



*Liverpool Road  
Methodist Church*

# **Weekly Notices**

## **Sunday Worship**

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*15th May 2022*

**10.45am Service led by Rev Ann Hall - Communion**

**22nd May - 10.45am Service led by Rev Patrick Evans  
- 6pm Raising Praise at Leyland Road**

### **Mission Statement**

*Liverpool Road Methodist Church exists to proclaim the Lord Jesus Christ, through whom the people of Birkdale and beyond can come to know God and grow in his love.*

# Lectionary Readings 15th May 2022

**Acts 11.1-18; Psalm 148; Revelation 21.1-6; John 13.31-35**

## *Prayer*

Eternal God, whose Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth and the life: grant us to walk in his way, to rejoice in his truth, and to share his risen life; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.  
Amen.



## *Bible Study*

Bible study Mondays 7pm in the New room.



## *Jona*

Jona service Thursdays 9.15am. All welcome.



## *Church Notices*

If you have any items you want including in the notices please let Lucy Lloyd know on 01704 536648 or [lucy@southportmethodist.org.uk](mailto:lucy@southportmethodist.org.uk).

## *Raising Praise*

The next Raising Praise will be Sunday 22nd May, 6.00pm at Leyland Road.



## *AGM*

A reminder that our Annual General Meeting will be held in the hall after the morning service on 22nd May. For this year, we would ask that you bring your own packed lunch (rather than items for a faith lunch indicated on a previous notice) and tea/coffee will be provided. We will aim to start at 12.30pm. This meeting will provide an opportunity to get an update on our Way Forward and consultations to date. Please also see attached calling notice from Andy.

## Food Pantry

Thank you so much for your continuing support to supply goods for the food pantry. In short supply at the moment are: tinned meats, cereal, branded baked beans, tinned fruit, long life orange/ apple juice and confectionery.

## Flowers

Our flowers this week have been kindly donated by Lin & Bernard Capper.



## Jubilee Event

Small cakes ( fairy cake size ) either plain or chocolate flavour are needed for our event on Friday 3rd June . Even if you can't join us for the event but are able to bake beforehand please do so as the cakes will be frozen in our main kitchen freezer . Please bring contributions along on Sunday mornings or Tuesdays between 10-30 am and 12 noon .

If anyone has a garden gazebo we can borrow for the day to create our outside picnic area please let myself or the stewards know.

All help on the day will be greatly appreciated . The event will run between 11 am and 2-30 pm . If you can spare a little time on the

Thursday ( 2nd ) to give a hand setting up please let us know .

Most importantly if you are planning to attend, invite your family , neighbours and friends . This is our first open event since lockdown ... our chance to reach out to community and celebrate together. Sally x

# Queen's Jubilee

Here at Liverpool Road Church we're celebrating the Queen's Jubilee on Friday 3rd June from 11am onwards.

You are warmly invited to join us for indoor and outdoor activities. Babies through to great grandparents welcome!

Games

Live Streamed Service

Music

Lunch

Service

Crafts

Relaxation

Planting

Conversation

Free Admission

Dear friends ,

This week at Tuesday churches together prayer Dr Karen Groves who now faces retirement after 31 years commitment to our local hospice spoke of the difficulties we are still facing as we journey on through the pandemic .

Health services are stretched due to staff absence, doctors, health professionals, nurses, care workers are exhausted. They continue to do their best whilst patients are expecting the high standard of care we have known through our health services. She also spoke of the fear and anxiety of patients facing end of life.

We are asked to pray for the vision of a " Compassionate Community " committed to improving end of life care and bereavement support for the whole community. You may wish to take a look at the free

"Compassionate Conversation" training for all online. The next Bereavement Journey course will be offered in September. It's important that I engage with guests during the summer if you know of or hear of anyone who may benefit .

In 1 Peter 3 verse 8 ( NLT) we are reminded '*Finally , all of you should be of one mind . Sympathise with each other . Love each other as brothers and sisters . Be tender hearted and keep a humble attitude'*

May we as Methodists in this town be part of joining with others to form "compassionate communities"

God bless,  
Sally Eyes

**COMPASSIONATE**

*How to Speak and Listen*

*from the Heart*

**CONVERSATIONS**