



Welcome to Springdale Methodist Church

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Development Fund Progress

£86,633 Target - **£200,000**.

Offertories for the week of Sunday 18 July

Cash	£280.50
Envelopes	£275.50
Envelope Gift Aid (approx)	£72.97
Weekly standing orders	£240.46
Standing orders Gift Aid	£63.65
TOTAL	£933.08

BF - Niger Relief £12.00 Thank you.

Sunday 25 July 2010

Thought for the Week:

Believe you can and you're half way there.

Flowers have been provided by Diane Partridge. Thank you.

Stewards on duty - Penny Baldwin and Barbara Mead.

10.30am - All Age Worship

Worship will be led by

Madeleine Cheadle

Bible Reader - Pam Chapman

Door Steward - Richard Gould

6.30pm - Holy Communion

Worship will be led by

Rev Robert Ely

Bible Reader - Bernard Davies

Door Steward - Audrey Grainger

Theme - "Holy Communion"

Coffee is served after morning worship. Do stay for a drink and fellowship.



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www.springdalechurch.org.uk

If you are a visitor and would be interested in knowing more about worship here at Springdale then please have a chat with one of the Church Stewards (who will be wearing a badge) and they should be able to help you. **In cases of special need or illness** please communicate with Robert or Adele as soon as possible (contact details are at the top of this page). **Please pray for** our worship and the preachers today and remember, too, all the activities of our church.

Springdale News and Events • New this week

•**Congratulations** to Sheila and Fred Thompson who celebrate their golden Wedding Anniversary on 27th July.

As you know **Adele will be leaving us** in August. As a Church we would like to present her with a gift to express our thanks and gratitude for the work she has done over the past 3 years. If you would like to contribute please give your donations to Penny or one of the stewards. Thank you.

One of a Hundred - Thanks to all who have already given. Those still wishing to give could you please do so before the end of July. Many thanks, Judy Staley.

If you don't already receive **Magnet Magazine** and would like to do so please speak to me as I will be placing the order for the next 12 months soon. The cost is £10 for the year. An excellent magazine with interesting articles pictures, poems, worship etc. Please see copies at back of Church or in the vestibule. You are very welcome to take a copy. Val.

•**Art Class** has now broken up for the Summer Break. Classes begin again on 9 September. We do have a few spaces - beginners are particularly welcome.

Methodist Prayer Handbook. I am about to place Springdale's order for copies of the new prayer handbook which comes out in September, so please let me know if you wish to purchase one this year. At the moment I do not know the price (last year it was £2.85), but it is good value as a resource for daily personal prayer times and also for use in meetings. Liz Green.

•**Wednesday Worship** - Wednesday 28 July at 7.30pm with Robert - theme - "Fresh Fruit Salad of the Spirit!"

•**Cake Sale** - Sunday 1 August, after the morning service. All proceeds to the Development Fund.

Reader's Service on Sunday morning 15 August. If you can offer to read a prayer or take a small role in a drama, please let Lesley Cook know as she is already planning this service. As stated at Church Council these services are an opportunity for **all** the church membership to get involved. So can you help? Please speak to Lesley if you can.

Family Hotpot on 14 September is about sea-sides. If you are going to the seaside this Summer could you bring us some medium-sized shells? Any type will do. We will make them into animals! Lesley, Liz and Sarah

Church Anniversary Weekend - 16 - 17 October

Concert - Saturday 16 October - Springdale's Got Talent (not a competition!) - Theme - Our Favourite Things - please get your thinking caps on - anything goes!! A singing group will begin rehearsing in September - dates to be confirmed but all welcome - all suggestions of songs considered, though priority will be given to items that have already been sung before or those that I already have arrangements for.

Sunday Worship will have a focus on the talent which (hopefully) will be on display in the church and throughout the building. If you have any items that you would like to be considered for display please let me know, preferably jotted down on a piece of paper (my memory isn't as it was!)

Other ideas? Let me know asap!
Helen

Dates for your Diaries!

Wednesday Worship 7.30pm -
4th Wednesday of the month (28 July)

Next week at Springdale

Sunday 1 August, 2010

Flowers will be provided by Janet Broome and Pat Hitch. Thank you.
Stewards on duty will be Judy Staley and Keith Watts.

10.30am

Worship will be led by
Rev Robert Ely

Bible Reader - Liz Green
Door Steward - Andrew Cook

6.30pm

Worship will be led by
Rev Stephen Singleton

Bible Reader - Phil Staley
Door Steward - Richard Gould

Notices during the Summer Holidays

After Sunday 25 July Richard Gould will be producing the notice sheet for the duration of the school summer holidays. Therefore please ensure that your handwritten notices go to the correct address - 5 Larkwood Drive. Emails sent to the correct notices email address (see back of the notice sheet) will be automatically redirected to Richard. However, any sent via my personal email address will not get to him. Helen