

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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Church and Community Development Worker – Mr Peter Reast

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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 13th January 2007

Service & Junior Church

10.30 Mrs Erica Taylor

On Duty Angela Michael Margaret Rob PeterR

Jenny

Sunday 20th January 2007

All Age Service, including news from the Church weekend away with John Hindmarsh

10.30 Mr Peter Reast

On Duty John BarbaraL Helen Rob

Refreshments will be served after the service, & donations for Junior Mission for All will be invited.

PRAYER MATTERS!

For this week particularly, please pray...

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

... for the preparations for the Delirious Concert in Lincoln Cathedral.

... for Lurline Webster and family.

... for those who are coping with long-term illnesses and those who are housebound, including PeterR, Olive Veronica and Edwin.

REPORT FROM BANGLADESH WITH TEARFUND: When disaster strikes, children are often the people who suffer the most. The devastation caused by Cyclone Sidr shows Bangladesh is no exception. UNICEF reckons that the cyclone affected 8.5 million people and half that figure is made up of children, with 500,000 of them under the age of five. Please PRAY for the efforts of our partners in Bangladesh, HEED and Koinonia. PRAY too for the ongoing success of our Bangladesh appeal, which currently stands at £68,000. This money means increasing numbers of people will be able to find vital support.

Please pass information and matters for prayer to Angela for our next notices, by Wednesday.

Tel. 01522 822981 or Email angela.reast@ntlworld.com

Week beginning Sunday 13th January

Day	Time	Event	Venue
Sunday	10.30am 7.00pm 7.00pm	Service & Junior Church Activ8 Quest-ians	Church, Lounge Meet in Church Meet in Church
Monday	9.00am 6.30pm Evening	SchoolGators Prayer Meeting 16 th Lincoln Scouts	Lounge Church Hall
Tuesday	Evening 7.30pm	16 th Lincoln Cubs & Beavers Property Committee	Lounge Vestry
Wednesday	2.30pm 7.30pm	Wednesday Afternoon Fellowship Freedom in Christ Course	Lounge Church
Thursday	5.00pm 7.30pm	Dance School Poacher Morris	Lounge Hall
Friday	6.00pm	Special Agents	Church
Saturday	9.00am 9.30am	Dance School Faithwalkers	Hall, Lounge, Church Cogglesford Mill
Sunday	10.30am	All Age Service	Church

Prayer Circle is being revised. Please let Dawn know if you would like to be included in this vital ministry. Many thanks to Catherine who brought the idea of the Prayer Circle to Burton Rd and established it for us.

Please pass used picture postcards to Margaret Dickinson; they will be used to raise funds for Missionary Aviation Fellowship.

Wednesday Afternoon Fellowship 2.30pm in the Lounge. Speaker – Margaret Bryant.

Bereavement meeting will be held January 14th, 10.30am at 2 Carisbrooke Close, with Rev Marjorie Maltby.

Change of date: Church Council from Wednesday 16th January to Tuesday 22nd January, 7.30pm in the Church.

Church Christmas Party Saturday 26th January, 4.30 for 5pm in the Hall. Everyone is welcome to the Bring and Share tea followed by entertainment arranged by Wendy.

Faithwalkers Saturday February 9th at Fulletby - in the steps of Roman Legions, an easy to moderate walk. Walk length 7miles/11km, time 4½hrs including a stop for lunch. Departure from 'Burton Road' at 9.30am. 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.

Faithwalkers Saturday January 19th, Cogglesford Mill and Bouncing Hill, an easy going walk. Walk length 4 miles/6km, time 3½hrs including a stop for lunch. Departure from 'Burton Road' at 9.30am. 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.

Junior Church Thank you to all those who have given PeterR dates to lead Junior Church.
Please pray about helping the leaders occasionally and if you feel able to offer any dates please let PeterR know.(2)

Freedom in Christ Discipleship course starts at 'Burton Rd' **this Wednesday 16th January**, from 7.30- 9.00pm. This 13 week course covers basic discipleship teaching in a clear, straightforward style. Created specifically for the UK Church, 'Freedom in Christ' helps Christians take hold of the truth of who they are in Christ, resolve personal and spiritual conflict and become fruitful disciples. This week's topic - Where did I come from?

Emailed notices If you would like to receive them by email please let Angela know your email address.(2)

Our offerings (including into the bank) during December amounted to £949.55. This will be used for our work in and for the community and to maintain the life of the Church.(2)

Gills Christian Library 3rd Wednesday of the month starting Wed 16th Jan 08. 10.00-noon, 2.30-4.30 and 7.30-9.00 at 25 Mill Hill, Nettleham. Tel 754863. You are welcome to pop in to see the books, DVDs, CDs, Tapes & Videos available for all ages, to borrow free of charge. There will be a chance for a chat over a cup of coffee or tea and biscuits.

Visit of the President and Vice President of Methodist Conference to Lincolnshire '07-08
Next Saturday 19th January Central Methodist Church, High Street, Lincoln 10am-12.30 pm. Ruby Beech (Vice President) will speak and lead discussion on "Being a Christian at Work" – she works in the House of Commons. Rev Dr Martyn Atkins (President) will speak and lead discussion on the themes contained in his new book "Resourcing Renewal -Shaping Churches for the emerging future". A light lunch is offered for a small charge, please book with Alison McNish, tel. 504070.

2nd Sunday Contemporary Worship for the Circuit, **TODAY** Sunday 13th January, 6.00pm at Bailgate Methodist Church.

Causeway Prospects Sunday 20th January, 3.00pm at Fiskerton Village Hall.

Delirious Rock Concert [Information from Lincoln Christians in Mission]
Lincoln Cathedral, Friday 15th February Some tickets still available from the Cathedral shop.
We have had a request for Prayer Support about this concert.
Below is the basic information.

A group calling themselves The Eternal Rock Committee are striving to provide a major Christian rock concert in Lincoln Cathedral. They are working in partnership with the Lincoln Diocese, Lincoln New Life, Lincoln Youth for Christ and the Lincoln Youth Mission. The aim is broadly evangelistic and the concert is perceived as an important mission event. It is hoped that up to 2,000 people will be present. We need people's prayers to uphold this project before Almighty God and to sustain those who are committed to making the event successful.

Can you please pray for the event daily...day1, day2, etc

- 1.The concert itself as a mission event.
- 2.The audience.
3. People thinking about attending, especially young people.
- 4.The publicity - and all those helping to make people aware of the concert.
- 5.Ticket sales and the finances.
- 6.The stewards and all the other helpers on the night.
- 7.The Band.
- 8.Wigwam (the sound and lighting team).
- 9.The organizing committee.
- 10.The safety of everyone involved on the night.
- 11.The Cathedral as a place of worship and praise.
- 12.The partners and supporters - all who have helped to promote this Christian event.
- 13.The presence of the Holy Spirit in this project.
- 14.The grace of God upon all who attend and the saving of souls.

15th February Please pray that the Lord may be with us.(2)