

NEW UPRIGHT CLEANER

Carl and Jean Edwards have a nearly new vacuum cleaner to give to a new home (not suitable for pet hairs). If interested please contact the office.

CD PLAYER

Ann Atkin has a CD/tape/radio combined player to give to a good home. Very compact model. Please contact the office if you are interested.

THIS MONTH:

April 2008 is now available on a blue sheet.

Items for the May monthly sheet should be submitted by Tuesday 22 April.

If you have items for the weekly notices, please submit them to the church office by 12.30pm on Thursday.

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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**

30 March 2008

10.30 am
Rev Dr Denis Applebee

Revd Dr Denis Applebee is a retired minister of the Wesleyan Holiness Church and on the staff of the Plymouth Mission Circuit

Please join us for coffee/tea
after the morning service

7.00 pm
Mrs Val Marriott

Val Marriott is a local preacher from our Ivybridge Church

PRAYER FOR TODAY

Lord Jesus Christ, you did not just go the extra mile—you gave everything, enduring death on the cross so that we might live. Work within us and help us to be willing to give of ourselves in the service of others, reaching out in love, in your name's sake we pray.
AMEN

This Week's Bible Verse



The LORD is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He will not grow tired or weary, and his understanding no-one can fathom. He gives strength to the weary but those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint.
Isaiah 40: 28-31

THIS MORNING'S ORDER OF SERVICE

Hymns and songs are projected. If you would like a copy of Hymns & Psalms (HP) and Songs of Fellowship (SF) please ask a door steward and refer to the list below.

HP 201 Look, ye saints, the sight is glorious

HP 173 My song is love unknown

HP 221 I am not skilled to understand

HP 209 The head that once was crowned with thorns

HP 866 Psalm 96

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THIS WEEK'S DIARY

Tuesday 1:

10.00-12.00 Patchwork Group
7.30 pm "Crosstalk" at Stoke Methodist Church with Dr Phillip Walsh

Wednesday 2:

7.00 pm Christianity Explored (week 10)

Thursday 3:

2.45 pm Women's Fellowship: Miss Joan Lean

Saturday 5:

8.30 am Prayer Meeting
10.00-12.00 Oasis Coffee Bar: Outreach
(Christine and Lydia)
7.30 pm Recharge

Sunday 6:

10.30 am Revd John Haley: Communion
7.00 pm Mr Earle Rendle

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Revd Dr Denis Applebee and Mrs Val Marriott who are leading our services today. We continue to pray for: Tony and Carole; Jamie, Toby and Isaac Erith; Jackie Welze; Betty Abrahams; Kenneth Snelling, family and friends; Jean Connick; Jack Samuels.

We are grateful to all those who are praying for John at present. However, we would like everyone to unite in praying over the coming weeks at 9.00 pm each evening, asking that John will be completely healed and quickly restored to full health.
The Stewards

PRAYER DIARY

Requests for prayer are included in the prayer diary for three weeks. After the third 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 or friends who might wish to send in requests.

PASTORAL VISITORS

The date of the next Pastoral Committee Meeting has been changed to Thursday 15 May at 7.30 pm (originally 8 May). Sorry if this causes any inconvenience.
Sue Couch

FLOWER ARRANGING

Please come and join us for this month's Flower Arranging Meeting on Thursday 17 April at 7.00 pm in the creche. Bring stem cutters and a small bunch of foliage if you have some available.
Sue Couch

FLOWER ROTA

If you would like to give flowers on a particular Sunday please consider the dates currently available on the rota from May onwards. Please add your name to the rota or speak to Ruth Holman.