

SPRING FAIR

Our Spring Fair is on **Saturday 5th May** from 10.00 am to 2.00 pm. Various stalls, refreshments, activities for children. There is a box in the foyer for donated items.

BROWNIES

The Brownies meet in our hall on Tuesdays in term time from 6.00 to 7.30 pm. One of the leaders has left and they are looking for someone to take over. If you are interested or require further information please speak to Stephen.

CHILDREN'S TEAM MEETING

The next Children's Team meeting is on **Tuesday 24th April** at 7.30 pm

COMFORT ZONE

Sadly, almost a third of people attending Comfort Zone are sleeping rough, with nowhere to keep their belongings safe and dry. They are stolen if they turn their backs, even a sleeping bag being dragged off while they sleep. If they try to find a space to store their bedding (to avoid the stigma of carrying it around) it is either stolen or removed by the council.

So, they are in constant need for replacements.

Do you have any medium or large rucksacks or hold-alls you can spare? It is easier to keep sleeping bags and belongings safe and, hopefully, dry if you can pack them into one bag.

Comfort Zone have run out of warm, waterproof coats, giving out the last four last week.

TODDLE-INN NURSERY - JOB VACANCY

Emmanuel Church, Fleetwood are looking for a qualified, experienced Nursery Practitioner. Closing date tomorrow, further details on poster in foyer or phone 01253 778953 for more details.

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NOTICES FOR WEEK COMMENCING

Sunday 15th April 2018

9.30 am Deacon Angela Shereni

10.30 am Coffee

11.00 am Brian Robbins

7.00 pm Encounter - Rev Stephen Dunn
Holy Communion

Please let Lesley Butterworth have your contributions for notices by Thursday 5pm. Phone – 821957 or 07759498938
Email – info@thorntonmethodists.org.uk

Welcome to all friends and visitors to our worship today.

If you require prayer at the end of the services
please see a member of the prayer team

- Mon.** 10.00 a.m. Together at 10 – Stop and Pray. Prayer meeting at church, or pray where you are
2.00 p.m. Bible Study in the Prayer Chapel
(Contact Brian Robbins – Tel: 873625)
6.30 p.m. **Allstars Youth Club** for Year 3 upwards, in partnership with Fleetwood Town Football Club. Allstars will have a wide range of activities, Bible Teaching and tuck shop. Cost £1 per child
7.30 p.m. Homegroup in the Prayer Chapel
(Contact Brian Robbins – Tel: 873625)
- Tues.** 2.00 p.m. Ladies Fellowship – Annual General Meeting
7.00 p.m. Homegroup at 32 Beverly Close
(Contact – Wendy Reeds – Tel: 07753 414930)
- Wed.** 7.00 p.m. Finance Team meeting
- Thurs.** 9.30 a.m. Café opens
10.30 a.m. Midweek Service – John Simpson
11.00 a.m. Choir Practice
11.00 a.m. Nimble Fingers
12.30 p.m. Thursday monthly lunch. Please put your name on the list in the porch or text or phone Viv Johnston on 07917 033 770 Email vivian.wilson@hotmail.co.uk
2.00 p.m. Boardmates
7.30 p.m. Bible Study E100 in the foyer
(Contact David and Anita Rangeley Tel: 07890162448)
- Fri.** 9.45 a.m. YOYO – Parent and Toddler Group
- Sat.** 10.00 a.m. to 12 noon. Monthly Coffee Morning, Bacon Butties. Various Stalls, Raffle, Tombola Activities for children

Sunday 22nd April

10.30 am United Service
Rev Stephen Dunn
followed by coffee and General Church Meeting
then please stay for lunch – please bring food to share

GENERAL CHURCH MEETING

This is a meeting for everyone at TMC! Next Sunday **22nd April** we will have one service at 10.30am which will include Jim the Potter from Pilling Pottery to help us explore how God wants to shape us, individually as a Church and how He wants to shape our future. This will be the basis of our conversation in the short meeting together and after that we'll all share together in a 'bring and share' lunch.

This is the meeting where nominations are taken to vote members on to the Church Council. Please give nominations to Stephen by today. All nominees should be active members of TMC and regular attenders in worship and fellowship of TMC.

WORLD MISSION FUND EASTER OFFERING ENVELOPES

There will be a dedication service for the gifts at Cleveleys Park, **Sunday 29th April** at 3.00 pm

TEN PIN BOWLING

Our next bowling night is on **Saturday 28th April** at the YMCA at 6.00 pm. The cost is £4.00 adults and £3.50 children. **To secure a place please let Pat Gregory know as soon as possible as places are limited.** (Tel: 823814 or 07907657652).