

# WOODSIDE AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH COVENTRY, CV3 6BE

SUNDAY 28 JANUARY 2024

## Our Service today will be led Barbara Bailey

Teach us, O God, to walk trustfully today in your presence, that your voice may encourage and strengthen us, your arm defend us, and your love surround us, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*Paul Iles: Approaching Light.*

### PARISH NURSE UPDATE

#### Beat the January blues.

A lovely afternoon was had on Wednesday. Thank you to David and Michael for playing the organ and piano.

Thank you to everyone who helped and supported, particularly Lorraine Gowing for the food every week and Judith Sharpe for support on crafts. Also, thanks again for the whirlwind clear up and contributions to continuing parish nursing projects.

The scrabble challenge continued, and knitting was popular, both contributing to Bunting and peoples own projects. Please see the photo of our lovely bunting so far.



Next week Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> January will be a scaled down version of the event with just games and knitting, tea and biscuits (or maybe cake!). Please let me know if you would like to do any of the other projects (mosaic crosses, decopatch, card making, colouring) and I will get these ready if requested. It will run from 1.30-3.30.

I will review the feedback forms for how we go forward but it's looking like a monthly games/knitting session . I would be very Interested in other people's thoughts on what they would like going forward, so no dates set yet - tba. Thank you!

**I will be available on Tuesday and Wednesday this coming week** . Please phone, text or email if you would like an appointment in the church or a home visit or would like to discuss anyone you are concerned about.

#### Date for your diary

The Woodside Fellowship is kindly hosting a coffee morning for Parish Nursing Funds on 6<sup>th</sup> April. Our priority at the moment is raising funds for some baby scales for a baby group at Woodside. Please save this date and come along.

*Kind Regards Paula McClenaghan Parish Nurse Woodside Methodist  
ChurchTel 07869715659*

**OUR NEXT COFFEE MORNING** is **Saturday, February 3rd** 10.30 am to 12 noon on behalf of Zoe's Place, the children's hospice. Please put this date in your diary.

## **COVENTRY SHOWCASE IS SHOWING TWO CHRISTIAN FILMS IN FEBRUARY**

We have received the following information from David Taylor <[christianfilmsatmycinema@gmail.com](mailto:christianfilmsatmycinema@gmail.com)>

**The Chosen - Season 4 episodes 1 to 3** is showing at **Coventry Showcase**

on **Thursday 1st February at 7pm** (*limited availability*)

**And Friday 2nd February at 7pm** (*good availability*)

**The Chosen** is a major new drama series which has now reached the mid-point of Jesus' ministry.

*"The best film about Jesus that I've ever seen" - Nicky Gumbel*

**Season 4 - episodes 4 to 6** will then be showing at cinemas on Thurs. 15th February only.

**Season 4 - episodes 7 to 8** will be showing at cinemas on Thurs. 29th February.

For details and to book go to: [thechosentv.co.uk](http://thechosentv.co.uk)

### **Ordinary Angels (PG)**

is opening in cinemas nationwide on **Friday 23rd February**

For details and the trailer google: [ordinaryangels.movie](http://ordinaryangels.movie)

Cinema venues have still to be finalised for **Ordinary Angels** but it is likely to be opening very widely.

Please check your cinema website on Wed. 14th February

## **WOODSIDE FELLOWSHIP**

We had a very enjoyable meeting last Tuesday when the Rev Penny Hughes gave a talk about how the Bible was put together.

Our next meeting is on Shrove Tuesday, 13th February, at 2pm, when we will be entertained by our own Brian Cave with stories about his life as a Pilot. Followed, of course, by tea, biscuits and friendly chat. Why not come and join us?

### **CHURCH FAMILY:**

As always, we continue to remember those who are unwell, house bound and unable to join us in Church. With their permission, do keep us informed of any we may not be aware of in special need. We have received the news that Wendy St Leon has moved from Rugby Hospital to nursing care in Coundon Manor, and we send our love and very best wishes for her recovery.

**Next Sunday, 4 February, we welcome again Rev Kathryn Darby to lead our worship.**

Our services are recorded and will be available for viewing on our website later in the day and throughout the week. ([woodsidemethodist.org.uk](http://woodsidemethodist.org.uk)) The service can also be heard via the phone: 024 76932114.

If you would like anything included in notices for next week and throughout February please contact Sheila Aldridge, email: [sheilaaldridge@btconnect.com](mailto:sheilaaldridge@btconnect.com) Tel: 02476 304853