



KNAPHILL METHODIST CHURCH

THE NOTICES

SUNDAY 8TH DECEMBER 2019

Changing lives for the good, through the power of God's word

SERVICES WILL BE HELD IN THE HALL UNLESS STATED

<p>Sunday 8th December 10am - Holy Communion with Dave Faulkner</p>	<p>Christmas Day 10am - Family Worship with Dave Faulkner</p>
<p>Sunday 15th December 10am - Morning Worship with Dave Faulkner</p>	<p>Sunday 29th December 10.30am - Circuit Service at <i>Byfleet Methodist Church</i> (no service at KMC)</p>
<p>Sunday 22nd December 10am - Morning Worship with Sydney Samuel Lake 6.30pm - Carols by Candlelight (in the Church)</p>	<p>Sunday 5th January 10am - Holy Communion with Julia Monaghan</p>

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Song words are usually displayed on the screen at the front of the church. If you have difficulty seeing the screen, there are printed versions of the words available, please ask one of the door stewards.

Please join us for refreshments after services, in the Welcome Area

Coffee donations for *September 2019 to February 2020* will be for a public defibrillator located at KMC

Money from the Offering during the service goes to church funds (unless specified otherwise)

REGULAR EVENTS

Tuesday Morning Fellowship - 10th December

TMF will meet at Forge End, Anchor Hill. 9.30 for 10.00am start. Favourite Christmas music, poems etc. All Welcome, contact Barbara Humphries 01483 824469

Wednesday Evening House Group

Wednesdays at 8pm: 114, High Street, Knaphill come and join us.

Clothes 4U preloved clothing with TLC - Saturday 21st December, 2 - 4pm

Speak to Helen Brice or Jane Ing for more information or if you're able to help.

When leaving donations of clothes in Room 2, please ensure they are stacked safely and access to the Fire Exit is not blocked. We would like **clothes only**. Thanks for your kind donations, much appreciated.

Leadership Team Meeting

Tuesday 7th January, 2020 at 7.45pm for 8pm start at KMC.

CAMEO

Meetings will restart in the New Year - look out for more details soon.

Monthly Coffee Morning

Our next coffee morning will be 25th January, 2020, 10am until 12 noon in aid of Missions.

KMC Broadway Group

Tuesday 28th January, 2020 at 7.45pm at 114 High Street, Knaphill.

Carols by Candlelight Service:

On Thursdays 12th & 19th December, the Worship Group will be preparing the music for the Carols by Candlelight service on 22nd December. If you would like to come and help us lead the Worship that evening, please come along and join us for as many weeks as you can - we will be meeting in the Church starting at 7.30pm and look forward to welcoming you.

Woking Ladies Choir Concert - Saturday 14th December at KMC, 4.30pm:

*Woking
Ladies Choir*

Woking Ladies Choir present a sparkling Christmas concert – a 'Ceremony of Carols'. We are also honoured and delighted to feature solos from the accomplished Soprano Camilla Jepesson and the resident Waldorf Hotel Harpist, Cecily Beer. Of course, there's also traditional Christmas Carols throughout the programme.

Free refreshments • Raffle Tickets: Adults £12, Under 16s £6 07957 593534

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

A big thank you to all those at KMC who contributed to the success of the Christmas Bazaar. Despite the wet weather and the noise of the tree surgeon's chain saw, we managed to raise over £ 1600 - well done everyone!
Liz Funning

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Christmas Tea Party – 3pm until 5pm - Sunday 8th December

Christmas Tea Party taking place this afternoon. Just a reminder for those attending or helping, to wear a Christmas jumper if you have one, it will add to the festivities! Liz Funning

C4K Carol Singing - Come and join in the singing and help set up on 14th December

Churches in Knaphill are getting together again for their carol singing, Sunday 8th December, at 2pm at Mizzens railway, Saturday 14th December, at 11am in front of War Memorial in Knaphill, and on Wednesday 18th December, 7.15pm at Garibaldi pub. On 14th December we need volunteers to help set up a couple of tables and trays in front of the War Memorial in Knaphill for mince pies and drinks for passers by. Lynda Shore

Thursday 19th December - Carol Singing

10.30am - coffee and mince pies, Carols at 11am at the Vyne.

6pm, meet at "The Lodge, opposite Vyne Field, for carol singing at the Cygnet Hospital. Anyone attending must contact John Cossins, on jcrossins@gmail.com as visitors are only allowed in by pre-arrangement.

Knaphill Baptist Church - Father Christmas and Nativity event - Saturday 14th December

See poster in Welcome Area

Carols By Candlelight - 22nd December 6.30pm at KMC

Volunteers needed to help with refreshments after the Carols by Candlelight service on Sunday 22nd December at 6.30pm. Donations of mince pies also appreciated. Please speak to Linda Todd or Shirley Chase for more information.

Christingle, Christmas Eve Service, and Sunday 29th December Service

We will not be holding a Christingle or Christmas Eve service this year. Please also note that there will be no morning service at Knaphill on Sunday 29th December but Dave Faulkner will be leading a morning service at Byfleet at 10.30am.

Action for Children

If anyone would like a '150 day Collection Box Challenge' box, please ask **Sue Findlay** or one of the Stewards, and return the box at the morning service on 12th January, 2020. Thank you.

Prayer Diary

The December Prayer Diaries are now available in the Welcome Area. Ruth Pugh's latest news letter is also available.

Fare Share - 6th January until 5th May

If you are free on a Saturday morning to collect surplus food from Tesco's, (part of the Fare Share scheme) in Knaphill and take the food to KMC between 6th January and 5th May, please see Shirley Chase who is working out a rota of volunteers and give you more information. You will need to have a mobile phone (as you receive a text that there is food to collect) and a car to transport the food across to KMC.

Money for Church Funds in lieu of Christmas Cards

Just a note to all my friends in the church family, I would really appreciate it if you didn't leave any Christmas cards for me this year, as I am going away to Spain. I shall place a donation into church funds, instead of receiving Christmas cards. Would like to wish everyone in the church family a peaceful and Healthy Christmas and New Year. Many thanks. Helen Brice.

Sylvia, Rob Peters, Lynda Shore, Nelly Ford, Yvette & Allan Wright wish all the Church Family a very Happy Christmas and New Year, and, like Helen, make a donation to the church in lieu of Christmas cards.

Worship in the Hall:

Help is always needed to set up and put away the "church" in the hall during the winter months. Thank you.

New Cross for Services in the Hall

We are very grateful to Stephen Gurd for his kind gift to the church of a special cross, which was out on the table at our first service held in the hall on Sunday 17th November, 2019.

Steve purchased the cross at this year's ArtServe Festival, and donated it to the Church for use whilst we are worshipping in the Hall during the Winter months, in recognition of the many years he served as a Steward at KMC.

Claire Hargreaves kindly dedicated the cross at our first service back in the Hall. Many thanks, Steve!

Entries for **THE NOTICES** next week to Yvette Wright no later than 8pm Thursday
Email to: admin@knaphill-methodist-church.com or call 01483 475858

Over the Christmas & new Year period there will be Notices for 15th December, 22nd December and 5th January, 2020. As there is no service at KMC on 29th December, there will not be an issue of The Notices.

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