

## Newington Methodist Church

*Church Lane, Newington, Sittingbourne, ME9 7JT*

**News and views for the week commencing 25<sup>th</sup> June 2023**

I waited patiently for the Lord,  
he turned to me  
and heard my cry

Psalm 40:1



### Notices

- **Sunday worship 25<sup>th</sup> June is joint service at St Marys, 10.00am:** Rev Nick Carpenter leader/Robert Zachar preacher (Family Communion)
- **Circuit live stream 25<sup>th</sup> June** will be led by Robin Selmes.  
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=en\\_btm7rqYc](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=en_btm7rqYc)
- **Sunday worship 2<sup>nd</sup> July will be led by Martin Smith.**
- **Circuit live stream 2<sup>nd</sup> July,** will be led by Bonni Belle Pickard  
<https://youtu.be/iMmSr2-N-nc>

### Calendar back and forth

- **Coffee morning 10 – 12 noon.** Cakes, thingswiggins, plants, etc.
- **Cornerstone Cafe:** 09.00 to 12.00 noon - at St Mary's Church, Newington, every third Thursday of each month
- **Memory Cafe:** This will take place every fourth Monday from 11.00am to 1.00pm at Newington Village Hall.
- **June – Bible month.** This year is focused on The Book of Revelation. Resources at:  
<https://www.nkmethodists.org.uk/blog/bible-month-2023.html>
- **Joint services timetable :**
  - July 23rd St Mary's Newington 10.00am: Service leader/preacher TBC (from The Six)
  - August 27th St Mary's Newington 10.00am: Service leader/preacher TBC (from The Six)

- 24<sup>th</sup> September at St Mary's Newington, 10 am. Service leader/preacher TBC (from The Six)
- 22<sup>nd</sup> October the place and preacher TBC
- 26<sup>th</sup> November at Methodist church, 9:30 am, led by Robert Zachar

### **Prayers and intercessions**

God, you have poured out the Spirit of your Son into our hearts  
so that we call you Father.

Give us grace to devote our freedom to your service  
that we and all creation may be brought  
into the glorious liberty of the children of God.

For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,  
now and for ever. AMEN

(MWB pg. 551)

Methodist Annual conference in Birmingham 22 – 29 June

We need to pray and ask for wisdom and courage about the future of our congregation in Newington. Pray for spiritual thirst and hunger to seek the Lord and his will. Pray over Newington may God bless these places with his visit.

Prayers for each other. May god feel our hearts with thanks for the care and help we receive from NHS, may all hospital appointments make a difference in our struggles, may God bless all the doctors and nurses and all the support workers. May the time of recovery and healing is the time when God speak to us and refreshes our faith and vision for future.

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