

# MINI MACCLESFIELD MESSENGER

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# A message from the Superintendent

Dear Friends,



When I was growing up, the church youth club would go to Blackpool Pleasure Beach every year. There was a selection of rides that we would go on - the Grand National, the Big Dipper, the Log Flume and the Big One. Another one was the 'wall of death'; the ride would spin around and around eventually spinning on a 90° angle, and the g-forces would stop the rider from falling out. One year, the fair was very quiet and so

rather than just a few turns around and then stop to get others on... the attendant simply left it spinning around and around for about (or what felt like) 10 minutes. All I could see was the people opposite me going round and round, the view did not change. When the ride eventually stopped and we were allowed off, I did not feel well! And I vowed that I would never again go on such a ride! Even now, I'm wary of the teacup rides if they spin too much!

As we begin another new year in the life of the church, perhaps it can feel like we are just going around and around, seeing the same things with the same people and gradually becoming more uncomfortable? Perhaps we feel that we have seen all this before and we know what is coming, that nothing ever changes?

his summer my brother and his family were on holiday in Cornwall, and whilst there visited Flambards theme park. When we were younger Flambards was a favourite of our Cornwall holidays! They went on a ride called the Skyraker. For this ride you are strapped into chairs and then slowly lifted up a central pillar 50 feet or so high. As you reach the top you get a great view of the whole park and the countryside beyond. The brakes are then released and your seats fall 20 or 30 feet before the they are reengaged! The view changes as slowly you were brought back to the top, and then promptly dropped again! I think I'm too old for this all this myself!



I wonder, though, if this is a better way to look at the cycle of the church year. It is certainly a journey with ups and downs, but the view is constantly changing, sometimes we see far away, catching a glimpse of how everything fits together and sometimes we don't see much at all. Yet in all of this we are held firmly in place throughout the whole journey by the arms of God. So, through the ups and down – when it is comfortable and when it is not, let's look at the view and strain to see where God is leading us, then let us have the faith to go where God leads. Dietrich Bonhoeffer wrote "God does not give us everything we want, but He does fulfil His promises, leading us along the best and straightest paths to Himself." The path God has for us may be challenging in the months and years ahead but God is with us, and God will not fail us.

As we start a new year and experience the ups and downs of life as the people of God, we share the journey together, the view may change, but God is with us in all that we do, and we join with Charles Wesley to pray:

Lord Jesus, if the same you are, if all your promises are sure, set up your kingdom in my heart and make me rich, for I am poor; to me be all your treasure given, the kingdom of an inward heaven.

Where is the blessedness bestowed on all that hunger after you? I hunger now, I thirst for God: now this poor sinner's life renew, and satisfy with endless peace, and fill me with your righteousness.

Shine on your work, disperse the gloom, light in your light I'll see anew: say to my soul, 'Your light is come, glory divine is risen on you, your warfare's done, your mourning's past; look up, your tears shall end at last!'

With every blessing, Graham

We are always pleased to receive articles for mini messenger and these are the words and views/ comments of the authors themselves. They may or may not represent the views of the Macclesfield Circuit of the Methodist Church.

#### Please keep collecting!

Please don't forget other ways of giving! Church finances continue to be stretched, so if you haven't already, why not set up a regular Standing Order? And of course, don't forget to Gift Aid if you can - it's worth an extra 25% from HMRC for your church. Your church Treasurer can let you know how you can help – they'd be delighted to hear from you!!!.

#### **Children & Families**

#### Wonder Zone Holiday Club 2021

We had a fantastic time at our circuit holiday club 'Wonder Zone' this year. The theme was 'Discovering God's Wonderful World' and what a wonderful world we have! We had 45 scientist (children) each day, we would have had more if we didn't have to restrict our numbers due to covid.

Macclesfield's worship area was transformed into our Wonder Zone Lab, where our scientist (the children) could come and discover in different ways. We explored lots of Bible stories that helped inspire the children towards scientific discoveries as well as encountering a creative God who wants to be their friend.



