

# Life @ Chester-le-Street Methodist Church

**Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> January 2019**

***Welcome to worship at Chester-le-Street Methodist Church.***

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We are delighted to see you. If this is the first time you have visited us then please make yourselves known to the team on duty in the porch. If you have any particular needs, or wish to speak to a minister, please see one of the team on duty who will be wearing badges to identify them. Or please feel free to contact any of the ministry team.



## **A Quotation to think about as you prepare for worship**

Read the Bible daily. Make it part of your everyday business to read and meditate on some portion of God's Word. Choose your own seasons and hours. Do not scramble over and hurry your reading. Give your Bible the best, and not the worst, part of your time. But whatever plan you pursue, let it be a rule of your life to visit the throne of grace and the Bible every day.

~ J C Ryle (1816 – 1900)

## **Today**

### **10:00 am Morning Worship led by Mr A Scott**

Refreshments will be served after the morning service by Irene Hall and Anthea Heel

### **6:00 pm Evening Worship led by Keith Willis**

Refreshments will be served after the evening service by Denise Holmes and Gwynneth Indian

Vestry Stewards:	10:00am: Dorothy Carr, Freda Raine	6:00pm: Miriam Proctor, Dorothy Hedley
Door Stewards:	Wendy Dunn, Elizabeth Oswald and Mary Sanderson	
Readers:	10:00am David Gribben	6:00pm Margery Greener
Sound Technicians:	10:00am Worship Band	6:00pm Gordon Robson and Keith Willis
PowerPoint:	10:00am Joan Moore	6:00pm Steve Sunderland

## **Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> January**

### **10:00 am Morning Worship led by Deacon Linda Watkin**

Refreshments will be served after the morning service by Denise Holmes

### **6:00 pm Churches Together service at Evangel Church, Durham Road**

There will not be an Evening service here at the Methodist church

Vestry Stewards:	10:00am: Robert Berry, Fred Johnson
Door Stewards:	Sheila Noke, Marian Dryden and Jean Boggon
Readers:	10:00am Gwynneth Indian
Sound Technicians:	10:00am Worship Band
PowerPoint:	10:00am Robert Berry

Please remember in your prayers the preachers from our church who are leading worship this week: The members of our Ministry Team; Liz Kent, Ian Kent and Linda Watkin

## Midweek Activities

### Monday 21<sup>st</sup> January

Durham CC Future Focus *	9:00am - 5:00pm
Place2Be *	9:00am - 4:00pm
Pilates	10:00 - 11:00am
PCP / BBO ROAD (Reaching Out Across Durham) *	11:00am - 1:00pm
Alzheimer's Society – "Singing for the Brain"	1:30 - 3:30pm
Women's Fellowship	2:00pm
Stop Smoking clinic *	4:00 - 6:00pm
Denchi Kai Academy	6:00 - 7:30pm
AAP Meeting *	6:00 - 8:00pm
8 <sup>th</sup> C-le-S Brownies	6:30 - 8:00pm
Monday Housegroup at 27 Bede Court	7:00pm

### Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January

Coffee Morning hosted by Perkinsville church	9:00 - 11:30am
Durham CC Future Focus *	9:00am - 5:00pm
Thrive Yoga	10:00 - 11:30am
Boys' Brigade - Anchor Boys - Junior/Company Sections	6:15pm 6:30pm
Rock Choir	7:45pm

### Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> January

Durham CC Future Focus *	9:00am - 5:00pm
Durham CC Computer Course	9:30am - 12noon
Carers & Toddlers	10:00 - 11:30am
Film Making *	10:30am - 12:30pm
Film Making *	12:30 - 2:30pm
Carers & Toddlers	12:45 - 2:45pm
Talking Changes *	1:00 - 3:00pm
Relate *	5:30 - 7:30pm
4 <sup>th</sup> C-le-S Rainbows	6:00 - 7:30pm
Slimming World group 1	5:30pm
Slimming World group 2	7:30pm
Ballroom Dancing	7:30 - 8:30pm
Eric Donkin's Housegroup at 27 Hauxley Drive	7:30pm

### Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> January

Access Training *	9:00am - 4:00pm
Carers & Toddlers	10:00 - 11:30am
Thursday Lunch	12:00noon
Slimming World group 1	3:30pm
Slimming World group 2	5:30pm
Slimming World group 3	7:30pm
Drama Tree	4:00 - 5:30pm
Relate *	5:00 - 8:00pm
4 <sup>th</sup> C-le-S Guides / Rangers	7:00 - 9:00pm

### Friday 25<sup>th</sup> January


Access Training *	9:00am - 4:00pm
Coffee Morning	9:00 - 11:30am
Hear 4 U Listening Service	9:00 - 11:30am
Holy Communion	10:00am
Memory Lane Crafts	10:00am - 1:00pm
Prayers in the Vestry	11:30am
Prayer Shawl Ministry	1:30 - 2:30pm
4 <sup>th</sup> C-le-S Brownies	6:00 - 7:30pm

### Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> January

Coffee Morning hosted by the Women's Fellowship	9:00 - 11:30am
Place2Be *	8:30am - 4:30pm
Slimming World group 1	8:00am
Slimming World group 2	10:00am
Slimming World group 3	12:00noon
SSIP Impact Family Services *	10:00am - 2:30pm
Argus Singers	2:00 - 4:30pm
Food Cycle	6:00 - 9:00pm
N. A. Meeting *	7:30 - 9:00pm

Please send items for the next Notices to  
Duncan Hindmarsh by 7:30pm on Tuesday. Thanks.

 [djs.hindmarsh@gmail.com](mailto:djs.hindmarsh@gmail.com) (preferred)

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With the exception of items marked \* all activities  
on these Notices are open to all  
and everyone is welcome.  
If you are interested in a particular activity, please contact  
the office for further information or visit our website

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If you would like to use the guest Wi-Fi at Cornerstones is CMC Guest (A1A2A3A4A5).



**Week of prayer for Christian Unity  
January 19<sup>th</sup> to January 27<sup>th</sup>**

There will be one lunchtime session on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> at the Bethel URC Church from 12:30 to 1:00pm. Everyone will be very welcome.

Also the Sunday evening service on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> is at the Evangel Church at 6:00pm.



**Greetings from the church's new  
Children and Families Worker**



Hello! My name is Neil Garlick and I am a member of Great Lumley Methodist Church. I took up the role of the Children and Families Worker at Chester-le-Street church on 1<sup>st</sup> January. As I am based in the church building, I've already met many people and look forward to meeting and working with more of you as I get deeper into the role. I will let you know more about myself through Contact magazine in February, and I will be at the morning service on 27<sup>th</sup> January and the evening service on 10<sup>th</sup> February. If you would like to contact me, please email [cfw.cornerstones@gmail.com](mailto:cfw.cornerstones@gmail.com) or call 07855 386292.

As I begin this role, it is very important to me to get to know Chester-le-Street itself better, and to hold children and families in the area in prayer. One way in which I will be doing this is to spend Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> February walking around the town and praying as I go. Although I will carry out the walk itself on my own, to reflect silently, I would appreciate meeting with two or three people upon my return at 3:00pm in the Aidan Room to share my experiences and to pray. We would finish at or before 4pm. If you would like to meet me for this, please could you email or call me.



Blessings in Christ, Neil

**James Etherington Musical Award  
Competition Final  
Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> February at 7:00pm  
Chester-le-Street Methodist Church**



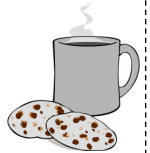
This will be wonderful opportunity to support six young musicians from our area as they compete for 1<sup>st</sup> Prize.

Each Finalist will provide about 15 minutes of music (either singing or playing) to demonstrate their considerable talent.

**Entrance is free so we do encourage people to come along and listen.**

There will be a retiring collection for the benefit of the Charity that provides the Awards.

Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> January is the coffee morning hosted by the Prayer Shawl Ministry and any donations for the cake stall would be very much appreciated. Thank you Freda.



We have an opportunity to provide a one day training course (non-accredited) for anyone who is interested in gaining knowledge in First Aid for Children.



You will learn all aspects of First Aid to keep a child safe. Everyone is welcome.

The course will be one day, 10:00am - 3:00pm, and is free to anyone on means-tested benefits or up to £12.50 / hour if employed.

The date is to be arranged so if you are interested please could you leave your contact details, including telephone and email, at the office stating which day of the week you would prefer. Thank you.

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**WOW**

The first 2019 meeting of the WOW group will be on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> January at 7:30pm.

WOW is a monthly Circuit-wide group for women of working age.

New members are always welcome.

For further information about the group and details of this month's venue, please contact Karen Heptinstall (Tel: 415 0070 or email [k.heptinstall@sky.com](mailto:k.heptinstall@sky.com)).



**Chester-le-Street Friends  
urgently needs new volunteers!**

Groups of 3-4 volunteers from the Chester-le-Street churches go out on Front Street, from 10:30pm until the early hours on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and last Saturday of each month....but lately we have been unable to make up a team due to insufficient volunteers.

If you think you can help, maybe just a few times a year, or just want to know a bit more, you might be interested in attending:



New Volunteer Training  
Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> Jan 2019  
from 9:30am – 4:00pm

The Upper Hall, St Nic's Church, Durham  
Organised by Durham Street Lights

To book a place call Durham Street Partnership on 0191 393 8693.

Or come and try a taster session with Chester-le-Street Friends. To arrange this speak to Kate on 07702 686400 or Francis on 07710 743626, or email our co-ordinator Sharon Dodds

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