



THIS MONTH:

August 2006 is now available on a yellow sheet.

If you have items for the weekly notices, please submit them to the church office by Thursday. Please submit items for September's *This Month* by 24 August.

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**WELCOME TO
RIDGEWAY METHODIST CHURCH**

If you would like to help us get to know you, please complete the following information.

Title (Mr/Mrs/Miss/Other)

CHRISTIAN NAME

SURNAME

POSTAL ADDRESS

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POSTCODE

TELEPHONE NUMBER

E-MAIL

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS HELPFUL

ARE YOU OFTEN HOME DURING THE DAYTIME?

YES / NO *(please delete)*

- I have just moved to the area.
- I am interested in joining the church.
- I would like to know more about Gift Aid
- I would like the minister to call
- I would like information about

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(please tick as appropriate).

Please put in the office post box in the church entrance or pass to a steward. Personal information given on this form may be stored on computer.

If you are on holiday—please take our greetings to your home church.



Welcome to
**Ridgeway Methodist
Church**

6 August 2006

10.30 am
Mr Andrew Chapple

Please join us for coffee/tea
after the morning service

7.00 pm
Mr Andrew Chapple

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PRAYER FOR TODAY

O God, since without you we are not able to please you, mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

AMEN

This Week's Bible Verse



“Get rid of all bitterness, rage and anger, brawling and slander, along with every form of malice. Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.”

EPHESIANS 4:31-32

INTRODUCING TODAY'S PREACHERS

Andrew Chapple is from Redruth Baptist Church

THIS MORNING'S ORDER OF SERVICE

Hymns and songs are projected. If you would like a hymn book/song sheet please ask a door steward.

HP29 Thou whose Almighty Word

HP257 How sweet the name of Jesus sounds

HP467 Break thou the bread of life

Here I am wholly available

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THIS WEEK'S DIARY:

THURSDAY 10

2.30 pm Women's Fellowship -
Cream Tea (**All welcome**)

SATURDAY 12

10.00 - 12 noon Oasis Coffee Bar:
Christine and Peter Gregory (Outreach Mission)

SUNDAY 13

PREACHERS:

10.30 am Revd John Haley (Holy Communion)

7.00 pm Revd John Haley

COFFEE AND CRECHE

Can you help by joining our rota of crèche volunteers, or our rota of volunteers who provide tea and coffee after the morning service? Our crèche enables parents to worship while their small children are cared for on a Sunday morning, while the provision of coffee after church gives us all the opportunity to join together for a further time of fellowship. If you can help, please contact Jan Smith (crèche) or Pat Stead (coffee).

FROM MARTIN AND MARGARET HOLST .

Thanks for the many years of friendship, and in particular the cards we received before leaving and since we arrived. We shall treasure them as we settle ourselves in. We have some exceptionally friendly neighbours. Please pray for us as we seek a church in which we can work and worship. We have made some contacts and last Sunday evening chanced upon a service led by the Circuit Superintendent, who, thanks to Catherine, knew our names already. Our new address: 48 Southwestern Crescent POOLE BH14 8RR tel: 01202 463492 email: martinholst@ntlworld.com We miss you all and hope to keep in touch. With our love

Martin and Margaret

OASIS COFFEE BAR

Can you help? We currently have no-one to operate OASIS on 19 August. If you can help in some way please see one of the stewards. Thank you for your support.

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Andrew Chapple, who is leading our services today. We continue to pray for Alison Hawke; Carol Scott; Lindsay Smart and family; Roger; Hazel; Susan James-Oertl; Jenny, who sent a prayer request by email.

Please also remember in your prayers all of those in our church family who are unable to join us for Sunday worship.

DAVID DUFFIELD

There is a letter on the noticeboard from David Duffield, who is currently aboard the MV Anastasis in Ghana.

TRANSPORT FROM POCKLINGTON RISE


Are you able to help occasionally with collecting people from Pocklington Rise and bringing them to the Sunday morning service? If you are able to help, please speak to Peter Crabb.

FAREWELL TO CATHERINE

There will be a farewell tea for Catherine Stead on Sunday 27 August at 5pm. Please come and wish Catherine well as she moves to Pateley Bridge, North Yorkshire, to become their new lay worker.

We would be grateful for contributions of food towards the tea - there is a list on the noticeboard in the foyer for you to sign.

Sue Tozer, Janet Haley and
Lynne Rogers



1. Who asked, 'can the leopard change his spots'?
2. What do Tamar, Rahab, Ruth and Mary have in common?
3. Who did Rhoda leave standing at the door?
4. What are the 9 characteristics that Paul describes as 'the fruit of the Spirit'?
5. Who was killed by having a tent peg driven through his temple into the ground while he slept?