



CALDICOT METHODIST CHURCH

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Notices for Sunday 2nd December 2018

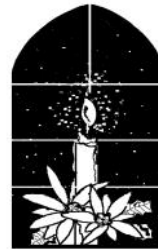
We welcome all who worship with us especially if you are a visitor or this is your first time.
 Please join us after the service for tea, coffee & fellowship.

If you would like to know more about our church, ask a steward for a Welcome Pack
 or help yourself from the rack in the foyer.

If you have a hearing aid, please switch to "T" for reception from the church system, during the service.

Service Today - 1st Sunday in Advent

9.40am	Prayer	First Steps Prayer Meeting - in the schoolroom
10.00am	Service	Rev P. Andersen - Holy Communion
This week's Church Stewards		Mrs M. Andersen & Mrs B. Nash
Door Stewards		Mr & Mrs D. Jones



Lectionary Readings

Jeremiah 33:14-16
 1 Thessalonians 3:9-13
 Luke 21:25-36
 Psalm 25:1-9

Last Sunday's Offering

£707.25

Next Week's Service

9.40am	Prayer	First Steps Prayer Meeting - in the schoolroom
10.00am	Service	Mr R. Kouba

This year's weekly payment
 to the Methodist Circuit: **£794**

Diary for this week

Monday	4.30pm 7.30pm	Kidz Theatre Bible Study- Advent
Tuesday	All am 9.15am 11.00am 7.00pm	Coffee Morning Moo Music - Music & Movement for the under 5's 'Space to be..'. Informal 20-30 minute service, led by Yvette Edwards Men's Fellowship
Wednesday	9.30am	Mother & Toddlers
Thursday	9.30am 2.30pm 6.00pm	Coffee with God, Bible Study - led by Margaret Andersen Sisterhood - Speakers, Alison & Glyn Harrison Slimming World
Friday	All am 7.00pm	Coffee Morning Choir Practice

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Next Week (9/12/18)

Church Stewards	Mr & Mrs F. Wheeler
Door Stewards	Mrs A. McBain & Mrs G. Paul
Sound Desk	Mr T. Chapman
Sunday Coffee	Mrs J. Thomas & Mrs S. Sperring
Flowers	Mrs B. Evans
Advent Liturgy	Mother & Toddler Group



Prayer

We have left undone things we ought to have done, and we have done things which we ought not to have done,
 and there is no health in us. But thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us.

Book of Common Prayer

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These notices are printed and prepared 4U. Please pray for the activities listed
 and those involved in leadership and witness as well as those who will hear The Good News, perhaps for the first time.



CALDICOT METHODIST CHURCH

"LIGHTEN OUR DARKNESS"

*A service to raise up and celebrate
the lives of our loved ones who have
sadly passed away*



**WEDNESDAY 12th
DECEMBER at 7pm**

Opportunity to light a candle of remembrance

ALL VERY WELCOME

FOODBANK Dolly the trolley

Thank you to all who have contributed.

Please continue with your gifts. There is a growing need to help those in a less fortunate position.



NOTICE - CAR PARK FEES

Church car park fees are due on 1st October.

The fee for the coming year is **£10**

Early payment to Wilf Wilsher
will be appreciated

EXTRA TWO MONDAY BIBLE STUDIES for ADVENT

3rd & 10th December at 7.30pm

Led by Nick Jones

FRIENDS & NEIGHBOURS CAROL CONCERT TUESDAY DEC 11TH @ 7. 30PM

Everyone is invited to come along and support us. Lets join together and get Christmas started. Looking forward to seeing you there.

Pam Reynolds



FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENT

The funeral service for
Mrs Margaret Lane
aged 81 will be at

**Caldicot Methodist Church on
WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 5th
AT 12.30 pm**

Followed by internment at Dewstow cemetery

All members at the church
remember the family in our prayers.

LANE Margaret (nee Williams)

Of Caldicot, (former Practice Nurse) sadly passed away on
18th November.

Beloved wife of the late Clem, adored Mother of Paul & Theresa,
Malcolm, Steven & Janis.

A Service of Thanksgiving for Margaret's life will take place at
Caldicot Methodist Church, (Jubilee Way) on Wednesday
5th December at 12.30pm followed by interment at
Dewstow Cemetery, Caldicot. Family flowers only please, but
donations in lieu if desired for the Salvation Army in memory of
Margaret may be placed in the collection box at the Church or
sent to:- Ian Watts & Son Funeral Directors,
168-170 Newport Rd., Caldicot, Mon., NP26 4AA.
Tel: 01291 420972

**Please make cheques payable to Ian Watts & Son (Mon)
Donations Account. Thank you**

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'CHRIST, BE OUR LIGHT!' **LITURGY FOR ADVENT**

ADVENT 1.

