



Burn Park Methodist Church



Burn Park Road, Sunderland, SR2 7JH

Sunday 9th July 2017.

Good morning and welcome to Burn Park Church. Today's worship at **10:30 a.m.** will be led by Rev. Gareth Phillips and will include the sacrament of the Lord's Supper; we look forward to the message he brings to us. Any friends who are with us for the first time are given an especially warm welcome, whilst those friends who are unable to join our fellowship today are remembered, in our prayers. 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 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time:

Servant Lord, grant us both the opportunity and the will to serve you day by day. May all that we do and how we bear each other's burdens be our offering of love and service to the glory of your name.

Amen



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.



Evening Worship around our Sunderland Circuit: regular venues are:

Castletown 6 p.m.

Ewesley Road 6 p.m.

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

Roker 6 p.m.

High Southwick 6 p.m.

New Silksworth 6 p.m.

St. John's 6.30 p.m.

Whitburn 6 p.m.

Don't forget "Sunday Night Extra" from 7:30 – 9 p.m. at Fulwell on the 2nd Sunday of each month.

Next Sunday: On **Sunday 16th July**, at **10:30 a.m.**, our worship here at Burn Park will be led by Mrs. Marjorie Brown.



Methodist Prayer from Twitter:

Jesus, by your wounded feet, direct our path.
Jesus, by your nailed hands, move us to deeds of love.
Jesus, by your pierced side, purify our desires.
Jesus, by your crown of thorns, annihilate our pride.
Jesus by your broken heart, knit ours to yours.

Amen

Richard Crashaw (1613-1649)

Other Notices:

Today is “Action for Children” Sunday. There are envelopes available for those who wish to donate to this Methodist children’s charity which is making a difference to the lives of thousands of children and families throughout the UK. Please place your envelope in the collection bag either today or next week. Thank you. Kathleen Carter



I:GNITE is a series of events in Sunderland, aimed at young people aged 11 - 16. I:GNITE's purpose is to be the urban arm of the church, reaching out & bringing together young people from across the city to communicate the gospel in a relevant & engaging way; using bands, artists & DJ’s to share the gospel. Since its launch in 2016, great numbers of young people have engaged with us through this work. We are stepping out again in our 3rd I:GNITE event, by welcoming Christian band CROSSFYA; taking the band into local secondary schools, delivering assemblies & lessons; our very first I:GNITE Schools Mission Week from Tuesday 11th – Friday 14th July. On the Friday evening, we are holding a celebration event, to which all the young people we have engaged with throughout the week will be invited, & we would love it if your young people would join us for this very special evening. Details are **Friday 14th July @ The Point, Sunderland**, doors open at 7 p.m. for a **7:30 p.m.** start; free admission (see poster for more details).

The next monthly coffee morning will be on **Saturday 15th July** at the usual time of **10 a.m. – 12 noon**. Please come along and support this. Please also note there is no coffee morning in August. Back in September.



June and Rob Whitfield would like to invite you to an Open Garden Night on **Thursday 20th July** at 10 & 11 Vale Street backyards from **6 p.m. till 8 p.m.** Plants for sale, raffle, table top sale, refreshments and music. Outside; weather permitting. All money raised to be donated to Burn Park Church funds.

 Don't forget to pick up your copy of June/July “News on the Park”. Donations of £30 from the last couple of years’ magazines have been sent to St. John’s Ambulance. Thank you to everyone who has put in a donation in lieu of a cover price. Could you contribute to a future edition of our Church magazine? Funny, thoughtful, poetic or other

articles are very welcome. I would welcome any historical information about our Church as well for inclusion on our website. Articles for the August /September edition should be submitted by **20th July**. Suzy 'Youth Invasion' - summer Auckland Castle Summer Camp is back again as a diocesan event in conjunction with The Pulse and you are invited - one night only!! Camping (tents provided) at Auckland Castle from **11:30 a.m. on Friday 11th to 4 p.m. Saturday 12th August**. Cost is just £10 per person. Activities will include, Thrills and Skills, Nature unwrapped, crafts, campfire, Jack Drum Arts, a football cage and much more! Aimed at school Year 6 and up (11 – 16s). Only 60 places available - book by **30th July**. See poster on notice board.

Did you use the "Great 50 Days" resource? If so, could you fill in a survey to give feedback? There is an online survey form which individuals have been asked to fill in by the end of July which can be found at faithweb.org.uk/Survey50days. I have paper forms which can be filled in and returned to me (Suzy) or sent direct to Natalie Clark.

Exciting news - "Riding Lights" Autumn Tour for 2017 - Gospel Street; marking the beginning of their 40th year with a radical re-telling of the good news. Gospel Street asks what would the stories of Jesus look like if they were gathered today? It is a collaboration between award-winning writers, including rapper and hip-hop artist, Testament. 'Riding Lights is doing what it does best: bringing everyone together to hear some of the good news with wisdom, laughter, energy and insight.' This could be an outreach event in our Church or community, either as a single Church or in collaboration. Details are on the notice board for consideration.

Coffee @ Burn Park: Thank you to all those who supported our special morning. We are able to give £125 to the church and hope to host other events in the future. We are always pleased to see new people on Thursdays and would be pleased if some of you would drop in for a coffee and a chat. All are welcome and you don't need to do any crafts. Ann & Wendy.



Thank you to everyone who contributed to Christian Aid this year; the coffee morning and envelopes in the pews raised a total of £72.16. I will be sending them the knotted wool and petition after this weekend so if anyone has any more to add, please give them to me a.s.a.p. Suzy

Psalm 138:2 (NIV)

I will bow down towards your holy temple and will praise your name for your unfailing love and your faithfulness, for you have so exalted your solemn decree that it surpasses your fame.

BURN PARK CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

Burn 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

6.00 p.m.

Churches Together Drop-In for
Homeless people

Tuesday

11.00 a.m. - 1.30 p.m.

Lunch Club

1.30 p.m. - 3.00 p.m. (1st & 3rd weeks in the month only)

Women Together

7.30 p.m. - 9.00 p.m.

Park Productions

Thursday

10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Coffee@Burn Park

1.00 p.m. - 3.45 p.m.

Stroke Club

6.00 p.m. - 8.00 p.m.

Beavers, Cubs, & Scouts

Friday

9.30 a.m. - 11.00 a.m.

Toddlers Group

7 p.m.

Young Asian Voices

Saturday

10.00 a.m. - 12 noon

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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