



Billericay Methodist Church

at Queens Park and Western Road



Sunday 18th August 2019

Western Road

Queens Park

10.00 am Morning Service - LA

led by Ian Brown

Readings: Luke 12: 13-21

Hymns:

H&P 250 Alleluia, alleluia, give thanks to the risen Lord

StF 424 God forgave my sin in Jesus name

StF 467 I need the every hour

StF 489 All I once held dear

StF 351 In Christ alone my hope is found

11.00 am Morning Service - EPIC

led by Mark Smith

Theme: The Wonder of God

Readings: Exodus 16: 9-15

Hymns:

Video You raise me up

StF 82 O Lord my God

Video God of wonders

StF 503 Love Divine

6.30 pm No Service

Theme for the Year – Following Jesus Together

We will grow in faith and discipleship
and care for each other, as part of a
wider group - 'the body of Christ'

(1 Corinthians 12: 12-21, 25-27)



This notice sheet is your invitation to take part in the services, events and activities listed. If you need any more information don't hesitate to ask the welcomers who greeted you at the door, or visit the church website billericaymethodistchurch.org for further information.

Every Blessing,

Rev David Bagwell (Minister)

Statement of Mission:

Billericay Methodist Church is called to encourage a living faith in God. Through the power of the Holy Spirit we proclaim the love of Jesus Christ in: worship and fellowship, evangelism and teaching, serving others and working for social justice.

Prayer

Please pray for the following people this week, asking God to meet their every need

Maddy Bartlett, Jean Kenway, Barbara Kite, Bob and Rosemary Lowe, Val Noble, Ron and Ann Smart.

A Prayer for August. Loving God give us the time that we need, not only to do what we need to do, but to become the person you need us to be. Give us the space that we need, to rest and relax, to be refreshed and renewed, so that we appreciate again - the beauty of the world around us and the wonder of your love within us. Then by your Spirit give us opportunities to share what we have received, with others in need. So that together we may know the joy and peace that Christ alone can bring. Amen.



Praying hands. If you would like to talk with someone or have a prayer after the service, please look for those members wearing a "praying hands" badge and they will be pleased to share with you.

Weekly Prayer Meeting. You are welcome to join us each Sunday at Queens Park, from 9.45am to 10.15am, for a time of prayer and quiet reflection before the morning service.

Fellowship B4 Prayer. Second Sunday in the month at Queens Park from 9.15am. A time to reflect on either a passage of Scripture or share something we have learnt during the week that has encouraged or challenged us from our own readings and which will link into a time of prayer at 9.45 before the morning service.

This week

Amendments and new entries to the Church Directory

The next edition of the Church Directory will be produced for the start of the new church year in early September. - Can you check your current entry and notify Mike Tuggey (mike.tuggey@btinternet.com) in writing of any amendments to be made to your entry. If you are not in the current directory and wish to be included then please contact David Bagwell (david@bagwell.org.uk) for the appropriate GDPR forms that you will need to sign. **DEADLINE - TODAY**



I am delighted to report that the donations this year for refreshments after the morning services at Western Road amounted to £107.63 - this has been sent to the Circuit World Mission Fund as funds raised for JMA. Thank you to everyone who has made a donation and a heartfelt thank you to the ladies and gentlemen who serve us in this way. Lorraine



Kenya Partnership. We have received a lovely letter of thanks from Lilian Karanja- Sammy Kagwi's daughter- who we are sponsoring through university and also a letter & school report today from Sammy's orphaned nephew Jeremy. Copies will be available on the prayer boards on both sites, so please take a minute to read it. Thank you. The Kenya Team

Pastoral

We are sad to hear of the death of Janet Hibbard's Mum, Jean. Our thoughts and sympathy will be with Janet and Ian, Ian and Pauline (Janet's brother & sister-in-law) and all the Grandchildren in the coming days.

Gwen Trevallion passed away on Wednesday morning in Basildon Hospital. Although there is sadness, we know she is safe and secure in the loving arms of the saviour whom she walked so closely with and who she served as a local preacher for many years. She is now reunited with Ray in heaven. The Culver Family

Christopher and David Woodhead would like to thank the church family for their generous support with Cliff's funeral. Not only that, but for the kindness and pastoral care which he received during the past years, while his health was deteriorating. We are truly grateful for this and want to say a big thank you to you all.

