

SECURITY ON SUNDAYS

In the interest of the security and safety of all those present on Sunday, the main doors will be locked 10 minutes after the beginning of both morning and evening services. Door Stewards and Church Stewards will maintain an awareness for anyone arriving later than this.

WEEKLY NOTICES

Items for inclusion in the weekly notice sheet must be passed to the church office by 12.30 pm on Wednesday.

THIS MONTH: SEPTEMBER

Available on a blue sheet

Church office hours:

Tuesday-Friday 9.30 am - 12.30 pm

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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

.....

(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

18 September 2005

10.30 am
Miss Catherine Stead

7.00 pm
Evening Praise
Revd John Haley

PRAYER FOR TODAY

Heavenly Father

In an act of will, O God, I place myself in your presence. In an act of faith I open myself to your light. In an act of silence, O Lord, I rest in your glory. In an act of love, O Lord, I put myself in your hands.
AMEN

This Week's Bible Verse



THIS MORNING'S ORDER OF SERVICE

HP 7

HP 726

SOF 102 Father we love you

SOF 311 Jesus you are changing me

SOF 895 Lord I come to you

HP 740

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MONDAY 19 SEPTEMBER

6.15 pm Membership preparation group (3)
Minister's Bible Study. Introducing Hebrews

TUESDAY 20

10.00 am—12.00 Patchwork Group
2.15 pm Service at Pocklington Rise. All welcome
7.45 pm Ladies Group. Deacon Val Facey.
Harevest. Collection for Shekinah

WEDNESDAY 21

10.00 am—1.00 pm Coffee followed by lunches
7.30 pm House Fellowships
7.30 pm Management Meeting

THURSDAY 22

2.45 pm Women's Fellowship. Mary Bolt

FRIDAY 23

7.30 pm—11.00 pm Harvest Supper and Barn Dance
Please return slips to Catherine Stead by 21 September

SATURDAY 24

10.00 am—12 noon Oasis Coffee Bar
In support of Eurovangelism. Carol Sharman

SUNDAY 25 SEPTEMBER SERVICES HARVEST FESTIVAL

10.30 am Revd John Haley. All age worship
7.00 pm Revd Alan Rothwell

DATES FOR DIARY

Please note the Pastoral Meeting arranged for
19 September will now take place on
Monday 7 November.

HARVEST FESTIVAL

The church will be decorated for harvest. Donations of fruit, flowers and vegetables would be very much appreciated. Please deliver to the church at 10.00 am on Saturday 24 September.

If you know of anyone who would be grateful for a harvest gift please see Muriel Duerden.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Miss Catherine Stead and Revd John Haley who are leading our services today. We continue to pray for

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

Prayer Diary

Requests for prayer are included in the prayer diary for 3 weeks. After the 3rd week you can renew these requests if you have updated information.

Please inform a steward of your request. Prayer cards are also available for use or to be given to family / friends who might wish to send in requests.

Time to pray

We would like to encourage you to come and join us to pray before the service each Sunday morning. God acts in response to the prayers of His people. We meet in the lounge from 9.50- 10.10 am, praying in particular for all those involved in the Sunday services.

Ephesians 6: 18-19. "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. Pray also for me, that whenever I open my mouth, words may be given me so that I will fearlessly make known the mystery of the gospel, for which I am an ambassador in chains. Pray that I may declare it fearlessly, as I should."

Psalms 89: 14-15. "Righteousness and justice are the foundation of your throne; love and faithfulness go before you. Blessed are those who have learned to acclaim you, who walk in the light of your presence, O Lord."