<u>Kingsthorpe Community Church</u> <u>A Baptist - Methodist Partnership</u> <u>Notices - Sunday 3rd November 2024</u>

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

Sunday 3rd November Morning Worship led by Paul Greenaway All Age Worship

There will be a short presentation after worship where ideas for our new logo will be discussed, please stay to listen over a tea or a coffee. There will be a chance for questions after the discussion. PLEASE NOTE - there will not be a KBC Church meeting.

Sunday 10th November Morning Worship led by Martin Turnbull – Remembrance Sunday All 'live' services at Kingsthorpe Baptist Church are also available on Zoom. <u>https://zoom.us</u> Meeting ID: 824 5301 1738 Passcode: 8181 One tap mobile: 02034815237, 82453011738#,*8181# UK Audio Only 0131 460 1196

<u>PATHFINDERS</u>: The children and young people meet in their groups on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of every month from 10:45-11:45am. Everyone is welcome to come along and join the fun.

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:

Coming Together Day Saturday 9th November 9.30 a.m. to 3 p.m. (@ KBC) Don't forget to put your name down today! The aim for the day is for people to get to know each other a little more in an informal environment. 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. There will be some opportunity to move around and try more than one activity. Please write your name on the list in the porch Or let Catherine B know by email if you would like to come - secretary.kingsthorpebaptist@hotmail.co.uk. If you have any questions please see Catherine B, Mary R, Catherine J or Trevor and Penny. If you've already put your name down - Don't forget to bring lunch to share!

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.

KCC Leaders meeting mins from September - have been emailed around but there is a paper copy in the folder behind the "IT desk".

<u>Jumble Sale</u> – the current total raised at the jumble sale held last Saturday and subsequent sale of items on the internet is \pounds 817.31. Thank you to everyone who helped and supported in any way.

CHAIR YOGA There will be a new group starting in the Primary Room on Tuesday November 5th from 11.30am until 12.15pm at a cost of £8.50. This should be a restful time and it doesn't matter if you have never done yoga before. Hope to see some of you there. See Penny Clarke for more details.

<u>CHURCH COUNCIL</u>: 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.

<u>Church Christmas Card</u>: Christmas is fast approaching and once again instead of sending cards, you can have your name added to our Church Christmas Card to wish church friends the season's greetings. You can then make a donation to the charity the card is supporting. If you would like to propose a charity (local or further afield) that we could support this year please contact any member of the Leadership Team with your suggestion.

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.

Brampton View Services: - Wednesday's at 6:30pm dates as follows: 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

Bethany Homestead Christmas Fayre Saturday 23rd November 10a.m. - 2 p.m.

if anyone has any books or jigsaws they would like to donate to Bethany for this please place them in the box at the back of the Church.

Contact Number for the Baptist church 07786433716 Email: <u>secretary.kingsthorpebaptist@hotmail.co.uk</u> Contact Number for Northampton Methodist Church - Circuit Office Telephone: (01604) 702178 Email: <u>office@methodist-churches-northampton.org.uk</u> 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 - <u>denidjarvis@hotmail.com</u> - by 4 pm Thursdays. KMC please send any notices to Catherine Jones - <u>kingsthorpemethodist@outlook.com</u> by 12 noon Thursdays.