General Notices

Revival Church Billericay are launching a Healing Rooms@Costa in our town, when teams of Christians, believing in the healing power of prayer through Jesus Christ, offer prayer for healing regarding physical, emotional or relational needs; This prayer is offered freely with no obligation to make any financial donation or to agree to join any particular church or organisation. The trained, caring, ministry team will listen and pray for people in a sensitive, safe and confidential manner. The session usually lasts about 5 minutes.

We are inviting those in your church with passion for this type of ministry to join us, initially for the Healing Rooms@Costa training with a view to being considered for the team. Billericay Costa have kindly invited us to minister on either a Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday afternoon - typically for about two hours - and whilst this would be a weekly commitment for the corporate team it will be up to individual team members the number of days they are able to make each month.

Anyone wishing to do the training or to know more please contact Steve Hodgson our Healing Rooms@Billericay Co-ordinator to let him know of their interest by the end of August. Steve's email address is: steve.hodgson2@googlemail.com

You can find out more about Healing Rooms@Costa at the following <http://healingroomsatcostacoffee.co.uk> Andy Robb

Please note that there is no Big Breakfast at the end of August, but we will resume again in September.

Coming up in September

Advance Notice - Invite to and Agenda for Congregational Meetings and Church Councils

Much thought and prayer is going into how best to manage, sustain and develop our work with Families and Children and what other ministries may be needed in the medium and longer term. Thank you to all those leaders and volunteers who are currently doing such great work and those new people who have recently offered to help with any of the groups. We shall be discussing all of this at the next congregational meetings which have been agreed for after the morning services on Sunday 22nd September at WR and Sunday 6th October at QP (**note change of date**) - Also on the agenda for these meetings is further discussion of screen protocols, EPIC Services, the follow up to the Love in Action Day, and Harvest arrangements - Final decisions on all the above to be made at the October Church Council, which is open to all, on Weds 9th October at 7.30pm at WR - David Bagwell

Baptist Church Golf Day at Burstead This annual competition is to be held on Monday September 9th 2019 at The Burstead Golf Club, starting at 11.15am with the customary Coffee and Bacon Rolls and Welcome Meeting. The cost remains as before at £35 for the day including 18 holes of golf followed by Ham, Egg and Chips and the prize-giving. What has changed since last year is that the course has undergone some improvements most noticeably new lakes affecting shots into both the 9th and 18th greens. All players of all abilities are welcome - to register for the event contact Jim Clarke on jimtclark@hotmail.com or see David Bagwell for more details.

Advance Notice - Love in Action Day. We shall be launching our new theme for the coming year (Sept 2019 - Aug 2020) with a special day of activities at Western Road on Saturday 14th September from 10am - 3pm including lunch. Please book the date now in your diaries and look out for more details later. Tim Lornie and I along with some of his student friends from Cambridge University will be leading the day, which looks at how we can put our faith and love for God into life changing action - David Bagwell

Future Services

Western Road Billericay, CM12 9DT Tel: 01277 523383

25th August	10.00am	Morning Service led by Rev David Bagwell
	6.30pm	No Service
1st September	8.00am	Communion led by Rev David Bagwell
	10.00am	Morning Service - Local Arrangement Alec Garner
	6.30pm	No Service
8th September	10.00am	Communion Service led by Rev David Bagwell
	6.30pm	No Service

Queens Park Queens Park Ave, Billericay, CM12 0GP Tel: 01277 523383

25th August	11.00am	Morning Service - Local Arrangement led by Helen Hacker, family and friends.
1st September	11.00am	Communion Service led by Rev David Bagwell
8th September	11.00am	Morning Service - EPIC led by Rex Kemp

Please pray for all those preparing to lead worship in the coming weeks.

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Notices

Next issued on Friday 23rd August
Items for Inclusion by 8pm Wednesday to
Ann Bagwell: ann@bagwell.org.uk
or Rex Kemp: kempi_41@tiscali.co.uk

Printing

**Items for printing should be placed in the printers
'In tray' in the church office at WR.**
Please complete the request form which can also
be found in the box and attach to your master copy.

Child Contact Centre

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