

Church quite rightly advises we are still cautious to keep everyone safe. We are waiting to hear what the PCC's decide next Wednesday and then we will have to distribute a new risk assessment to all church council members. The only changes may be seats slightly closer, so we won't need to book and masks for singing if not all the time.

If have already seen two messages on Facebook where businesses are still asking customers to wear masks to protect their staff and their staff's families so I think we will find that lots of places will ask us still to wear masks.

Church Building Update The second phase of the electrical testing was completed today, but now we await a report showing a few things which need to be done immediately and some which are recommended, he said the building was fairly up to standard but still said there was 4-5 work needed which at £40-50 an hour plus parts isn't going to be cheap.

We still await the quinquennial inspection report.

Phoenix Group Met in Rosemary Hawkins garden on Tuesday and decided that the Community Room at St Birinus was too small for them to meet in at the moment, so they asked if they could use the Methodist Premises on the forth Tuesday of the month from September. They have a range of speakers and also social meetings usually with food and both ladies and men are welcome to join them. More information to follow.

Café The three churches together have a meeting tomorrow to continue planning the Café and Food Exchange on Thursday mornings in the Methodist Small Hall. We need to get new heaters sorted first.

Notice Sheet Change No one has given me any feedback about which notice sheet you prefer. So if you have any preference please let me know.

Don't forget Please remember Shoe boxes, Recycling, Trussell Trust.

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HOPE YOU ALL KEEP WELL & HOPE TO SEE YOU SOON AT AN EVENT

Woodfalls Methodist Church 15-7-2021

Sunday	18th July	10.00am	Communion led by Rev Peter Ensor	Methodist Church
Monday	19th July	10.00am	Creation Station Re starts **1	Methodist Hall
Wednesday	21st July	10.45am	Worship led by Rev Cecil King **2	Methodist Church
Saturday	24th July	5.30pm	Joint Social BBQ **3	Methodist Car Park or Building
Sunday	25th July	10.00am	Praise and Prayer	St Mary's
Monday	26th July	10.00am	Creation Station	Methodist Hall
Sunday	1st August	10.00am	Holy Communion	St Birinus
Monday	2nd August	10.00am	Creation Station	Methodist Hall
Wednesday	4th August	10.45am	Café Style Mid Week Worship led by Mr Bradley Newman	Methodist Church
Sunday	8th August	10.00am	Praise and Prayer led by Rev Philip Luscombe	Methodist Church
Monday	9th August	10.00am	Creation Station	Methodist Hall
Sunday	15th August	10.00am	Holy Communion	St Mary's

Please ring 07385673249 to book seats for Worship on Sundays and Wednesdays (We are away sometimes now so ring this number rather than our home phone)

** See further details overleaf

Mondays at 10.00am

****1 From 19th July Creation Station, restarts and moves to Methodist Hall complete with crafts, coffee, cake, chat, crosswords, construct a jigsaw.** Organised Crafts to start won't involve sharing equipment and will sit socially distanced until government restrictions change. Try our crafts, bring your own craft or just call in for coffee, cake and a chat. All welcome. No set charge—tin for donations.

****2 Wednesday 21st July 10.45am** Informal Worship led by Rev

Cecil King—Theme of Time. How do we spend our time? Where does time come from? Time for discussions and activities on Time!

Followed by a meal please let us know if you have any dietary requirements. We will spread out more than we used to and wear masks while cooking and serving and Graham and I are doing lateral flow tests twice a week to check we are COVID free.



****3 Church Socials** Saturday 24th July 5.30pm Starting with a BBQ in Woodfalls Methodist Church Car Park or if wet spread out in church and hall. Followed by table quizzes and games for the children. To help with catering please let Anita know if you hope to join us.

Paying the Bills Many thanks to those who pay into church bank or have given donations so we can continue to paying the bills.

Tidying the building We have managed to get all the large items into **the ladies toilets** so the hall is now ready for Creation Station to start on Monday morning. Before we put everything in there we moved the old cleaning cupboard out but it fell apart, so we are going to use the three wall units that we found in the roof and tried to sell to re house the cleaning materials—probably behind the door in the old vestry but that involves moving some more stuff first.

The small hall is now tidy and actually looks like a nice meeting room instead of a dumping ground!!

The new vestry Is only half tidy—the screens hide some rubbish (Damaged items from the sale) we need to gradually get rid of in the bin and some cleaning stuff awaiting the new cupboard move and

some more bits we need to find homes for. The filing cabinet we didn't sell is in there at the moment and may house some of the things we need a home for.

Back Porch Is now tidy and now contains recycling shelves if you have any recycling to deposit. SORRY WE DON'T HAVE TIME TO SORT IT SO PLEASE SORT IT AS YOU PUT IT THERE OR IT WON'T BE RECYCLED.

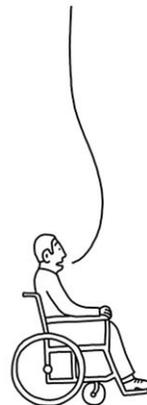
Grand Sale I have managed to sell some things on Downton deals and so the total is now over £900 and have got to deliver a table tomorrow. Thank you to those who gave donations as they couldn't come to the sale. We still have a Snooker Table, Bathroom cabinet, 3 silver folding chairs—slight damage on seat but ideal to store in a wardrobe and bring out for Christmas Parties!!, child's booster seat with detachable back, fluorescent light, plastic stacking chairs if you know of anyone who would like them.

After 19th July As the picture suggests although by law things are opening up, a lot of people will still be worried and the Methodist

THE ENDING OF RESTRICTIONS

WHAT IT MEANS FOR MEMBERS OF THE CONGREGATION

FREEDOM FOR YOU
MEANS ISOLATION
FOR ME. I'LL NO
LONGER FEEL SAFE
GOING OUT NOW
THAT MOST PEOPLE'S
MASKS ARE OFF



I'M TERRIFIED
THAT MY VACCINE
WON'T PROTECT
ME FROM THE
NEW VARIANTS
THAT WILL
NOW DEVELOP



I'VE KEPT MYSELF
HIDDEN AWAY FOR
ALL THIS TIME FOR
THE SAKE OF OLDER
PEOPLE. NOW I'M
BEING ALLOWED TO
BE FREELY INFECTED,
WHEN NO ONE KNOWS
THE LONG-TERM
CONSEQUENCES



WE CAN
SING HYMNS
AGAIN!