Each day had a different theme (experiment) using a different Bible passage. We had four different Labs for the scientists, and they would start each day in their individual Labs doing an activity together with their Researchers (group leader) and Lab Technicians (junior leader), before all the Labs came together to listen to what Professors G and Professor H (Graham and Helen) have discovered. The Labs would then go on to complete four activities throughout the morning. There were crafts, games, and a Lab challenge. We also came together to complete a large group experiment with the Minister of Science (aka Angela). Not all the experiments went smoothly (even though they had been practiced several times) but that is science for you. The scientist checked their results in their labs, of what they have learnt about each day by completing their individual Fact File or Lab Book. We watched videos of real professors talking about what they have discovered and how they are Christians as well as scientists. The scientists then went home with an activity book so they could discover more at home.





Day 1 The fun of discovering

To have fun discovering new things about God and the world he made (Bible passage 1 Kings 3:5-15).

The scientist challenge for the day was to complete two science experiments, film canister rockets and litmus test, testing different liquids. They all loved putting on their safety glasses and doing the experiments. They especially like the film canister rockets when they popped and flew high into the air.

The group experiment was to see what would happen when you put Mentos (mints) into a

bottle of diet coke. If you don't know what would happen ask one of the scientists who attended. The day was rounded off with Professors G & H Day 2 The Wonder of the universe

To wonder at the scale and beauty of the universe God has created (Bible passage Psalm 8).

Day 2 challenge for the scientist was to crate a DIY Solar System. This was not easy to do but they had fun learning about all the planets and seeing how long each planet take to orbit the sun. I think it surprised everyone.

The group experiment was to create our own universe in a giant tub. This experiment didn't start off well, as we stirred the water in our large tub, the pressure of the water made a crack, then a hole in our tub. The scientist couldn't stop laughing as professor G and The Minister of Scient had to try and catch the water in another bucket so it wouldn't go everywhere. Once we had sourced another bucket the scientist discovered about gravity and how if pulls things together.









The scientist discovered a lot on day 2 as well as Professor H. Professor H found out that she hadn't been to the moon as the moon is not made from cheese. She hadn't seen the milky way because it's not made from chocolate, and she hadn't caught the sun while sunbathing!!!!

Day 3 The Colour of the rainbow

To discover more about light, both scientifically and what Jesus meant when he called himself the 'light of the world' (Bible passage John 9:1-34; 8:12).



The lab challenge for this was to make something that gives out light from junk. The scientists came up with lots of different examples.

The group experiment was to make a giant bubble with a scientist inside. This was amazing and we could see all the different colours of light in the giant bubble as well as the scientist inside.

Professors G & H rounded up the day and Wonder Zone by asking what the scientist have learnt, and if they could remember our memory verse, which was

'I Praise you because of the wonderful way you created me. Everything you do is marvellous! Of this I have no doubt.'

Psalm 139:14

I was told by several people that holiday club would wipe me out and they were not wrong. It was a very tiring week but was worth every minute. The children really enjoyed themselves and I have had nothing but positive feedback from everyone.

I just want to say a HUGE THANK YOU, to everyone who helped. If it wasn't for all our volunteers the holiday club wouldn't happen. Without your help and dedication, we would not be able to run such a successful holiday club. I would also like to thank The Macclesfield Academy for lending us science equipment and safety glasses. No matter how big or small your part was, every bit of help and support is very much appreciated so THANK YOU VERY VERY VERY VERY WERY MUCH.



















We are now at a start of a new year in the church, and we start all over again as we try to interact with even more children and families in our communities. Over the past 18 months or so our families have connected as a circuit, and we endeavour to continue this work as well as our individual church communities.

We have the following circuit events each month

**Breakfast Church** 9-10am @ Macclesfield Methodist Church (1st Sunday of the month)

Next Breakfast Church will be 3<sup>rd</sup> October

**Messy Church** 2-4pm @ various locations see flyers and Facebook for details (4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month).

25<sup>th</sup> September Messy Harvest 2-4pm @ Macclesfield Methodist Church 23<sup>rd</sup> October Messy Light Party 2-4pm @ Broken Cross Methodist Church If you would like to help at any of the above events, please let the children's contact in your church know. We would love to have a volunteer from each church at our circuit events so that our families will see a familiar face when they attend.

An extra event coming up Messy Light Parade 31st October – time and venue TBC

**Angela** 





Prayer – in our Circuit Prayer Cycle we remember Prestbury this week. This prayer has been provided by Joan Pritchard.

Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth.

Worship the Lord with gladness; come before him with joyful songs.

