

CHURCHES TOGETHER IN THORNTON

Churches Together in Thornton are arranging a series of events for each day of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. These will be held across the various churches in Thornton.

TMC is starting the week with

One Church, one faith, One Lord 24 hours of prayer

beginning 7pm on Friday 18 January with a short service and running to 7pm on Saturday 19 January.

Then on **Sunday 20 January**, we are hosting a Churches Together in Thornton service at 3pm.

FUNDRAISING FOR TMC

If your loose change is weighing you down, then TMC would be happy to receive it! There are empty penny jars available in the foyer, or you can obtain one from Chris Albury at the 11am Sunday service, or by emailing her at christinealbury60@gmail.com. Once filled, please return to Chris or a steward.

Another great way to give is via the Birthday Pledge scheme. Either see or email Chris and give her your date of birth. You'll then receive a greeting card on your birthday from your TMC family containing an envelope for your donation. Thank you.

STAMPS and FOREIGN COINS

Don't forget to save your stamps and foreign coins. There is a box in the foyer and proceeds go to the Leprosy Mission. Thank you

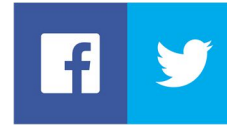
CLEVELEYS PARK QUIZ

Quiz sheets are available from Lesley Butterworth at £1. 30 cryptic clues. Closing date 10th March

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NOTICES FOR WEEK COMMENCING

Sunday 6th January 2019

9.30 am Rev Stephen Dunn
Covenant Service – Holy Communion

10.30 am Coffee

11.00 am Rev Stephen Dunn
Covenant Service – Holy Communion

Burn Naze Church

Thornton Primary School, Heys Street, FY5 4JP

6.00 to 7.00pm the new church in Thornton

Multimedia presentation worship

– all welcome

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 service please go to the East transept where there will be members of the prayer team

- Mon.** 10.00 a.m. Together at 10 – Stop and Pray. Prayer meeting at church, or pray where you are
- 2.30 p.m.** Bible Study in the foyer
(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 at Thornton Primary School, Heys Street, FY5 4JP
- 7.00 p.m. post Alpha Course group
(Contact Rob Straker-Bennett (07976 203916)
- 7.00 p.m. Homegroup at 1a School Road
(Contact – Sylvia Clark –Tel: 857754)
- 7.30 p.m. Homegroup at 57 Kemp Street, Fleetwood
(Contact Brian Robbins – Tel: 873625)
- Tues.** 2.00 p.m. Ladies Fellowship – Sylvia Clark “Would you let them in?”
- 7.00 p.m. Finance Team meeting
- Thurs.** 9.30 a.m. Café opens
- 10.30 a.m. Midweek Service – Brian Robbins
- 11.00 a.m. Nimble Fingers
- 2.00 p.m. Boardmates
- Fri.** 9.45 a.m. YOYO – parent and toddler

THE VINE

The deadline for the February/March issue of The Vine is **Friday 11th January**. If you have an event to publicise or testimony can you please give to Lesley or email info@thorntonmethodists.org.uk

Sunday 13th January

9.30 am Greg Doughty

10.30 am Coffee

11.00 am Greg Doughty

CHRISTIAN BOOKSHOP

CLC bookshop is moving to St John's Church, Church Street, Blackpool. The grand opening is on **Saturday 2nd February**. Open 10.00 am to 5.00 pm. 25% discount all day and 15% during February. Bishop Philip, Bishop of Burnley, will officially cut the ribbon at 2.30pm

FIRST IMPRESSIONS COUNT

On **Saturday 19th January 2019**, Rev. Paul Critchley will be leading a workshop called 'First Impressions Count'. It is designed to help churches reflect on the welcome that a visitor experiences when they first walk into a church. Held at Poulton Methodist Church, it will start at 10am and finish at 12noon. This is for everyone but especially for newcomers. Refreshments will be provided.

CIRCUIT SERVICE

Deacon Jo Critchley is leaving the Circuit in February to undertake training at RAF Cranwell as she undertakes her new role as Chaplain. Due to this, the circuit has arranged a leaving service on **Sunday 20th January** at Poulton Methodist Church at 3.00 pm to celebrate Jo's ministry – unfortunately this is the same date as the Churches Together service at TMC