

GENERAL NOTICES

Sat 21 Sept: September Walk. An easy 4-mile walk from Ley Hill Park (Northfield) to Rowheath Park (Bournville) led by Phil Parkin. Meet at church at **10:30 am** - travel by 61 or 63 bus to Northfield and then 18 to Holloway Hall (Ley Hill). Lunch available at the end of the walk at Rowheath Park Café, then back to Birmingham by train from Bournville Station. Please sign list on church notice-board or tell Phil Parkin if intending to come,

12 Oct: Birmingham City Mission's Annual Celebration, 14:00-15:30 with speaker David Urquhart, Bishop of Birmingham, at The Church at Carrs Lane. See leaflet on the notice board.

Neurodiversity: if you are interested in being in a group to discuss inclusion of people who are neurodiverse, please contact Ruth Yorke on 0121 643 6151. We plan to meet in September.

Aston & Nechells Foodbank : Please see the noticeboard for details of what is needed at present. Thank you!

Restore: Training for Refugee Issues and Befriending. Here at Carrs Lane on **Mondays 7, 14 and 21 Oct,** 19:15-21:15. See poster on noticeboard. Free but donations are welcomed.

Sat 21 Dec 2019: Journey of the Magi, The Church at Carrs Lane at 15:30. *Springs Dance Company* entertain with a performance of dance, drama and pantomime - a spectacular Christmas treat. Leaflets on the information desk. Tickets £10, £5 and £25 for 2 adults + 2 children. Leaflets in the foyer.

Harvest Festival on Sunday 29

September is being prepared as part of our involvement with the Eco-Church movement. We'd like to have a **Bring and Share Lunch**. If you can't bring anything, come anyway, there will be more than enough! If you like a challenge, perhaps the food you bring could conform with the LOAF principle, that is the food is either **Locally** produced, or **Organic**, or **Animal Friendly**, or **Fairly** traded. You can even try to tick off more than one in four of those things - if you find it easier not to take the challenge then that's fine too!

Another way of celebrating **Harvest** is to have a retiring collection for the **Christian Aid South Asia Floods Appeal** as part of our response to climate change. Envelopes will be available so that, if able, you can gift aid your donation.

Traidcraft Autumn Roadshow
Wednesday 25 September
4.00pm-9.00pm
at The Church at Carrs Lane



FREE EVENT! On its 40th Birthday travels, Traidcraft is coming to The Church at Carrs Lane for one of its Roadshows. Please register by signing the list on the Church Notice Board - even if you are only popping in for half an hour or staying for far longer. Do ask me for further details and I will be pleased to tell you.

As we are hosting the event, please also sign up if you could help with serving refreshments or in the CLFT Traidcraft shop. It's very soon now! (*Joan Davies*)

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NEWS



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Sat 14 Sept: Godly Play Taster Day at Hall Green United Reformed Church B28 8TE. 10:00-15:30. A practical day to experience Godly Play for yourself and reflect on how it might enrich your practice. Fee £30. Concessions £15. Email: alison@godlyplay.uk

Sun 15 Sept: Prayer in the way of Taizé, 18:00, St. Laurence's Church, Church Rd, Northfield B31 2LX.

Mon 16 Sept: Heretics Anonymous at 19:30 in the Lounge.

Tues 17 Sept, 19:00: Prayer Life Group (new) begins with evening prayer led by the Carrs Lane Lived Community, then meets until 20:30. Contact Rev Neil Johnson on 0121-616 1800 or email njohnson@birminghammethodistcircuit.org.uk

Thurs 19 Sept, 10:15 Poetry Group. Theme: Poetry as Prophecy.

Wed 25 Sept, 16:00-20:00: Traidcraft Autumn Roadshow (see back page).

Thur 27 Sept: Walking to Jerusalem, written and performed by Justin Butcher. Light refreshments from 18.30. Performance: 19:00. Tickets £12. See Peter Woodall for details or tel: 07941 684556.

Sun 29 Sept: Harvest Festival followed by Bring and Share Lunch

Sun 29 Sept: New Inclusive Church All-Community Gathering from 16:00-17:30 here at The Church at Carrs Lane.

SUNDAY 8 SEPTEMBER 2019

10:30 Morning Service with Revd Dr Michael Jagessar

NEXT SUNDAY 15 SEPTEMBER

10:30 Morning service with Revd Cristina Cipriani followed by..

12noon Church Meeting

THIS WEEK AT CHURCH

Unless otherwise stated, these events are free. They are accessible without steps. Access to toilets may require use of the outside slope. With food, there is usually a gluten free option.

Mon 9-Fri 13 Sept: Morning Prayer at 07:30 in the Lounge

Mon 9-Thur 12 Sep: Evening Prayer at 19:00 in the Lounge


Wed 11 Sept: Healing and Communion Service, 13:15 in the Lounge.

Wed 11 Sept: Bible Study, 14:00 in the Lounge. Engage with the Bible, participate, bring your insights and learn from one another. All welcome!

Fri 13 Sept, 10:30-12:00 Coffee Drop-in in the Wiseman Room. Free of charge

Fri 13 Sept, 19:00: Choir Rehearsal. (Choir in Germany 19-23 September)

Fri 13 Sept, 19:30 Carrs Lane Players. Contact Ann Parkin on 0121 429 2537.

 **Sat 14 Sept: Methodist District Synod,** 10:00-15:30, Solihull Methodist Church.