



# CALDICOT METHODIST CHURCH

## Monthly Notices – November 2025

**Our Minister: Rev. Bethany Willers**

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### **Pastoral Letter**

Dear Friends,

On Sunday, November 9, we will recognise Remembrance Sunday in worship. The service will pause at 10:30 for any who wish to leave our service to go and attend the town service which will take place at the cross. I will attend the start of our service and then leave to help lead the town service.

At the end of the month, on 30 November, the season of Advent begins. This year we will be exploring the Methodist Church theme for the year which is "Gifted." Here is what they have to say about it:

"Gifted" is a message of good news to a weary world...you are a gift, made with love.

Together, all districts, circuits, local churches and fellowships of the Methodist Church are invited to remind people of their inherent worth and beauty – not because of what they've done, or what they can give – but because of who they are.

"Gifted" is for everyone in our churches and beyond: both believers rejoicing at God's gift of Jesus, and those who might find the season more wearying than wonderful.

"Gifted" reaches out to people longing for transformation but feeling stuck. For those searching for something more, something real – but unsure where to look.

"Gifted" is the Methodist Church's open invitation, speaking the good news to people that they matter. That they are Beloved. Created with infinite care. A gift to the world, just as they are.

I will share more about this theme and our specific Advent/Christmas services and celebrations in the December newsletter article.

Blessings,  
Bethany

# **We welcome all who worship with us**

**Sunday mornings @ 10:00 in the church and available on Zoom**  
For further details or to request the Zoom link, please contact Jack Healey or Gareth Edwards at [caldicotmc@gmail.com](mailto:caldicotmc@gmail.com)

## **Planned Preachers in November:**

**2<sup>nd</sup> : Beryl Quinlan (Café Church)**  
**9<sup>th</sup> : Rev'd Gordon Sollis (Remembrance Sunday)**  
**16<sup>th</sup> : Rev'd Bethany Willers (Shoe Box Sunday)**  
**23<sup>rd</sup> : Rev'd Anne Ellis**  
**30<sup>th</sup> : Rev'd Andrew Webster (first Sunday in Advent)**

## **Diary Dates:**

- Thursdays November 13<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> December at 7pm – Recharge Café Church - at Portskewett Church Hall
- Thursdays 6<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> November at 2pm – Friends and Neighbours
- Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> November – Autumn Fayre
- Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> November – Switch on of Town Christmas Lights – Church open from 3.30 for refreshments and music

## **• COFFEE MORNINGS: Every Tuesday & Friday 9:30am**

• **Leaflets for the Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child (shoebox appeal)** are available in church. If you would like to provide a Christmas present for a child who may receive nothing else this year, you can fill and wrap a standard shoebox or pick up a pre-printed shoebox. A container is available in the tearoom for people who may wish to donate one or two items rather than fill a whole box. The full list of what can and cannot be included is in the leaflet (please remember that toothpaste, lotion and sweets/chocolates are not accepted). We will collect in all the shoeboxes during the service on Sunday 16th November. Please speak to Carrie for any further details. Thank you

**To submit notices for December: Please contact Lin/Jack Healey by 19<sup>th</sup> November**