Know that the Lord is God, it is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, the sheep of his pasture.

Enter his gates with thanks giving and his courts with praise; give thanks to his name.

For the Lord is good and his love endures forever; his faithfulness continues through all generations. (Psalm 100)

Father- As we move into the change of season and look forward to the time of Harvest and the glorious colours that Autumn brings help us to remember the words of the psalmist so that we can be heard shouting for joy, giving thanks for all that you do for us.

We thank you, not simply for making us, but for giving us life; for the sheer joy of being alive; for the pleasure of real friendship and for the joy of being able to enjoy your wonderful creation. We praise you that you have made us, that we can find renewal and satisfaction and a sense of completeness, not only in the world around us, but also in the love with which you have filled our lives.

Thank you for giving us a world to care for, for other people whose needs are our opportunity to show your love and kindness. With this in mind we seek your help to guide us through these troubled times. We pray for world leaders, especially those in the war-torn countries, especially Afghanistan. Help them to put the needs of the people they govern first, rather than ideologies. We hold before you refugees, seeking a place of safety. Help us to see this an opportunity to show your love and kindness – to open our hearts to hear and respond to their cries for help.

We give our thanks and praise for the certainty that the seasons bring. We give thanks for the world you created for us. Help us to protect and preserve it in your name.

We give thanks that we are, once again, able to come into our churches to worship and give thanks for your loving care, for helping us to see even the hard times and times of difficulty as an opportunity to rediscover your strength and power.

We praise you for the faith with which you have filed our lives; for the growing certainty that you will never fail us; that your peace, love and mercy are the things that really matter.

Thank you for being Jesus Christ through whom we are your special possession. Amen

Whatever we face, we do not face it alone. Wherever we go, we do not journey alone. However we suffer, we do not bear it alone. Whoever we are, wherever we go and however we journey, we go in peace, in hope and in faith, for we go with Christ, who always goes with us. Amen.

#### Members' voices....

#### From Rev Sheila Bishop, Gawsworth

#### **REFLECTION AND LONGING**

We've missed so much these past years When often overcome with fears ,We've longed to meet with those we share our faith in Christ, our dear Saviour, to worship Him and praise His name. 'On line' it isn't quite the same! And now we're back in church again yet still we listen, all in vain, to hear our Saviour's urgent plea-

'Do this in remembrance, of me! Take my spilled blood and body broken, of which you have the earthly tokens, in poured wine and broken bread-Come take with joy and know you're fed!.' For when together we receive, our faith is strengthened to believe

That Christ is present with us here, and comes to calm our every fear.

He gives us grace for all our needs, His strength to follow where He leads.

So let us hope that soon we're able to gather around the holy table,

and share the tokens of His grace and eat together face to face.

For of our faith this is the centre, and there in heaven we truly enter.

#### From Olly Cartledge, Macclesfield

A reflection on dementia and how cruel the disease can be, but how love, kindness and respect can put the smile back!

#### **BLESSED**

BLESSED	Are those who understand my faltering steps and shaky hand.
BLESSED	Who know my ears today must strain to catch the things they say.
BLESSED	Are they who seem to know my eyes are dim, my mind is slow
BLESSED	Are they who look away when tea is spilt on the cloth today
BLESSED	Are they with a cheery smile who stop and chat for a little while
BLESSED	Are those who never say 'I've heard that story twice today!'
BLESSED	Who make it known I'm loved, respected, not alone
BLESSED	Are they, who ease the days of the journey home in loving ways.

#### From Stephan & Christine Rudolfer, Green Close

#### Has the Holy Spirit slipped off the radar?

On our first visit to Green Close, we heard Rev. John Squares preach on the Holy Spirit and the comfort and power He provides, by being in fellowship with us. He advised us to breathe in deeply, and breathe out, saying "Ruakh", the Hebrew word for "spirit.". That was the first time we had heard a sermon about the Holy Spirit. It really made a deep impression on us. It was like opening our souls completely to God.

The Holy Spirit was there from the very beginning.

"In the beginning **God created** the heavens and the earth ... and the **Spirit of God hovered** over the waters." (Genesis 1:1)

Matter in itself is lifeless. The **Spirit of God breathed** life into it: **LET THERE BE** in Hebrew sounds like a soft exhalation [yee hee], while the phrase "and there was" sounds like another little exhalation [va yee hee]. These short phrases show the enormous power of God. He only needed to whisper to start the process of creation!

