

# 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 today

### Large print service books and sheets are available at the door

**Minister** – Rev Ian Brown Tel: 01522 874146 NB Ian is on leave from Thursday.

**Church and Community Development Worker** – Mr Peter Reast

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Do contact Ian or Peter should you require help but feel unable to approach anyone whilst here. [Please respect their days off, Ian - Friday & Peter – Wednesday].

#### Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2009

District Youth Service (all age) followed by drinks and (bring & share salads & desserts) lunch

**10.30am Mr Peter Reast**

**On Duty** Mark Peter Angela Rob Band

#### Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2009

Service, Junior Church and Creche

**10.30am Mrs Karen Fairest**

**On Duty** John BarbaraL Pauline Wendy  
Angela Tracy

#### PRAYER MATTERS!

... for Karen, John, Pauline, Wendy, Tracy and all those preparing worship for next here and elsewhere.

... Praise God for a good time on the Sports Safari, and pray for the young people as they get back into studying after a fun weekend together, and for the leaders as they recover.

... for Ian, Beccy, and the children.

... for David Yabbacome and Ellie, their families and friends.

...Tearfund Report on two states in southern India who are reeling after days of heavy rain caused massive flooding. Andhra Pradesh and Karnataka were badly affected, with hundreds of people killed, in what's been described as the worst flooding in decades. Tearfund partner EFICOR is assessing aid needs and is working with local churches to provide essential supplies, such as clean water, food, clothing, bedding and temporary shelter. Rebuilding lives looks likely to be a very lengthy process with more than 200,000 homes damaged or destroyed. Please pray for all those who have been affected and that relief aid gets to them quickly. Pray for no further heavy rain and for flood waters to subside. Pray for those living in 1000 relief camps and that they will be able to return home soon.

**Week of Prayer for World Peace** starts at 3.00pm at the University of Lincoln, Main building, Brayford Campus. 'All people of goodwill welcome.'

**District Network Activity day and lunch**, October 19<sup>th</sup> Moorland Park Methodist Church. Deetails from Dorothy or Joan.

**Maranatha Meeting** Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November, 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.

Please pass information and prayer matters to Angela by the previous Wednesday & contact her if you would like notices emailed to you. Tel 822981 or [angela.reast@ntlworld.com](mailto:angela.reast@ntlworld.com)

**Week beginning here, Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> October 09**

Day	Time	Event	Venue
Sunday	10.30am	All Age service, drinks and lunch	Church Lounge Vestry
Monday	9.00am	SchoolGators Scouts	Lounge Hall
	6.30pm	Prayer meeting	Church
Tuesday	daytime	Mount St School Cubs Beavers	Lounge Hall Lounge
	7.15pm	Band	Church
	7.30pm	Housegroup	Joans
Wednesday			
Thursday	5.30pm	Dance School	Hall
	7.30pm	Poacher Morris	Hall
	7.45pm	Housegroup	Peter & Angelas
Friday	6.00pm	Special Agents	Church
Saturday	9.00am all day	Dance School District Youth Sports Safari	Hall Lounge Church Sleeping over at 'Burton Rd'
Sunday	10.30am	Service for all ages followed by drinks and lunch, bring & share salads & desserts	Church

**Mens breakfast last** Saturday of the month, 8.45am at Charlotte House Hotel, The Lawn. Contact Jim if you are interested in going. **Ladies Breakfast** 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month at the Cosy Café, the Parade, Cherry Willingham at 8.45am. Tel 800209 to book a place. and bring a friend. Contact Pauline if you would like more information.

**MAYC Lincoln & Grimsby District Sports Safari Lincoln 2009** based at 'Burton Rd' this weekend

**Saturday** Swimming, Bowling, Combat, Film etc.

**Sunday** 10.30am Service followed by drinks and lunch - lasagne, chicken casserole, salad, puddings.

1.00pm 'Back in time' at the Museum of Lincolnshire Life then home.

**Please join the young people for worship and lunch (when desserts and salad will be very welcome!)**

**Thank you** for helping to make the Baptism & Membership service followed by lunch extra special for Sarah, Geoff, Lindsay, Vron, Jon, Josh, Sam, their friends & families.(2)

**Wednesday Afternoon Fellowship**, 21<sup>st</sup> October, 2.30pm in the Lounge. Meditations and Prayers by Eddie Askew – Maureen Birch (collection for NETWORK – Fund for World Mission) All are welcome to come when you can.

**Notepad** the 'Churches Together in all Lincolnshire' monthly news sheet is again on the notice board. The October issue gives helpful information, church news sharing, prayer requests, book reviews... Do read and return to the board for others to enjoy.(2)

**Annual renewal of the Envelope Scheme** Existing members of the scheme have received their envelopes. This scheme helps us to be regular in our monetary giving and is also a convenient way for income tax payers to Gift Aid our giving. Bankers Standing Orders can also support Gift Aid. Those interested in joining these schemes please have a word with Michael.(3)

**Some News from Church Council**

**Appointments** The meeting unanimously accepted Joan's offer to remain as Treasurer for 12 months and Pauline's offer to serve on the Management Team.

**Finance** The accounts were accepted.

**Property** Concern was expressed about 'the look' of the premises, inside and out. The meeting thanked Mark for his efforts to sell the organ and set a deadline of 1<sup>st</sup> January, after which its removal will be arranged. New Bibles will be purchased for the Church. Existing bibles in good condition will be passed on. Next Property Committee meeting, Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> October at 3.30pm in the Vestry.

**Mission and Outreach** 'Lord of the Rings' season Jan 9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>; 'Mama Mia' date to be set; Family Film Nights Oct 31<sup>st</sup>, December 12<sup>th</sup>.

**Circuit Farewell service for Ian** Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> October, 6.00pm, Bailgate Methodist Church.

**Lincoln & Grimsby District Youth Sports Safari**, 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> October, based here at 'Burton Rd.' where there will now be a service on the Sunday morning.

**Christmas services** Christingle with Crib service, Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> December at 4.00pm; Lessons and Carols, Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> December at 6.00pm.

**Taize services** Sundays 15<sup>th</sup> November and 21<sup>st</sup> February at 6.00pm.

**Church Anniversary** service now to be taken by Rev Geoff Harris, 10.30am on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> November.

**Date of next meeting** Monday 1<sup>st</sup> February 2010.(3)

**Our offerings** (including into the bank) during September amounted to £1301.05. This will be used for our work in and for the community, to maintain the premises, and build up the life of the Church.(3)