



# Burton Road Methodist Church, Lincoln



Church Web Site: [www.burtonroadmethodist.org.uk](http://www.burtonroadmethodist.org.uk)

Burton Road Methodist Church is committed to bringing people to Christ through God's word and the power of the Holy Spirit.

- Accepting people as they are.
- Worshiping together as a family.
- Welcoming and loving everyone.
- Serving the community around us.



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Should you require help which you think we may be able to provide, but feel unable to approach anyone whilst here, please do contact Stephen Brown or Peter Reast.

Large print Bibles, Hymn, Service and Song books/sheets are available, please ask at the door.

**Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> January 2006**

**10:30 am** – Peter Reast

**On Duty** – Mary, Sarah B, Pauline, Shirly, Claire, Sarah E and Andi.

**6:00 pm** – Laura MacBean

**On Duty** – Pauline, Jim, Michael and Helen P.

**Sunday 22<sup>th</sup> January 2006**

**10:30 am** – Yvonne Jeffries

**On Duty** – John, Barbara W, Michael, Helen P, Shirley, Dorothy, Denise and Joy.



**Local Prayer:**

- For Stephen and Yvonne as they prepare to lead worship next week.
- Remember those who are unwell, especially waiting for test and operation dates, and give thanks for those who are recovering and being made well.
- Jo Elgars father, in Australia, has died following a long illness. She has gone to support her Mum and sister, Geoff is here looking after the boys in Chelmsford. Please pray for them all.



**Global Prayer:**

On December 26th 2004, over 230,000 people died when a Tsunami hit South Asia. One year on, a massive task remains to help those who survived but lost so much in the disaster that shocked the world. From 1 - 12 January, a team of sixteen Singaporeans will join crew members from the OM Ship Doulos to help with the rebuilding process in Galle, Sri Lanka. The Singaporean volunteers are lawyers, psychologists, army officers and students wanting to do their part in the on-going work. Please pray that God will use them to bring help and hope. Pray too for team leader Pauline Koh from OM Singapore staff and for the Doulos crew members who will also be involved in the work.

**The week ahead...**

<b>Monday</b>	<b>18:30</b>	<b>Prayer Meeting (In Church).</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>19:45</b>	<b>House Group at 35 Mill Road.</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>14:30</b>	<b>Wednesday Afternoon Fellowship</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>19:30</b>	<b>Church Council Meeting (In church)</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>18:00</b>	<b>Special Agents</b>

**Thank you** for all the kind support, prayers, cards and offers of practical help received. Dorothy is making steady progress following her operation and goes back to see the consultant this week Dorothy and Michael Chambers.



**Prayer meeting**, 18.30pm, Every Monday, in the church.. It meets each week, except Bank Holidays when we would encourage you to pray together at 18.30pm from your own homes.

**Methodism in our Madness**

What do we believe?  
How do we function?  
What are our priorities?

*Three sessions on the life of the Methodist church: Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> January.*

19:00-21:00 –  
Navenby Methodist Church

Contact Liz Farlan:  
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**The Property Committee** invite us to think about our premises and the work you would like to see accomplished here. There is now a '**Wish List**' on the notice board! Please write on it any work you believe to be important, that would make the building look, feel and function better. No suggestion will be too trivial or too daunting to be considered, and if it is already written down feel free to mark it with a 'ditto' or 'here here'.

**During December**, We have received: £869.93 through both the offertory plate and through the bank.

**16<sup>th</sup> Lincoln Scout Group.** The scout group that meet on our premises need a new treasurer. If you feel this is something you may be able to help with please speak with either Shirley or Peter. Thank you.

**Please note:** there will be NO Thursday house group due to the Church council meeting.

**The next Wednesday Afternoon Fellowship** meeting is on the 18<sup>th</sup> January at 2.30pm and includes the A.G.M, taken by Rev Stephen Brown.

**Church Council** meets in the church on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> January at 7:30pm. All are very welcome to attend and participate in any discussions, although only Church members are able to vote. Minutes of the last meeting are still available in church.

**Barnabas Aid** is the magazine of Barnabas Fund and is being sent for the interest of the church via Angela. Barnabas Fund supports Christians where they are in a minority, and where Christians suffer discrimination, oppression and persecution. In the interest of not wasting resources does anyone already receive the info and are you willing to share it with the church. Please let Angela know.

**Our New Year party** is on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> January; at 4.45pm for a Bring and Share tea at 5pm. This will be followed by a Beetle Drive. We are all welcome, do bring along partners and children to join the fun.

**Security** Please lock outside doors behind you when leaving and entering the building, to prevent any more theft.



**Junior Church** A meeting for all leaders, helpers and young leaders is on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> January at 7.45pm at the Hicks' home.

### **Methodist Association Of Youth Clubs**



The MAYC Orchestra and Singers Concert is taking place live at Grimsby Central hall on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> February at 7:30pm. Tickets are available from the Caxton Theatre Box Office, Tel 01472 346251. £4.00 per person.



**Methodist Year of continuous prayer** Burton Road's portion is from 4:00pm – 6:00pm on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> February in church. Details to follow.

### **Next Notices**

Please pass all information for the next notice sheet to Angela Reast by next Wednesday (01522) 822981 or [reastfamily1@ntlworld.com](mailto:reastfamily1@ntlworld.com) Thank you.