Just before His arrest by the temple guards, Jesus comforted his distraught disciples by saying that He would not leave them orphans (John 14:18), but would send them another **Counsellor**, to be with them for ever (John 14:16).

There is such urgency in Jesus' words - it is like a father wanting to give his last words of comfort to his family before going off to war.

"Unless I go away, the Counsellor will not come to you, but if I go, I will send him to you." (John 16:7).

After His resurrection, Jesus **breathed** on His disciples and said "Receive the Holy Spirit." (John 20:22). What power must have filled the disciples' hearts! And that was before Pentecost, when the power of the Holy Spirit came down on them in tongues of fire, thereby enabling them to boldly witness to everybody around them.

Do we make enough use of the power of the Holy Spirit? We usually end our prayers of intercession with "in the Name of Jesus", but Rev. John Wiseman encouraged us to end with "and in the **power** of the Holy Spirit".

The Nicene Creed, which puts the Holy Spirit almost at the end, and is not often said, states the following about the Holy Spirit:

"And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the LORD, THE GIVER OF LIFE, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets."

We may be forgiven for thinking that this vital statement of faith is almost an afterthought.

Paul encourages Jesus' disciples to rely heavily on the Holy Spirit. "... We do not know what we ought to pray for, but the Spirit Himself **intercedes for us** with groans that words cannot express." (Romans 8:26). He furthermore urges them to persevere in prayer using the Holy Spirit: "And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the saints." (Ephesians 6:18). Most importantly, Paul tells us that "the Spirit Himself testifies that we are God's children." (Romans 8:16). This means that we are in a father-son relationship, with God yearning for us to profit from His everlasting love which never changes.

The Holy Spirit is our Counsellor: He guides us and corrects us, He encourages us to be bold in our requests, because "God did not give us a spirit of timidity, but a spirit of power, of love and of self-discipline." (2 Timothy 1:7). The more we rely on the Holy Spirit, the more powerful and fervent our prayers will be. We shall be

astonished at the answers to our prayers! With the help of the Holy Spirit, we shall be enabled to pray for peoples' needs, which the Holy Spirit will reveal to us.

Prayer will be as easy as breathing.

What is more important, in these globally very troubled times we will be given the strength by the Holy Spirit to **fervently intercede** for the needs of the world.

We pray that there will be a renewal, revival and refreshment of Jesus' church.

Two short choruses may be of help:

1. Come, Holy Spirit,

Descend on us,

Descend on us

We gather here in Jesus' Name

2. Spirit of the living God,

Fall afresh on us.

Melt us, mould us, fill us, use us,

Spirit of the Living God,

Fall afresh on us.

Amen.

#### From Ruth Gunning, Macclesfield

## Anxiety

As physical church gradually resumes, there are many people expressing concern about being together, even though all the safety constraints are in place. Each one of us needs to decide how we readjust to living in the world at our own pace, without feeling pressured by anyone else. Our concerns and anxieties are valid, and we must not let anyone tell us otherwise.

However, we cannot let our lives be dominated by anxiety. Throughout the Bible we are told over and again: Do not be afraid. Fear not. It is even said that there is one 'fear not' command for each day of the year. In 1 Peter 5: 7 we read: "Cast all your anxieties on Him, for He cares for you." We may be anxious, fearful, but God understands and even if others consider our fears foolish, He doesn't. He

understands, He cares and will bring peace to our battered souls and fearful minds.

In Isaiah 43: 2 we read God's promise: "When you go through deep waters, I will be with you. When you go through rivers of difficulty, you will not drown."

Emerging from lockdown with its ever-changing rules and restrictions is daunting; it causes anxiety but, take courage, for the Lord our God is with us and will give us His peace

**Ruth Gunning** 

#### Could you write an article?

We love to feature contributions from members of the congregation who would be willing to tell us what they are doing during these strange times – what are you watching/reading/making? Any tips to share with others? It would be lovely to hear from you!

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#### Community

#### **Macclesfield Methodist Ladies Circle**

I just wanted to let ladies know that the Ladies Circle meetings will be held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays of the month instead of every other week. The next meeting will be on the 23<sup>rd</sup> September.

