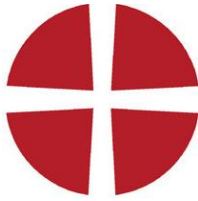


DORE METHODIST CHURCH.



WEEKLY UPDATE

6th July 2025.

All items for inclusion in our Weekly Update should be sent to John Bailey (Email john.bailey23a@btinternet.com or 0114 2351085) by the Wednesday prior to publication.

Please see our website (www.doremethodist.org.uk) for more information about our church and activities.

Worship.

We welcome Robert Keen to lead our worship this morning. As usual, there will be coffee, tea and biscuits served in the Hall after the service. Please stay for this time of fellowship together.

Our service next Sunday, 13th July, will be a Communion Service led by Rev David Willie.

On 20th July Jean Sproson will be leading our morning worship.

This week's activities.

Sunday 6th July – TODAY- 15-00 Well Dressing Service on the Village Green led by Rev Andy Patrick.

15-00 to 17-00 As part of the Dore Village Well Dressing celebrations our Tuesday Group will be serving coffee, tea, juice and delicious home-made cakes in our hall. All proceeds will go to our chosen charity, St Luke's Hospice. Do come and join us.

Wednesday 9th July 10-30 – 13-00 Our Welcoming Space will be open in the hall. There will be, coffee and biscuits available plus a light lunch, as well as opportunities to play board games, read newspapers or just chat to new or longstanding friends.

We currently have some vacant seats on the mini-bus which transports some of our less able friends to and from the Welcoming Space. If you know of anyone who would need transport to get them to our Welcoming Space, please speak to Jackie Bailey. (We do have to make a charge of £4 per seat for the bus.)

Grace Food Bank.

Thanks to everyone who recently supported the Food Bank. The next two collections will be on Mondays 7th and 21st July.

Dore Festival Songs of Praise.

If you have a special hymn that you would like included in this year's Festival Songs of Praise on Sunday 13th July at 5-30 pm at Christ Church, please let one of the Leadership Team know **TODAY**. We will then pass on your request to Rev Andy Patrick. If you wish to share something of why it is significant to you, that would be great.

Bible Study.

The next Bible Study, led by Rev David Hunter, will be on Monday 21st July at 10-30 am at the home of Peter and Ann Smith, 2, Myrce Way.

Congratulations.

We send our love and congratulations to Daphne and David Willie who celebrated their 60th Wedding Anniversary last Thursday.

Thank You.

The organisers of the “Joy Day” recently held by the Ecumenical Group in S17, have sent their thanks to everyone who provided cakes for this event. The day at Dore Primary School was successful with hundreds of people attending to enjoy games, activities and plenty of cake!

Dore Festival.

Other events happening as part of the Dore Festival, include

Thursday 10th July 19-15 – Open evening with the Dore Male Voice Choir and the King Ecgbert School Swing Band at the Community Centre.

Saturday 12th 13-00 to 17-30 Dore Scout Gala on Dore Recreation Ground

Sunday 13th 17-30 Festival Songs of Praise – “Hymns and Pimms” at Christ Church.

Some other community events happening locally.

Pop up Advice and Support Event on Thursday 10th July 11-00 to 14-30 at Ecclesall Library, Knowle Lane. This brings together a whole host of local services and support under one roof to provide the help and advice that you may need. Just drop in any time – everyone is welcome.

“Lets talk it out” a free talk club for men. A private space for open minds and honest conversations – a place for sharing, listening and growing together. A weekly gathering at Totley Rise Methodist Church on Friday’s 10-30 to 12-00. Free food and refreshments will be provided. This group is organised as part of Sheffield Wednesday’s Community Programme.

Osteoarthritis Exercise Support Second and fourth Tuesdays (15th July, 12th and 26th August, 9th and 23rd September etc) 12-30 to 13-30 at Dore Community Centre. These are free events organised again by Sheffield Wednesday’s Community Programme.

News from the Sheffield Circuit.

The Circuit Meeting met on 23rd June, and a summary of the meeting is on the notice board in the hall nearest to the Vestry Door. If you would like to have a copy of the report “Mission within our means” mentioned in the summary, please ask John Bailey.