

# Burton Rd Methodist Church, Lincoln



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Burton Rd Methodist Church is committed to bringing people to Christ through

h 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 20th January 2007**

All Age Service, including news from the Church weekend away

**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.

## **Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> January 2007**

Service & Junior church

**10.30** Mr Albert Syson

On Duty Angela BarbaraW Helen Michael Wendy

## **PRAYER MATTERS!**

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

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

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

... that this will be a year when many lives will be transformed by the saving power of Jesus on the streets of Lincoln, through the work of Street Pastors and our prayers.

... that God will have the victory over the drug dealing and abuse, including drink spiking, which continues to be one of the greatest challenges within our City night life.

... for those who have been bereaved over Christmas & New Year, including Geoff & Jane Harris and Lurline.

REPORTS OF FLOODS IN ZAMBIA WITH TEARFUND: There are growing fears that parts of Zambia may face food shortages after flooding devastated crops. Tearfunds partners in the province, Brethren in Christ, Church Zambia and the Evangelical Fellowship of Zambia, are urgently seeking your prayers as they make rapid assessments to determine how and where they can help. Some 7,000 households in Southern Province have been affected and the number is rising daily as torrential rain continues. Please pray for the flooding to ease quickly and for communication links to be restored so normality can return. Pray too that crop damage will be minimal and that there will be no long-term damage to food supplies and livelihoods.

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

**Week beginning Sunday 20th January**

Day	Time	Event	Venue
Sunday	10.30am	All Age Service	Church
Monday	9.00am 6.30pm Evening	SchoolGators Prayer Meeting 16 <sup>th</sup> Lincoln Scouts	Lounge Church Hall
Tuesday	Evening 7.30pm	16 <sup>th</sup> Lincoln Cubs & Beavers Church Council	Lounge Church
Wednesday	7.30pm	Freedom in Christ Course	Church
Thursday	5.00pm 7.30pm	Dance School Poacher Morris	Lounge Hall
Friday	6.00pm	Special Agents	Church
Saturday	9.00am 4.30 for 5pm	Dance School Church Party	Hall, Lounge, Church Hall
Sunday	10.30am	Service & Junior Church	Church

**Management Team Prayer meeting** Monday 28<sup>th</sup> January, 11am in the Vestry.

**Freedom in Christ Course** Session 2 - Who am I? Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> January, 7.30- 9.00pm, Church.

**Junior Church** Thank you to all those who have given PeterR dates to help the leaders in Junior Church. There are just a few dates where help is still needed.

**Churches Together in All Lincolnshire Tirunelveli Link Group** invite you to visit the Diocese of Tirunelveli and the Diocese of Tuticorin-Nazareth in the Church of South India India! We have been invited to send a group for approximately 2 weeks in August 2008. The exact dates will be dependent on flight availability etc. We shall see how Indian Christians worship and live out their faith, being taken to schools, colleges, clinics and hospitals and promise it may well be a life changing experience - but not for the faint hearted...it will not be a holiday!

The cost will be about £1,000 and is ideal for 18+. Younger teenagers would need to be accompanied by a parent or guardian. There will be a preliminary planning meeting on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> January, 7.30 pm at Skellingthorpe Methodist Church, High Street, Skellingthorpe, Lincoln. (in centre of village near Co-op) for those who are interested. If you are interested or just want to find out more please contact Rosemary Gaskell (Secretary) Tel Ln 791320 or Alison McNish Tel Ln 504070 [alison@ctal.org.uk](mailto:alison@ctal.org.uk)

**Ladies Club** Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> January, 7.30pm in the Hall.

**Wednesday Afternoon Fellowship** February 6<sup>th</sup> - AGM with Rev Stephen Brown

**Circuit NETWORK group**, Tuesday February 5<sup>th</sup>, 10.30 for 11am in the Lounge.

**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.(2)

**Please pass used picture postcards** to Margaret Dickinson; they will be used to raise funds for Missionary Aviation Fellowship.(2)

**Change of date: Church Council** Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January, 7.30pm in the Church. All are welcome to join in the discussions, those who are members of the Methodist Church are also eligible to vote.

**Church Christmas Party** Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> January, 4.30 for 5pm in the Hall. Everyone is welcome to the Bring and Share tea followed by family 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. Depart 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.

**Emailed notices** If you would like to receive them by email please let Angela know your email address.(3)

**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.(3)

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

**Delirious Rock Concert** [Information from Lincoln Christians in Mission]

**Lincoln Cathedral, Friday 15<sup>th</sup> 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.

15<sup>th</sup> February Please pray that the Lord may be with us.(3)