



What's On 3 November 2024



Bishop's Cleeve Methodist Church
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Minister: Rev Jayne Webb (tel. 01684 298650)
Lay Community Outreach Worker: Andrew Maxwell

10.30am: We welcome Rev Dr Richard Clutterbuck from Tewkesbury to lead our worship which includes Holy Communion. Welcome to you all. Please stay for refreshments in the hall if you can.

3.30pm at St Michael's: All Souls Memorial Service

A service of thanksgiving and remembering loved ones who have died in recent times and provide comfort for those who mourn. There will be cards for you to complete with the name/s of your loved ones. These will be collected and taken to the front during the service. The service is open to everyone and you will receive a warm welcome.

This week

Monday 4 November:

9.30am-11am: Little Angels mother and baby group meets here.

12.45pm-1.45pm: The **weekly prayer meeting** meets in the Quiet Room to pray for the Church activities of the week and for anyone known to us who would like our prayers. If you know of anyone who would like us to pray for them, or someone else, could you let either Pauline, Ruth or Andrew know, or email him on bcmcprayerrequests@hotmail.com. You should obtain the person's permission before doing so.

2pm-4pm: Meet Up Mondays meets here. Please come along to help or enjoy, and please bring a friend to enjoy a cuppa and a chat. Andy Dunn, an IT specialist, will join us again, to provide advice to anyone who may have an IT query. If you have any problems with your computer, why not come and see Andy for some free advice.

Wednesday 6 November:

9am: The **ecumenical Holy Communion** service here will be led by Rev Steve Ward from Cheltenham. As always, a warm welcome awaits you.

2pm: The **Wednesday Fellowship** meets here. Our guest speaker this week will tell us about the work of "Mary's Meals". This is a global charity which sets up daily school feeding programmes in communities where hunger and poverty prevent children from getting an education. Recycled Christmas cards will be on sale today and in following weeks.

Thursday 7 November:

2pm: Please come along to the monthly **community film club**.

Friday 8 November:

3pm-5pm: The Church Hall will be open for the preparations for the Christmas Coffee Morning for anyone wishing to come in to set up their stall or to drop off contributions for the stalls. Contributions for all the stalls will be greatly appreciated.

Saturday 9 November:

10am-12 noon: Christmas Coffee Morning

Stalls will include a tombola, cakes, books, gifts, and more! Please come along to enjoy the fellowship and encourage your friends and family to come along as well! If you would like to offer a helping hand on the day, please contact Elizabeth or Ruth .

10.30am-12 noon: Bishop's Cleeve Bereavement Support meets at St Michael's Centre. This is an opportunity to meet with others who have been bereaved for a coffee/tea, cake and chat.

Other notices

From Andrew

We will be hosting another Christmas Exhibition this year starting on 30 November and ending essentially with the Nativity Service on 8 December. It will be an "Angel Exhibition" and we shall be looking at the role of angels in the Christmas narrative.

I will provide full details next week and will need volunteers, please, to help with this project. From Monday, I will place a form at the back of the church showing where and when help will be needed. If you are able to help, please could you indicate by placing your name alongside the time(s) you can help. Many thanks.

The next edition of **Crosspoint** is in preparation. The editor welcomes contributions: stories, poems, memories, recipes, etc. If you would like to make a contribution, please let David Aldred have it by **next Sunday** for forwarding to the editor in Tewkesbury.



More Green Tips and Tricks!



Little ways we can be more eco-friendly in our everyday lives.

Try implementing a 'one in, one out' rule where you only buy one product once you finish a product.

Next Sunday 10 November: Remembrance Sunday

9.45am: Jayne will lead our worship. Please note the changed time.

10.45pm: Commemoration at the village war memorial.

10.45pm: Commemoration here in the hall.

6.30pm: Café church shown on the plan will **not** take place.

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Please send any contributions for the next edition by the end of Wednesday 6 November David Aldred.

Tree in autumn

