds (1st Monday of month)

<u>Tuesday</u>

11 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. Lunch Club

6 p.m. - 8 p.m. Deeper Life Church Bible Study

7:30 p.m. - 9 p.m. Park Productions

Thursday

10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Coffee@Burn Park

1 p.m. - 3:45 p.m. Stroke Club

2 p.m. Bible Study (3rd week of month)

6 p.m. - 8 p.m. Beavers, Cubs, & Scouts

<u>Friday</u>

9:30 a.m. - 11 a.m. Toddlers Group 4 p.m. - 9 p.m. Ballet Classes

<u>Saturday</u>

10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Coffee Mornings (3rd week of month)

Don't forget to check the Notice Board for new Posters.

To book rooms for an event, please contact Melvyn Morgan on tel: 5251930.

If you have any notices to be published, please contact Suzy or Phil Wake at Church, Tel: **5226257**, by e-mail on WaSus654@aol.com,

or at 119, Tunstall Rd, by 9 p.m. Thursday.

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