

Kingsthorpe Community Church
A Baptist - Methodist Partnership
Notices – Sunday 13th October 2024

Services take place at *Kingsthorpe Baptist Church* every Sunday, at 10.45am

Sunday 13th October Morning Worship led by Rev Ian Suttie – Infant Baptism

Sunday 20th October Morning Worship led by Steve Robbins – Communion

All 'live' services at Kingsthorpe Baptist Church are also available on Zoom.

<https://zoom.us> Meeting ID: 824 5301 1738 Passcode: 8181

One tap mobile: 02034815237, 82453011738#, *8181# UK Audio Only 0131 460 1196

PATHFINDERS: The children and young people meet in their groups today. Everyone is welcome to join us.

COMING THIS WEEK:

Badminton - Mondays from 8pm. at KBC. Contact - Ray Cheeseman 01604 842893

Girls' Brigade - Tuesdays from 5:30 to 7:45pm at KBC during term time. Contact the company on 07951387364.

Tiny Tots & Carers' Group – Mondays 9.30 to 11.30 in the Main Hall at KBC, during term time. **Contact Carol on 07740171452.**

Prayer Meeting - meets online on Weds at 11 a.m. on Zoom – 824 5301 1738 passcode 8181.

INFORMATION & DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Important announcement! Coming Together Day Saturday 9th November 9.30 a.m. to 3 p.m. (@ KBC) We are now able to let you know more about this special day!

The aim for the day is for people to get to know each other a little more in an informal environment. To perhaps try things you've never done or you just like doing. We would also like you to think about things you perhaps could do to help with the day-to-day life of Kingsthorpe Community Church. There's a list in the porch to confirm your attendance and then also space to tick which activity you would like to do. Adults and children are all welcome. There will be some opportunity to move around and try more than one activity. There will be a time of worship to start with, followed by the different activities planned (see below) we will break for a shared lunch so please bring with you some "finger food" that can be easily set out & shared with others. After lunch we will all get together & share what we have learnt and the day will end with communion. The activities we are planning are - Banner Making, Community Discussion Group, Godly Play, IT Desk Skills, Music/Singing group, Planting and Welcome Packs. Please come along, enjoy the day & join in! If you have any questions please see Catherine B, Mary R, Catherine J or Trevor and Penny.

Prayers for the future of Kingsthorpe Community Church & the Feasibility Study:

Mary Reynolds will be in church between 2pm and 3pm on Tuesday afternoons starting on October 8th - entrance from the High Street through the pedestrian gate and the side door of the church. This will not be a planned prayer time led by anyone; it will simply be a time to sit quietly and prayerfully waiting to hear what God has to say.

FEASABILITY STUDY THE NEXT STEP: The next step in the process will take place on **Wednesday the 6th of November from 7.00 - 9pm.** We will begin to explore the options (in terms of buildings) in more depth, and we will look at what we as a congregation want in respect of a worshipping space. It would be good to have an equal representation of Baptists and Methodists at this meeting so please put the date in your diary and come along with your thoughts and ideas.

BMS CHRISTMAS CATALOGUE: The last day to order your Christmas cards with a Christian message is Sunday 13th October. Please see Dawn for more information.

Please turn over

October's Dine & Divine: STOP! DON'T IGNORE THIS! Even if you think Dine & Divine isn't for you, do read on.

Halloween approaches – so what better than to share a good meal and chat with folk about the SUPERNATURAL on the evening of Tuesday, October 29th?

- Have you ever experienced a ghostly or paranormal encounter?
- What do you believe about angels?
- Are you superstitious?

These are just some of the questions we will chat about over a meal at the Whitehills, from 7.00 – 9.00 p.m. More details on the attached flier, but talk to Lois Leeson or Penny Clarke if you want to know more, and make your booking with Penny by Sunday, 20th October.

Christmas Fayre: The 5th Northampton Girls' Brigade Company will be taking part in the Christmas Fayre on Saturday December the 7th. Donations of anything suitable as a present (that will fit into a jar) will be gratefully received. These can be Christmassy, novelty or anything else – we don't need the jars just the gifts and they can be given to any of the GB leaders Beryl, Catherine J, Kathleen.

CHURCH COUNCIL: There will be a meeting of Kingsthorpe Methodist Society Church Council on Tuesday 5th November 2.00 p.m. at Kingsthorpe Baptist Church.

Upstairs Welcomer's list for November & December is now in the porch. Please put your name down if you feel you can volunteer for this very important role. You just need to welcome people to the church from 10.15 onwards, hand out notice sheets if they haven't already received them, show any visitors into church and put the latch down at 10.45 and join us all for morning worship. Thank you.

Brampton View Services: - Wednesday's at 6:30pm dates as follows: Oct. 16th; Nov. 20th; Dec. 18th Carols. If you are interested in helping or leading one of these 30 minute services please see Martin or write your name on the sheet in the porch. Thank you Martin Turnbull 07808 665 552 magetu@gmail.com

Time To Create a family event on Friday November 1st 10-12am:

A fun and relaxed morning for children and carers at the end of half term when everyone can spend time together to enjoy some craft and some snacks followed by a short informal praise time. An opportunity to glue and paint, cook and plant, eat and chat, and give thanks for God's wonderful creation. Everyone welcome, carers to stay with children. Please call 07899740589 to book a place so we know numbers for catering thank you.

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Contact Number for Northampton Methodist Church - **Circuit Office Telephone: (01604) 702178**

Email: office@methodist-churches-northampton.org.uk

Car Parking in Waitrose Car Park - if you feel you may exceed the 2 hour free parking time due to being in Church, please complete the form at the front of the church with your car registration number.

KBC, Please send any notices to Diane Jarvis - denidjarvis@hotmail.com - by 4 pm Thursdays.

KMC please send any notices to Catherine Jones - kingsthorpemethodist@outlook.com by 12 noon Thursdays.



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