



GODALMING UNITED CHURCH
(Methodist & United Reformed)

SERVICE FOR SUNDAY JULY 29th 2018 and notices for the coming weeks

This is the last printed service sheet for a month as the editorial team take their summer break. This means that there are a number of practical issues that need to be drawn to your attention:

- there is no service at the church on 12th August, rather we will, as in recent years, join the Staycation-Churches Together service at the Bandstand.
- there is no e-merge breakfast during August, normal service will resume in September.
- the vital flooring work has started in the Hall. This means that there is NO access into the Hall until the work is complete. Completion will be notified at the appropriate time. BUT to enable some lettings to continue by using the church there will be a need to move furniture for Sunday services (help will be needed starting from this Sunday after service).
- the Saturday morning 10am -12 noon pop up coffee provision on the patio will continue in August.

Happy holidays everyone!

Alan Steele

PRAYER FOR THE WEEK

Heavenly Father, we pray that you will strengthen us, and bless us as we see you helping each one of us to walk more closely with you so that we may fulfil your longing to see all of your world living in peace and joy with you. Amen

9.00-10.15am eMerge (Fairtrade Sunday breakfast)

Today's stewards are

Vestry Steward

Keith Rowling

Duty Steward

Sue Weighton

(stewards are the people to ask, if you need help before, during or after a service)

Our CLOSED LOOP SYSTEM requires hearing aids to be switched to the telephone or T programme. Recordings of our services are available through the church website, or a CD copy can be provided on request – please ask a Steward.

The Church operates a system of covenanted, planned giving (details of which may be obtained from Nicola Garriock).

There is a children's area available at the rear of the Church which parents and their young children may use during the service.

10.30am MORNING WORSHIP

	Led by	Rev Paul Hulme
Music:		StF tapes
Hosts:		Norman and Maureen Edsall
Sound System:		Malcolm Keene
Projection steward:		Julie Rowling

Call to Worship

Hymn (StF) 8 God with us: Creator, Father,

Responsive Psalm **835** (StF)

Prayer

Hymn (StF) 100 All things bright and beautiful

Lesson

John Ch.6 v. 1 – 15 (p.1069) read by John Davies

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord

Congregation: **Thanks be to God.**

Hymn (StF) 153 Break thou the bread of life

Sermon

Music for Reflection

Prayers and Lord's Prayer

Collection and dedication of the Offering (*congregation please stand*)

DATES TO NOTE during August

- Wed 8th 12.15 for 12.30pm Lunch Fellowship at the Jack Phillips
- Fri 10th 10.30am -12.30pm **MESSY CHURCH** (Staycation special)
Loaves & Fishes – riverside picnic
- Mon 20th Ladies Fellowship - outing to Haslemere museum
- Thurs 23rd 10.30-12 noon Coffee & Cake at St. Mary's, Guildford
featuring the work of 4G's – Grandmothers supporting African Grandmothers
- Fri 24th Hobbies Group meet at the Dower House, Milford Lodge
- Sat 25th 8.30am Ecumenical Prayer Breakfast at St. Mark's, Ockford Ridge

Flowers for August

- 5th Jennifer & Denis Leigh remembering Denis's sister
- 19th Phyllis Masters remembering Michael on their wedding anniversary
arranged by Wendy Weston
- 26th Pearl and John Davies celebrating their 59th wedding anniversary
arranged by Pearl

Prayers for August 5th and 12th and 19th

5th Lord of majestic mountains, breath-taking views, in visiting waters, we thank you for the wonders of your creation. We pray for all those who are on holiday and have time to enjoy your world that they may find relaxation and rest and return restored in body and spirit.

12th We pray for our community here in Godalming and surrounding District and give thanks for those who serve this area in so many ways. We remember with thanks those who organise various activities during this month so that those who cannot get away may have the opportunity for fun and friendship. In particular we remember the work of Churches Together as it unites Christians to a more effective witness of your gospel to this community.

19th Lord we bring before you the peoples of the world. Daily we are reminded in the media of the violence and tragedies both natural and man made. May we never give way to compassion fatigue and a sense of hopelessness in the face of so much suffering. Show us ways in which we can show your love and healing however seemingly small to help those in need wherever they are.

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