**Chris Jones** 

# Bollinbrook CE Primary School, Macclesfield, are seeking a new Foundation Governor.

Foundation Governors have a vital role in supporting and developing the Christian foundation of the school. Foundation governors are important members of governing board teams in church schools with a specific responsibility in terms of monitoring and developing the school's Christian distinctiveness as well as a concern for standards. Further information about Bollinbrook CE Primary can be found at <a href="https://bollinbrook.school/">https://bollinbrook.school/</a> and about the role of Foundation governor at <a href="https://www.chester.anglican.org/schools/governors/appointing-foundation-governors.php">https://www.chester.anglican.org/schools/governors/appointing-foundation-governors.php</a>.

If you would like to find out more or to visit the school, please email or speak to Anna Hazel, Chair of the Governors, ahazel@bollinbrook.cheshire.sch.uk

#### **Macmillan Cancer Support Coffee morning**

Macclesfield Methodist Church – 24 September 10.00am – 12.00pm



10-12

#### Methodist Women in Britain

We are looking forward to holding our first MWiB District event since February last year on 25th September! Obviously, we are taking every precaution to make this a Covid-safe event, so on this occasion we are asking people to bring their own lunches and we will provide drinks.



# AUTUMN MEETING

St Mary's Methodist Church
Wilmslow Road, Handforth SK9 3JX

Saturday, 25<sup>th</sup> September 11.00 am - 3.00 pm

Speaker: Beverley Blackley

Volunteer in 'Four Homes of Mercy' 2017

Coffee served from 11.00 a.m.
Bring your own Lunch
(Drinks provided)





## MWiB Coffee Morning at Gawsworth on 4th October 10am-12pm

All are welcome just £1 for bottomless coffee/tea and some biscuits – stalls, raffle, books, cakes and bric a brac.



Action for Children protects and supports children and young people, providing practical and emotional care and support, ensuring their voices are heard, and campaigning to bring lasting improvements to their lives.

### Thank you for boycotting your bed

We'd like to say a massive thank you to everyone who took part in Boycott your Bed on 9 July.

You've helped us raise over £180,000. You are amazing!

We'd also like to thank the churches that have held an Action for Children Sunday service or are planning to hold one. We appreciate your thoughtful prayers and donations.

God bless you!

Are you passionate about social justice and would like to do something to ensure children can fulfil their potential?

Can you make a craft to make a point?

If so, we'd love to get you involved in our September craftivism campaign. You would be helping us to urge your MPs to commit to making children a personal priority by sending them a handcrafted star.

#### We believe there's a star in every child.

When a child has the safe and happy childhood they deserve, their star shines brightly. But too many children in the UK right now don't have the chance to shine. Their childhoods are overshadowed by poverty, abuse, neglect and poor mental health. And the pandemic has only made things worse..

Our elected politicians can change this.

Sign up and we'll send you information on how you can make a difference.

Sign up for craftivism

#### Just for fun

On  $3^{rd}$  September, the Church remembers St Gregory the Great (540 – 604AD), one of the most important popes and influential writers of the Middle Ages. He is well worth remembering, because he also changed the course of history in the British Isles. The son of a very rich Roman senator, Gregory converted as a young man, and sold his vast estates to found six monasteries in Sicily and a seventh in Rome. He gave generously to the poor, and became a monk.

Christians in England owe him a great deal. When Gregory came across some English slaves for sale in Rome, he asked who they were, and was told, 'They are Angles.' Moved with compassion for these despised men, he replied, 'They are not Angles, but angels!" He planned to go to England to evangelise the Angles, but plague broke out in Italy about 590, and during this time he was elected Pope. But Gregory did not forget the Angles. In 596 He sent Augustine to England, and so indirectly became the apostle of the English.



