

# Burton Rd Methodist Church, Lincoln



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Burton Rd Methodist Church is committed to bringing people to Christ through Gods Word and the power of the Holy Spirit

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

Welcome to our worship

Large print service books and sheets are available at the door

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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, do contact Stephen or Peter

**Welcome to our visitors today**

## **Sunday 18th November 2007- Breakout**

All age service & Lincoln Youth for Christ Gift Day

**10.30am** Mr Peter Reast

On duty John BarbaraW Helen Rob  
Maureen John

Refreshments after the service & donations for JMA will be invited, then a bring and share lunch.

**6.00pm** Taize

On Duty John

**Help is needed on the door, please**

Refreshments will be served after the service

## **Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> November 2007**

Holy Communion & prayer for healing

**10.30pm** Rev Stephen Brown

On Duty Angela SarahB Pauline Elizabeth  
Denise

**Help is needed in Junior Church, please**

## **PRAYER MATTERS!**

**For this week particularly, please pray...**

... for Stephen, PeterR and all those involved in preparing worship for next week.

... for the work of Lincoln Youth for Christ in our city.

... for the ongoing arrangements for our children's and youth work.

... for Rob Frost's family and friends following his death this week.

... for Marys Mum who has had a fall and is in hospital, & for her family as they travel to visit and support her.

... for the work of the Street Pastors who are missed by the police and business establishments when not on duty. Also for those who are praying about how best to support or be a part of this work.

UPDATE FROM TEARFUND ON THE FLOODING IN MEXICO....Last week more than one million people were affected by devastating floods hitting Tabasco in southern Mexico; and this week a mudslide caused by the heavy flooding completely devastated a remote village in the state. The floods are thought to be the worst Mexico has experienced in 50 years and at least 800,000 people have been left homeless, and more than 16 people feared missing from the mudslide. PLEASE PRAY for those who have lost everything, and ask that they may be able to find safe shelter. PLEASE ALSO PRAY for our partner AMEXTRA, that they would be able to reach the most vulnerable communities, and give thanks for the staff helping communities with provisions.

Please pass information and prayers to Angela for our next notices by Wednesday.  
Tel. 01522 822981 or Email [angela.reast@ntlworld.com](mailto:angela.reast@ntlworld.com)

**NB Last Notices this year – 23<sup>rd</sup> December, first Notices next year – 6<sup>th</sup> January**

**Week beginning Sunday 18th November**

Day	Time	Event	Venue
Sunday	10.30am	All Age Service including Lincoln Youth for Christ DVD and offering of Gifts for its work, & refreshments Bring and share lunch followed by Breakout Games (for the energetic!)	Church
	6.00pm	Taize Service	Hall
	7.00pm	Quest-ians	Church Lounge
Monday	9.00am	School Gators	Lounge
	6.30pm	Prayer Meeting	Church
	Evening	16 <sup>th</sup> Lincoln Scouts	Hall
Tuesday	7.30pm	Housegroup	See Pauline
Wednesday	2.30pm	Wednesday Afternoon Fellowship	Lounge
	7.00pm	Children's & Youth work meeting (see notice below)	79 All Saints Lane, Nettleham
Thursday	7.30pm	Poacher Morris	Hall
	7.00pm	Lincolnshire Herb Society	Lounge
	7.45pm	Housegroup	Peter & Angelas
Friday	6.00pm	Special Agents	Church
Saturday	9.30am	Dance school	Hall
Sunday	10.30am	Communion Service, with prayer for healing and Junior Church	Church & rooms

**Meeting re Childrens and Youth work in the New Year**, Wednesday 21st November, 7.00pm at 79 All Saints Lane, Nettleham. Please let Peter Reast know if you would like transport or would want to come but are unable.

**Rota dates for December, January & February** Please pass dates **TODAY** for Vestry to Angela, Door duty to John, Instrumentalists to Michael. Junior Church dates (for December only) to Elizabeth. **NB see notice above re our ongoing children's work for the New Year.**

**Church Christmas Card** - delivery with St Nicholas Church and Bailgate Methodist is being planned. Please tell Jim **TODAY** if you are able to help deliver our share of the cards which will be available next Sunday.

**A Calendar** is being produced and sold by Glen for the church. It is £5.00 each, and after expenses all money will go towards the refurbishment of the Sanctuary. The Calendar is filled with lots of scenic pictures and is an ideal Christmas gift for friends and family and a treat to ourselves.

**Ladies Club** Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> November at 7.30pm in the Hall. Quiz on Kitchen Bygones by Mr & Mrs Wass.

**Wednesday Afternoon Fellowship** Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> December at 2.30pm in the Lounge. The afternoon will have an Advent Theme and include a collection for NETWORK – Fund for World Mission.

**Quest-ians** (aimed at 14-18 yr olds) **TODAY** in the Lounge from 7.00 -9.00pm.

**Circuit Local Preachers Meeting** Monday 3rd December at 7.30pm at Welton Methodist Church.

**Maranatha Meeting** Monday 3rd December, 7.00 for 7.30pm at Bailgate Methodist Church in the Lounge. Maranatha is a gathering of Christians of all denominations, who meet together to praise Jesus as Lord, in the love and unity He gives us.

**Wednesday Afternoon Fellowship** 21st November at 2.30pm in the Lounge. Visit from Erica Taylor, recently moved to Mountfields.

### **Tastes of Tirunelveli (an amazing place in South India!)**

The Tirunelveli Link committee is hosting a "Tastes of Tirunelveli" evening on Thursday 29th November in Lincoln. This evening is open to anyone who wishes to learn more about the link that Lincolnshire Churches have with the Diocese of Tirunelveli in the Church of South India and includes a short 'Indian style' communion service and some Indian food. Dr Mike Ward, Chaplain at the Grimsby Institute will be speaking about the link that the Institute has with South India in helping villages affected by the Tsunami. Admission is by ticket, no charge if not eating and £6 if you wish to eat available from Alison McNish 01522 504070/691897

The District has been invited to send a group to India in the summer of 2008 and this evening is also a good chance for anyone who might be interested in visiting Tirunelveli to find out a bit more.

**Present Aid** As last year, Joan will collect any donations we might wish to make in lieu of sending Christmas cards to each other and there will be a 'big' Christmas card to each other on the board for us to sign instead.(2)

**Faithwalkers** Saturday December 8th at South Thoresby near Alford. A walk for all ages. Walk length 4½ miles 7km, time 3½hrs including a stop for lunch. Departure from 'Burton Road' at 9.30am. **This walk has several points of interest and is an opportunity to escape the Lincoln Christmas Market!!** Please always follow the countryside code, bring a packed lunch and wear appropriate clothing and footwear. Children must be accompanied by an appropriate adult. Everyone taking part in these activities does so at their own risk and insurance is your responsibility.

**Family Film Night** Thank you to all who helped. It was good to have so many visitors with us.(2)

**Our offerings during** October were £833.58, through the bank and offering plate. This will be used to maintain the life of the Church and our work in and for our community.(2)

### **'Burton Rds' Children & Youth Weekend 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> November – LAST DAY TODAY**

**Breakout!** - Theme: Breaking free from Prison. Sunday 18<sup>th</sup>: all age service, bring and share lunch (whole church invited), Games afternoon. Volunteers welcome please tell PeterR or Wendy if you are able to help at all.

**Causeway Prospects** service. **TODAY**, 3.00pm at Fiskerton Village Hall.