



Hinckley **Methodist** Church

SUNDAY 7TH FEBRUARY

Service led by Sheila Grice

10.30am Hinckley Cluster Zoom Service

Here are the codes for this service

Meeting ID: 897 5911 0507 Passcode: 2Ks.g\$

For access via telephone dial 0203 901 7895 or 0203 481 5240

The meeting ID is as above followed by#

Personal ID, just press #. Password: 645866#.

Choice of meetings to discuss The Way Ahead *(See Page 2)*

Tuesday Feb 9, 2021 07:30 PM

Meeting ID: 881 4523 0197 Passcode: Wayahead1

For access via telephone dial 0203 901 7895 or 0203 481 5240

The meeting ID is as above followed by#

Personal ID, just press #. Password: 812720746#.

Wednesday Feb 10, 2021 02:00 PM

Meeting ID: 810 5262 7110 Passcode: Wayahead1

For access via telephone dial 0203 051 2874 or 0131 460 1196

The meeting ID is as above followed by#

Personal ID, just press #. Password: 432491892#.

SUNDAY 14TH FEBRUARY

Service led by Gwen Coley

Log-in details as last week.

Worship at home

Printed services for Worship at Home each week can be downloaded from the Methodist Church Website, which on the front page gives a link to Worship during the Coronavirus period.

The Way Ahead A number of Zoom sessions are being offered for discussion as our church considers its response to the Circuit's Way Ahead document circulated recently. These will be hosted by Richard Smith (if anyone is able to offer being a co-host that would be good!)

Topic: Hinckley Methodist Way Ahead discussions

Way Ahead Response for those not on Zoom There will be a delivery of worship at home for February week ending Friday 5th February. This will also include further information for those who want to feedback their thoughts about The Way Ahead who are not able to participate in any of the Zoom sessions on offer.

This year's Lent Course shared with St Mary's begins on February 22nd. Each week there is a choice of 5 courses via Zoom. They will be held on:

- Monday at 10.00am
- Monday at 7pm
- Tuesday at 11 am
- Thursday at 8pm
- Friday at 10 am.

.To sign up for one of the courses, please email Liz Seal liz15@msn.com or Gwen Coley gcoley287@gmail.com and we will let you have log-in details. You can of course join a different course if you are not able to attend your regular one. Do come along and enjoy fellowship together.

Collections for Church during Lockdown Many thanks to those folk who are posting their collection to church. If you are able to arrange your bank to make a standing order payment that would be brilliant.

Our bank details are:

Sort code: 77-15-15 Account number : 20138168

Account name : Hinckley Methodist Church

Prayers for week 7th February.

Mon 8th Feb – Pray for all the parents that are home schooling their children. Pray for strength and pray that they feel loved and supported and that doing their best is ok. Let them know how amazing they are!

Tues 9th Feb – Pray for the children – for the friends they are missing, the parties that they are not able to go to, the play dates that they are missing. Help them to feel love and comfort in this difficult time. Let them know how amazing they are!

Wed 10th Feb - Pray for the staff that are working in the schools. We pray for protection for their health. We pray for them to feel loved and supported to and to know how amazing they are.

Thurs 11th Feb - Pray for all the key workers that are working so hard in whatever job they are doing. We pray and thank you for the help and care that they give. Let them know how amazing they are.

Friday 12th Feb – Pray for all those that are struggling in body, mind and spirit. We pray that they feel your loving, supportive, tender and precious arms around them. We pray for healing and we pray that they may know how amazing they are.

Sat 13th Feb - Pray for ourselves. We pray that we can trust in you God, that you are with us and by our side each and every minute. We pray that you will help us and guide us in our lives. Thank you that you think we are all amazing, help us to feel that about ourselves too.

Sunday 14th Feb - On this Valentine's Day – we thank you God, that you love us so much – that you paid the ultimate price because you loved us. We pray that you will help us to love everyone and always put you first God because we love you too. Thank you for being an amazing, loving God!

New Deadline for next Church Magazine I apologise but I need to bring the deadline for the next church magazine forward to Thursday 11th February so that it can be printed and distributed in time for Lent. Any items to newsletter@hinckleymethodist.org.uk Thank you Richard Smith

Greetings from Christian Aid Christian Aid are hosting an exciting online Conference on the 22-26th Feb that will help engage, equip and inspire supporters and we'd love you to be part of it. It's called **Changemakers: Real People, Real Change**. There'll be a wide range of sessions on zoom with great speakers covering all sorts of subjects that you can opt into. This is for people new to Christian Aid as well as those who've been supporters for a long time. Come and hear what we're doing in some of the poorest communities round the world and how you can play your part in bringing God's love, hope and justice. See <https://www.christianaid.org.uk/get-involved/events/changemakers-conference-programme> Click on the Green "Register" button if you would like to attend, and follow the steps to choose the sessions you want to join.



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Action For Children Though 2021 started with the lockdown still in place, we're grateful that we can continue to support children and families through the pandemic. We cannot count our blessings without mentioning our Methodist family. Thanks for your prayers and bountiful support.

All things Christmas – Thank you Our heartfelt thanks to you for supporting us over Christmas. We marvel at how churches and individuals defied the pandemic and came up with creative ways to raise funds for us. We were delighted to know that so many Methodists tuned in to Starry Night, our first-ever virtual carol service. We're thrilled to say that overall we sold tickets to 882 households and raised £31,453!

Our Secret Santas will also be pleased to know that our 2020 appeal raised over £1 million. By getting festive and supporting our appeal, you've made a life-changing difference to children and their families.

Count Your Blessings

What will you be doing this Lent? We'd like you to join us for 40 days of making life better for children across the UK.

We've created an inspiring [calendar of activities](#). Each day, you'll be asked to do something meaningful. It might be giving money to those in need, saying a prayer for a child, or spreading the word about our work. So, download your copy from our website:

<http://bit.ly/AfC-Lent>.



Greetings from The Vine Lent begins on 17th Feb and we have a number of devotional books for lent in stock - see the gallery page of our website for details www.thevinehinckley.org.uk/gallery. Two of the titles are aimed at families; most are divided into 40-day studies. If you would like to purchase one by collection or delivery, please get in touch by email (thevinehinckley@hotmail.co.uk). Please also feel free to contact us if you would like more information on any of these titles. If you would like a title that we don't have in stock, we will be happy to order it for you - please contact us asap.

We also have the new Bible study notes from CWR for March/April (Every Day with Jesus, Life Every Day and Inspiring Women Every Day). Whether you usually take these notes or would like to start please email or phone (01455 612345) to arrange collection or delivery - collection is available every Tuesday. Thank you for your ongoing support. God Bless Jessica Harrison Manager

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New notices Items for the church notices may be telephoned to Gwen Coley on 01455 699278 or e-mailed to notices@hinckleymethodist.org.uk The deadline for notices each week is 6pm Thursday. Please indicate for how many weeks you would like your notice included

We have a prayer chain of about 30 people who will pray regularly in response to your requests. Please telephone Brenda on 458744 or e-mail Cynthia cyn.jordan@yahoo.co.uk