

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,

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Do contact Ian or Peter should you require help which you hope we may be able to provide, but feel unable to approach anyone whilst here.

Nb Ians day off is Friday, Peters day off is Wednesday – please respect this

Sunday 5th July 2009

10.30am Mr John Fairest with Mr Peter Reast

On Duty John Joan Rob Band Mary Jenny

7.00pm Activ8 & Quest-ians

Sunday 12th July 2009

10.30am Miss Annie Rands

On Duty Mary Nigel Pauline PeterR

Lindsay Tracy Mark

6.00pm Second Sunday, including the Circuit farewell to the Pillinger family

On Duty Ian Rob Band Mark

Help needed on the door please

PRAYER MATTERS! Please pray...

... for Annie, Mary, Pauline, PeterR, Ian, Mark, Rob and the band and all those preparing worship for next week.

... for the meetings, discussions and prayer times at Conference; may it be a positive and responsive time for moving the Methodist Church forward together, and for Ian as he represents our area. (see notice)

... with praise for our successful Alpha course led by PeterR and Ian and for those on the course; they continue to meet.

...thanks and praise for the safe arrival of Rob & Jenny's new Grandchildren, Riley and Daniel.

...for Lindsay's continued recovery.

... for safety on our roads, and as we travel.

A TEARFUND REPORT: Christians in Nepal are facing worrying times amid threats against them by Hindu extremists who recently carried out a bomb attack on a church. Three people died and 13 others were injured when an improvised explosive device detonated at a Catholic Church in Dhobaghat in Lalitpur. Responsibility for the attack was claimed by the Nepal Defence Army, a Hindu fundamentalist group. The NDA has issued further threats, to target the homes of Nepali Christians for further bomb attacks. Pray for the safety of the 800,000 Christians in Nepal and that threats of further attacks are not carried out. Pray that religious intolerance does not take hold in the country, bringing inevitable division and the possibility of further conflict. Ask God to protect the stability of Nepal as it moves towards reconciliation after its civil war.

Week beginning here, Sunday 5th July

Day	Time	Event	Venue
Sunday	10.30am 7.00pm	Service & Junior Church Activ8 & Quest-ians	Church, Lounge Lounge
Monday	9.00am Evening 6.30pm	School Gators Scouts Prayer meeting	Lounge Hall Church
Tuesday	Day time 12.45pm Evening 7.15pm 7.30pm	PEEP Alpha housegroup Cubs Beavers Youth band Housegroup	Lounge Hall Lounge Church Joans
Wednesday			
Thursday	7.30pm 7.45pm	Poacher Morris Housegroup	Hall Angelas
Friday	9.00am 6.00pm	Lincoln College Special Agents	Lounge Church, Hall
Saturday	9.00am	Dance school	Hall Church Vestry Lounge
Sunday	10.30am 6.00pm	Service and Junior Church Second Sunday (see notice)	Church, Lounge Church

The Church barbecue was very successful - ideal weather, lots of food and brilliant company. Thanks go to Rob, Jenny and all who helped make it a really good time together.

Our offerings (including into the bank) during June amounted to £998.96. This will be used for our work in and for the community, to maintain the premises, and build up the life of the Church.

The big lunch – helping communities enjoy eating together Sunday 19th July in the front garden of Saxilby Methodist Church (hall if it rains), a witness in the community. Bring cold finger food to share. No smoking or alcohol. Tables, chairs, crockery, hot & cold drinks provided.

Faithwalkers July 25th - Waddingham & Redbourn, distance 7 miles, walking time 4 hrs including lunch. Leave Burton Road Methodist Church at 9:30am, bring a packed lunch and sufficient drink for the day. Any expenses, e.g. car parking, refreshments are the responsibility of the individual. All who take part do so at their own risk and insurance for these activities is the responsibility of the individual. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Please wear appropriate clothing and footwear. To join the walk, contact Glenn 01522 530150 or Mark 01522 806784.

Dates for our diaries

Saturday 1st August Outing to Sutton on Sea We meet at Sutton on Sea Methodist Church (they are usually having a coffee morning), eat our packed lunches together then walk to the beach, to have fun, followed by a fish and chip tea. We leave a small gift (£2 per family) for using the church for lunch and tea. Plenty of cars go and there is always space to take those of us without a car. Please let John know if you have spare seats in your car, and sign the list on the notice board.

Saturday 26th and Sunday 27th September. Harvest celebrations.

Another date for our diaries: After the service on Sunday 2nd August we will say our farewell to Helen, Peter and their family at a bring and share lunch.

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Ian is at the annual Methodist Conference as a District Representative, which means that he will be unobtainable from Wednesday 1st to Saturday 11th July. Please pray for a fruitful Conference.

Circuit farewell to Peter & Helen Pillinger and family 12th July, 6.00pm at 'Burton Rd'. Peter has been Minister of Nettleham and Moorland Park Methodist Churches and most recently a member of Fresh Expressions staff. Helen has shared with us here in housegroup and music ministry.

Grapevine 09 Four 'Burton Rd' family groups are camping together with our friends of previous years. Please speak to the 'Reasts' if you'd like to know more before deciding to join us.(2)

Intercessors and Scripture Readers If you would like to help by occasionally reading the Lessons or leading our prayers in services please let Maureen know. It is always good to have different voices and approaches to prayer in our services. There is time for preparation.(3)

Please pass notices information and prayers to Angela, by the previous Wednesday, tel. 822981 or email angela.reast@ntlworld.com