Reader:

We wait for the coming of Christ, the light of the world

All:

Come Lord Jesus

Hymn - (Taken from - StF 706)

Choir sing:

Longing for light, we wait in darkness.
Longing for truth, we turn to you.
Make us your own, your holy people,
light for the world to see.

All sing:

Christ, be our light!
Shine in our hearts.
Shine through the darkness.
Christ, be our light!
Shine in your church
gathered today.

Leader (Candle Lighter):

Lights the first candle

Reader:

The true light, which enlightens everyone is coming into the world.

All:

Come Lord Jesus

Reader:

The light shines in the darkness
And the darkness will not overcome it.

All:

Christ, shine in our church today



BERYL SIMCOCK

I wish to convey my thanks and appreciation to all those who sent 'Get Well' cards and also on the occasion of my birthday 18th November for the cards, gifts and greetings of good will.

I was overwhelmed by the gracious generosity of so many.

God's blessing to you all.

Beryl Simcock. St Woolos Hospital, Newport.

6 DAY CHURCH HOLIDAY TO BOURNEMOUTH

20th - 25th MAY 2019 - COST £319 pp

Includes all gratuities, evening entertainment,
half board and three day trips



STAYING at the
ULLSWATER HOTEL

SOME ROOMS
AVAILABLE

For further details contact John Mills
on (01291) 420045

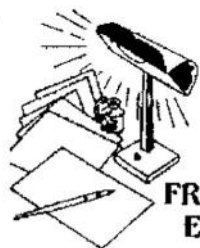
AT BREAK OF DAY

A prayer poem based on Psalm 40, and in particular v5 – 'God will help her at break of day'. Dedicated to all those whose first waking thought is one of anxiety and a feeling of being overwhelmed, but who choose not to be intimidated by such thoughts, finding rather strength in God.

**Waking, anxious and afraid,
Knowing all that must be done;
Sense of dread and taste of fear,
How can I fulfil my call?**

**Turning, then again to God
Inward glance and eye of faith;
Refuge strong and present help,
Why would he desert me now?**

**River flowing, life of God
Fills my heart with confidence;
Trusting him and leaning hard,
Finding grace, I carry on.**

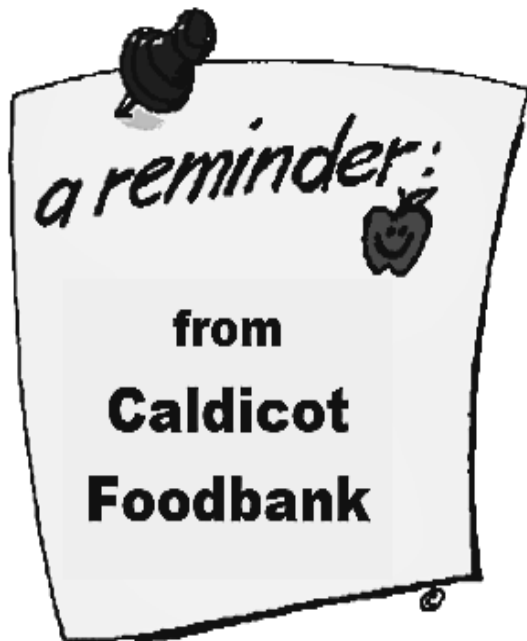


TO ALL CHURCH **SECTIONS &** **ORGANISATIONS**

FROM THE Roger Simms
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Please advise dates and times of your activities
following the Christmas season

The Scriptures give four names to Christians: saints, for their holiness; believers, for their faith; brethren, for their love; disciples, for their knowledge. - **Andrew Fuller**



Christmas 2018 Shopping List

Please help us make up 'special' Christmas Parcels. These will hopefully help give local families 'in crisis' a Happy Christmas.

Items	√	Items	√
Soup		Packet of nibbles (crisps, nuts, etc)	
Tin of Salmon		Christmas Cake	
Tin of Chicken		Fish paste or sandwich spread	
Tin of Potatoes		Jar of Coffee	
Tin of vegetables		Jar of Marmalade or Jam	
Pkt Stuffing		Christmas Crackers	
Gravy		Children's Chocolate Selection	
Bottle Cranberry Sauce		Children's toothbrush	
Tin of Fruit		Children's toothpaste	
Strawberry Jelly		Soap	
Evaporated milk or custard		Men's hygiene items eg. After Shave,	
Christmas Pudding		Disposable razors, Shaving Soap, etc.	
Pkt of Mince Pies (or Mincemeat)		Women's hygiene items eg. Deodorant,	
Bottle of Orange Squash or Ribena		Hand cream, Shampoo, etc.	
Box of Chocolates		Children's toys	



Thank you