



# Hinckley **Methodist** Church

SUNDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER

**10.30am Morning worship led by Gwen Coley**

Gwen Coley will be leading her final service as a local preacher. To celebrate this, we will be having a “bring and share” lunch after the service – if you are able to come to either the service, lunch (with food to share) or both please feel free to do so. For more information, please contact Rachel Cobb – [repocolehcar@hotmail.com](mailto:repocolehcar@hotmail.com)

**Tuesday Sept 24th 2.00pm Ladies Guild - Speakers from  
Phone Support Service. All are welcome.**

**Thurs Sept 26th 12.45 to 2.45 Tots and Toys**

**Sat Sept 28th 10.00am Coffee Morning-Jenny**

SUNDAY 29TH SEPTEMBER

**10.30am CIRCUIT SERVICE AT HINCKLEY  
METHODIST CHURCH**

We are looking forward to having a full church as we share with the whole of the Hinckley Methodist Circuit to welcome the new chair of the Northampton district **Rev Sonia Hicks** who will be our preacher

**Afternoon Tea/Harvest Lunch. Tuesday October 1st At 1pm** The next afternoon tea will be our Harvest Lunch. This will consist of a choice of Soups plus a roll and a pudding. The cost will be £6. Also please note the time which is 1pm. Hope to see you all then. Liz and gang

**HARVEST 6th October** We will again be supporting our local Foodbank for the Harvest. There is no specific list, just think about what you may be using over the next few days - anything in a tin - breakfast cereal-items for personal hygiene - long dated biscuits and cakes  
Alternatively you can give a monetary donation, please find specific envelopes for the Harvest in the entrance area. Thanking you in anticipation.

**Macmillan Coffee Morning** A big thank you to all who made this coffee morning possible. We are still receiving donations but so far the total raised is £480.84 Thanks to you all. Carol and Ed

### **COFFEE MORNINGS**

Help is needed to serve coffee/tea to keep our Saturday morning coffee mornings functioning. Please look at the dates and let me know if you can help. Many thanks Ruth

October. 5th. Guides

12th

19th

26th

November. 2nd

9th

16th Children in Need. Carole Spencer

### **Prayers for Sunday 22nd September**

Mon 23rd Sept – We give thanks to God for the wonderful variety of food and drink we have available to us and the choices that we have. We thank you God for providing us with all the food we need.

Tues 24th Sept – We pray for those who work hard to prepare our food – in factories, food outlets and our home kitchens. We thank you for all they do to make our food and supply it to us for our enjoyment.

Wed 25th Sept – We pray for those that supply our food to shops – the workplaces that package the food and the lorry drivers that transport it there. We thank you God for the jobs they do.

Thurs 26th Sept – We pray for those who grow our food on farms – supplying fruit, vegetables, animals and animal products. We pray for blessings on the farmers that work so hard to provide us with fresh food.

Friday 27th Sept – We pray for those in our community and country who are not able to afford to eat. We pray that they may get the food they need, and we thank you for the foodbank, community fridges and other charities that help in these situations.

Sat 28th Sept – We pray for the farmers in our communities, country and the world who have had issues with crops – leading to losing money, lost jobs and famines. We pray for their well-being and futures.

Sunday 29th Sept – We pray for our world, the beauty of landscapes, variety of weather that enables things to grow. We thank you God for your creation that gives us so much joy.

**METHODIST PRAYER DIARY** I have copies of the Methodist Prayer Diary if anyone would like a copy. The cost is £4.50. Ruth

**Communion Table Rota** – I have put a new Rota for flowers up on the board, which covers September to February 2025 There are lots of VACANT weeks, so please let me know if you can put flowers into Church for these dates. If you have been on the Flower Rota before, please check to see if your name is down and make a note in your diary. If the dates against your name are not convenient, please call me – Cynthia Jordan on 01455 890453. Thank you to all those who have put flowers on the Communion Table for the last list.

**News from The Vine** - we are a Christian Book and Coffee Shop and have been serving the local community and churches in and around Hinckley for 23 years. We are largely volunteer run but are currently seeking a paid assistant manager for 18 hours a week (including alternate Saturdays) to support the manager and take responsibility for the running of the coffee shop. We are looking for a practicing Christian who has a car and can bake! Good people skills are also key. If this is something that you are interested in then do please make contact with us - a job description and person specification are available on request. Please email ([thevinehinckley@btconnect.com](mailto:thevinehinckley@btconnect.com)) or ring (01455 6123445) for more information. Application is by CV and a covering letter explaining why you would be suitable for the role. We are also in need of volunteers, especially for Friday afternoons, so please also make contact with us if this is of interest. Please keep The Vine in your prayers as we seek to find the right person for this role. Thank you, God Bless Jessica Harrison Manager,

**Circuit Well-being Walks at Bradgate Park New dates for the Autumn**

7th, 21st October 4th, 25th November 9th, 23rd December Meet 9.45am to 10am at Bradgate Park Newtown Linford Car Park. Car Parking charges apply. Walk starts at 10am and lasts 90 minutes. 2 walks take place - a gentle stroll along the carriageway or a ramble into the Outer Park.

# Contacts

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Items for the church notices may be telephoned to Gwen Coley on 01455 699278 or e-mailed to [notices@hinckleymethodist.org.uk](mailto:notices@hinckleymethodist.org.uk)

The deadline for notices is 5pm Thursday. Please indicate for how many weeks you would like your notice included.

**Prayer Requests** If you have entered someone's name in the Book of Prayer, would you please remember to re-enter their name (if Prayer is still needed) at the beginning of each month.

We have a prayer chain of about 30 people who will pray regularly in response to your requests. Please telephone Sue Cooper on 613352 or e-mail Cynthia [cyn.jordan@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:cyn.jordan@yahoo.co.uk)