



CHURCH NOTICES - 1 June 2025

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We extend a very warm welcome to all who worship with us and invite you to join us for refreshments after the service.

If you are new or visiting, we would love to get to know you.



From around the Community



The next Ecumenical Worship and Prayer Breakfast is on Wednesday 4th June in the Community Hub at St Aidan's at 8am. All are welcome

Lancashire Partnership Against Crime (LANPAC), Lancashire Constabulary, Safer Handling, and Z's Defence Academy invite you to take part in an exclusive opportunity to develop essential personal safety skills.



Dates: Wednesday 11th June -Thursday 17th July - Tuesday 12th August

Time: 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Location: Lancashire Constabulary Headquarters, Hutton

What You Will Learn :

- Personal Safety and Situational Awareness
- Edged Weapon Awareness
- Practical Self-Defence Techniques
- Understanding the Law on Reasonable Force

This event is open to everyone, regardless of background or experience. Whether you want to improve your awareness, develop self-defence skills, or gain a better understanding of the law on reasonable force, these sessions will empower you.

How to Register : Spaces are limited, so secure your place now via Eventbrite: Personal Safety Sessions Tickets, Multiple Dates | Eventbrite



News from around the Circuit/District

Vacancy: Centre Manager at The Cornerstone Sulyard Street, Lancaster.

Part-time – 17.5 hours per week

(some flexible working is necessary)

-with the potential of this becoming a full time post pending funding

Have you got experience in management and oversight of people and premises?

The Lancaster Methodist Church seeks to appoint a part-time Centre Manager. The successful applicant will play a leading role at The Cornerstone, our vibrant community hub on Sulyard Street. They will be required to organise the day to day running of the centre, oversee volunteers and staff, liaise with the Cornerstone Chaplain and centre users, and to help develop this community hub. We are an equal opportunities employer but the role requires a sympathy with the aims and ethos of the Methodist Church. Please note - the post is subject to obtaining a satisfactory enhanced DBS (Disclosure and Barring Service) disclosure.

Salary: £15,500 per annum

Closing date for applications: 9th June 2025

The Interviews will be held the week beginning 23rd June 2025

or further information and for an application form, please contact: Simon

Stewart at: simoncornerstonecafe@gmail.com, tel 01524 840027

There will be a Pentecost celebration service outside Fulwood Methodist church (at the Watling Street Road side) on Sunday 8th June, 4pm with Churches together in Fulwood.



The "Out of the Embers" Bereavement Support Space meets on the second Monday of the month at the Black Bull Inn, 315 Garstang Road, Fulwood, PR2 9UP from 7pm to 8-30pm. The next meeting will be on Monday 9th June. For more information, please contact Rev Jane Wild. Her email address is jane.wild@methodist.org.uk



In case you missed these items last week



Dear Friends,
Bookings for 3Generate 2025 are now open!

This event is for youngsters aged 8 - 18 years taking place from Friday 3rd to Sunday 5th October at the NEC Birmingham.

Please do contact me with any questions you may have, and if you cannot afford to pay but your youngster wants to go, please speak to me about it.

Please note we need payment this year before purchasing tickets, so we have a **DEADLINE of 29th June. (payment can be taken on Sunday 29th)**

Please contact Eric Chatburn at chatburn@talktalk.net who will email you a copy of all the relevant forms and documents.

Darren Arnold – Youth, Children's & Family Worker.

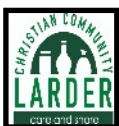
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Bible Month is an annual campaign that celebrates Scripture by inviting the whole Methodist Connexion to feast on one particular book of the Bible together.

There is a 30 day reading guide available from the Methodist Church.

If you would like a copy, please email Eric Chatburn at chatburn@talktalk.net and he will send you one.



People in our community still need help with day to day living. There is a box in the foyer for donations to the local Community Larder based at St. Aidan's church. It has been noticed that very few items are currently in the box.

Please give what you can. Thank you.



In the unlikely event of a fire in the building ... please stay calm and follow the instructions of the Stewards



This week's meetings & activities at Bamber Bridge.



Monday 2nd June: AA support group at 10am

Signing class at 6-30pm

Pilates Class at 7pm.

Tuesday 3rd June : The Tai Chi class is at 7pm.

Wednesday 4th June : Wellness Cafe including "Stay & Play"
session for preschool children runs from 9am to 12pm.

The Signing class is at 6-30pm

The Soropimists group meeting is at 7-30pm

Thursday 5th June : The Wellness Cafe is open from 9am to 12pm

The Bamber Bridge Reading group meet at 10am.

The Peer Support group meet at 1pm.

The Dance Class is at 4pm

The Lighthouse group meet at 6pm.

Friday 6th June : The Al-anon support group meet at 10am.

The Bamber Bridge Reading group meet at 10am.

The Organ practice is at 1pm

Saturday 7th June: The Blackburn Diocese meeting starts at
8-30am.

Sunday 8th June : Rebecca Ainsworth leads our All Together
Worship at 10-30am.

Please send items for next week's notices to Eric Chatburn to arrive no
later than 6pm on Wednesday to ensure inclusion on Sunday.

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