

**** Talkabout 3rd September Coffee from 10.00am.** Talk at 10.30 is an update by New Forest for Ukraine. They would be grateful to receive donations.

****Tuesday 8th September** Bible Study starting—**Walking Humbly**

Bible Studies produced by Trussell Six encounters with Jesus on the road, that explore belonging, participation and ending hunger today, together and forever. First entitled “On the road to Jericho, Jesus meets Zaccheus” We plan to meet every fortnight. Everyone is welcome to join us. If you would like the material e mailed to you beforehand please e mail at atanner.gtanner@btinternet.com.

****Saturday 12th September BUSY DAY !!** Along with St Birinus and St Mary's we are opening the church for Ride and Stride. So we are combining it with a jobs day, there will be some sit down jobs as well as cleaning etc. FREE LUNCH. If you can't stay and help with jobs then you are welcome to call in for coffee and cake.

****4.30 pm Social** starting at 4.30 pm with games and activities from around the world and then a meal. Finishing in time for you to go to.....

7.30 for 8pm Last Night at the Proms Tickets £10 from Peter Bishop 01725 512229 or e mail promtickets@stmarys-redlynch.org.uk

****Friday 18th September FREE** Folk Music and stories concert organised by Wiltshire Council. Followed by tea and cake. In Woodfalls Methodist Church.

****Jigsaw Puzzle Festival** We would be grateful for help setting up from Sunday 20th or Monday 21st September and help stewarding while we are open. Please get in touch if you can help. Please encourage family & friends to come.

**** Tuesday 29th September** 2pm Friendship Hub— Juan Philmore will give part 2 of her talk about her life in the area, followed by a cream tea. So we buy enough scones it would be helpful if you let Anita know if you plan to come. All welcome.

****Talkabout 1st October** Caroline Winstone is coming to speak on Mercy Ships.

Woodfalls Methodist Church September 2nd 2026

St Mary's, St Birinus and Woodfalls Methodist Churches

At our local churches we continue to pray for those who live or work in the community, During the month of June we pray for those who work and live in Orchard Road, Downton Hill, Bohemia and Loosehanger us. roadstogod@outlook.com Also, you can place a written prayer in the Roads to God prayer boxes in porches of Woodfalls Methodist, St Birinus and St Mary's churches or outside Redlynch Village Hall. Thank you.

Circuit Have asked us to pray for Rev Denise Binks as she leaves our circuit. And for **Prisoner of Conscience**: Xavier Chungu is an opposition political leader in Zambia and was a presidential candidate until his withdrawal on 12 July. On 28 May, he was arrested following an interview he did on a podcast. He was subsequently charged with seven counts under the State Security Act, three counts of sedition, and one count under the Zambia Security Intelligence Services Act. On 10 July, he was denied bail after the Director of Public Prosecutions issued a 'No Bail Certificate' limiting meaningful judicial oversight and undermining the requirement that pretrial detention must have a legal justification and be necessary and proportionate. Amnesty International calls on the Zambian authorities to immediately and unconditionally release Xavier Chungu as the criminal charges against him are based solely on the peaceful exercise of his human rights, including his rights to freedom of expression.

Gift Day Many thanks to all those who have donated for our Gift Day. We have raised £1755 so far. It's not too late to donate. Many people have donated the cost of a chair.

Remember we are ALWAYS collecting the following :-

- a) Items for Ukraine
- b) Recycling
- c) Puzzles and books
- d) CLEAN plastic bags to put necklaces, shower gel and shampoo in for next years shoe boxes.
- e) Hats, scarves, soap, notebooks etc for Shoe Boxes.
- f) Tombola or Raffle prizes

Contact us by e mail—atanner.gtanner@btinternet.com/Phone 01725512648, text 07816542204 Anita and Graham.

Dates for your diary

September

Wed	2nd	10.00	Café style worship led by Rev Dr Mark Cheetham	Woodfalls Methodist
Thurs	3rd	10-12	Cafe	Methodist Small Hall
		10	Talkabout **	Methodist Main Hall
Sun	6th	10.00	Morning worship led by Rev Dr Philip Luscombe	Methodist Church
		4pm	Forest Church	St Mary's Churchyard
Mon	7th	10-12	Creation Station + Coffee & Cake	Methodist Hall
Tues	8th	10.30	Bible Study **	Methodist Small Hall
Thurs	10th	10-12	Cafe	Methodist Small Hall
Sat	12th	10am	Jobs Day **	Methodist Building
		10am	Churches open for coffee and cake **	
		4.30pm	Social **	Methodist Hall
Sun	13th	10am	Service	St Birinus
Mon	14th	10-12	Creation Station + Coffee & Cake	Methodist Hall
Wed	16th	10.45	Café Style worship led by Canon Anthony Hawley + lunch.	Methodist Building
Fri	18th	3-5pm	Concert and refreshments (Arranged by Wiltshire County Council) **	Methodist Building
Sun	20th	9.45	Breakfast	Methodist Church
		10.00	Café Style worship led by Rev Veronica Batchelor	Methodist Church
Mon	21st	10-12	Creation Station + Coffee & Cake	Methodist Hall
Tues	22nd	10.30	Bible Study	Methodist Small Hall
		7.30	St Mary's fundraising	Methodist Small Hall

Thurs	24th	10-12	Cafe	Methodist Small Hall
Fri	25th	3-6pm	Jigsaw Puzzle Festival **	Methodist Building
Sat	26th	10-4	Jigsaw Puzzle Festival **	Methodist Building
Sun	27th	10.00	Holy Communion	St Mary's
		12-4	Jigsaw Puzzle Festival **	Methodist Building
Mon	28th	10-12	Creation Station + Coffee & Cake	Methodist Hall
Tues	29th	2pm	Friendship Hub **	Methodist Small Hall

October

Thurs	1st	10-12	Cafe	Methodist Small Hall
		10	Talkabout **	Methodist Main Hall
Sun	4th	10	Morning worship led by Rev Dr Mark Cheetham	Methodist Church
		6pm	Harvest Supper	Redlynch Village Hall
Mon	5th	10-12	Creation Station + Coffee & Cake	Methodist Hall
Tues	6th	10.30	Bible Study	Methodist Small Hall
Wed	7th	10.45	Harvest Café style worship led by Rev Judy Davies. PLEASE BRING GIFTS FOR TRUSSELL FOODBANK	Woodfalls Methodist
Thurs	8th	10-12	Cafe	Methodist Small Hall
Sat	10th	10-12	St Birinus Coffee Morning	St Birinus
Sun	11th	10am	Service	St Birinus
Mon	12th	10-12	Creation Station + Coffee & Cake	Methodist Hall
Wed	21st	10.45	Café Style worship led by Rev Dr Mark Cheetham + lunch.	Methodist Building
Sun	18th	9.45	Breakfast	Methodist Church
		10.00	Café Style worship led by Rev Veronica Batchelor	Methodist Church

Fundraising

14th November Christmas Market Methodist Building

**** Further details. PLEASE PUT THE DATES IN YOUR DIARY**