Gregory Young English Apostle History Estates Slaves Son Elected Monk Angels

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# This quarter's services

2021		SEPTEMBER				OCTOBER					NOVEMBER			
		5	12	19	26	3	10	17	24	31	7	14	21	28
												Remembrance		ADVENT 1
READINGS:		Prov 22:1- 2,8-9,22- 23	Prov 1:20-33 Jas 3: 1-12 Mk 8: 27-38	Prov 31: 10-31 Jas 3: 13-	Esth 7:1-6, 9-10; 9:20- 22	Job 1:1, 2:1- 10 Heb 1: 1-4,	Job 23:1-9, 16-17 Heb 4: 12-	Job 38:1-7 Heb 5: 1-10 Mk 10:35-45	Job 42:1- 6, 10-17 Heb 7: 23-	Ruth 1:1- 18 Heb 9: 11-	Ruth 3:1-5; 4:13-17 Heb 9: 24-	1 Sam 1:4-20 Heb 10: 11-25 Mk 13:1-8	2 Sam 23:1- 7 Rev 1:4b-8	Jer 33:14-14 1 Thes 3: 9- 13
		Jas 2: 1-17 Mk 7: 24- 37		4:3,7-8a Mk 9:30- 37	Jas 5: 13-20 Mk 9:38-50	2:5-12 Mk 10:2-16	16 Mk 10:17-31		28 Mk 10:46- 52	14 Mk 12:28- 34	28 Mk 12:38-44		Jn 18: 33-37	Lk 21: 25-36
BROKEN CROSS	10.30		Byrne	Rashleigh	Maltby	Byrne HF	Baker	D Jones	Bird	Byrne	OA	D Jones	Edwards	Bird
GAWSWORTH	10.30	S Edwards	Edwards HF P	Fielding T	Watson	F Bishop	Watson	Edwards P	F Bishop	OA	Rashleigh	S Bishop P	Fielding T	Edwards
GREEN CLOSE	E 14.30	Watson	Edwards	No service	Nicholls	Watson	Hawkyard	Edwards	Rashleigh	Byrne	Watson	OA	Watson	OA
LANGLEY	10.30	Watson	Maltby	S Bishop	Edwards	S Bishop	Ward T	Watson	Edwards	Fielding T	F Bishop	Edwards	OA	Baker
MACCLESFIEL	D 9.00 10.30 16.00	Bf OA Edwards	Gunning OA	Byrne B	OA	Bf OA Oliver	Edwards HF AAW	Byrne	Nicholls	Bf OA Edwards	Byrne	Maltby	F Bishop	Watson Edwards/ Byrne TR
POYNTON	10.30	Rashleigh	Watson	Hawkyard	OA	Watson	Fielding T	OA	Baker	Watson	Ward T	Watson	Watson	S Bishop
PRESTBURY	10.30	Byrne	Oliver	Watson	Halstead	Edwards	Byrne LU HF	Rashleigh	Oliver Cn	OA	Watson	Byrne LU	Nicholls	Hawkyard
	18.30		Byrne IO				Byrne HF					Byrne Tz		
WOODLANDS	MHA 14.30	Rashleigh				Rashleigh						Rashleigh		
ZOOM	18.30	Byrne		Watson	Edwards	Watson		Byrne	Edwards	Watson	Byrne		Edwards	
VIDEO		Edwards	Watson	Edwards	Byrne	LP VID	Watson	Edwards	Edwards	LP VID	Byrne	Watson	LP VID	Byrne
PRAYER CYCL	E:	Green Close	Macclesfield	Prestbury	Walker Barn	Broken Cross	Gawsworth	Langley	Poynton	Green Close	Macclesfield	Prestbury	Walker Barn	Broken Cross

#### **SERVICE LINKS & CONTACTS**

#### **Sunday 19 September**

AM – Morning worship led by Graham

WATCH ONLINE .....: http://tiny.cc/19sept

The Reading is Matthew 28: 16 – 20 & Acts 2: 42 - 47

The hymns are StF: 94 / 407 / 465

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A free phone line of hymns, reflections and prayers

Are you in need of some daily hope during this lockdown? The *Church of England* have a new FREE telephone line for you to ring to hear comforting hymns, daily prayers and reflections.

# Circuit Facebook page

For the latest information on what is happening within the circuit, follow.... <a href="https://www.facebook.com/MacclefieldCircuit/">https://www.facebook.com/MacclefieldCircuit/</a>

#### **Circuit Website**

We also now have the Circuit website and the service link is on this, see <a href="https://www.macclesfieldmethodistcircuit.com/">https://www.macclesfieldmethodistcircuit.com/</a>

the page with the links etc on is

https://www.macclesfieldmethodistcircuit.com/about-3

You can use these pages every week to see the latest service.

# Other important links

https://www.methodist.org.uk/about-us/coronavirus-guidance/

https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus

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