KNAPHILL METHODIST CHURCH



THE NOTICES

ISSUED: SUNDAY 28TH APRIL 2024

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

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

Welcome to today's service - please join us any Sunday morning at 10am.

As you enter the vestibule, look to see if there are any Notices, leaflets, prayer diaries, or other information on the table. Please feel free to take copies of these. Just ask a Steward for more details.

Paul Glass - Sabbatical until 1st July 2024

Our Minister, Rev. Dr. Paul Glass is now on Sabbatical and will be away until **Monday 1st July 2024**. During this time Rev. Claire Hargreaves has kindly offered to be our Pastoral contact once again. Should you need to contact Claire regarding any Pastoral matters, please speak to one of the Stewards.

CAMEO - Room 3 at KMC - 1.30pm for 2pm start - all welcome

CAMEO meetings coming up:

1/5/24 - Traditions, Barbara Humphries 15/5/24 - No meeting 5/6/24 - Duncan Twigg

Tuesday Morning Fellowship - 7th and 21st May 2024

Tuesday Morning Fellowship will meet every other Tuesday at 'Forge End', Anchor Hill with a 10am start. In May there will be meetings on 7 May and 21 May. Meetings are in person, and not on Zoom. Contact Barbara Humphries for more details.

KMC Monthly Prayer Meeting - Wednesday 8th May

The next Monthly Prayer Meeting will take place on Wednesday 8th May, starting at 7.30pm. Zoom login details will be sent out prior to the meeting.

Christian Aid Week - 11th-18th May

Last year, with help from KMC members and folk from other churches we raised nearly £3000. I need volunteers for the collection outside Waitrose on Saturday 11th May and for traditional house to house/deliver only in Knaphill between 12th-18th May. Please mark the date and let me know ASAP if you can help in any way. Lynda Shore

Clothing Bank - Saturday 18th May

The next Clothes4U Clothing Bank will be held on Saturday 18th May between 2pm and 4pm. If you are able to offer help, please contact Helen Brice or email clothes@knaphillmethodist.co.uk.

KMC General Church Meeting - Sunday 19th May

The 2024 General Church Meeting will be taking place after morning worship on <u>Sunday 19th May</u> and, once again, will be chaired by Claire Hargreaves who is preaching that day. This meeting is open to all members of the Church and plays an important role in the life of KMC, covering its financial affairs, the election of Church Stewards and Church Council members (the Church's "Governing Body"), so please make every effort to attend. Copies of reports will be sent out electronically ahead of the meeting and a few "hard" copies will be made available for those not on email.

Nomination forms for Stewards and Church Council members are now available in the Welcome Area, - please ensure that anyone you are proposing to nominate is in agreement.

We are in desperate need of new Church Stewards, so please consider prayerfully whether you could take on such a "role" within the life of KMC. Please speak to any member of the Leadership Team if you have any questions. Thank you.

KMC Coffee Morning - Saturday 25th May from 10:00-12 Noon

The May Coffee Morning will take place from 10:00-12 Noon on Saturday 25th May 2024, and will incorporate our annual plant sale. Donations of plants to sell would be welcomed, as would garden-related items, such as string / seeds / gardening gloves etc. Inside, there will be the usual stalls, bacon butties, cakes, preserves, books etc., and as this is usually a very popular event, **donations for these stalls would also be much appreciated**. If you are able to offer any help on the day, please speak to **Lynda or Linda!** Thank you.

Chapel Anniversary with Nick Oborski - Sunday 23rd June

On Sunday 23rd June, KMC will be celebrating its Chapel Anniversary and Nick Oborski (a former Minister at KMC) has been invited by our current Minister, Paul, to lead our Morning Worship on that day. In order to give the congregation an opportunity to "catch-up" with Nick and his family, it has been proposed that we hold a faith lunch after the service. Further details will follow in due course, but please make a note of the date in your diary.

KMC Church Directory

We will shortly be looking at the KMC Church Directory to ensure that the information it contains is still correct. If you are aware that your details have changed, please let us know (in writing, if possible) by the end of May. Thank you.

Rotas for 2024

Many thanks to all those who regularly sign up on the various Rotas situated on the Notice Board beside the Vestry, or offer "ad hoc" help on a Sunday morning. If you are able to help with any of the following:- **Sunday Morning Coffee**, **Reading in Church**, **Flowers**, **or Cleaning the Worship Area**, there are still plenty of dates available. Please speak to one of the Stewards if you are not sure what's involved – we will be happy to help you. Thank you.



GDPR message

The Church notice sheet has a wider readership than just within KMC as it is published on the KMC website and visitors to our Church premises can take a copy away with them. If you put items in The Notices, please remember the above when adding your personal details, such as your name, email or home address and phone number. I will be happy to omit names and any other personal details if requested to do so. Pat

SERVICES FOR THE NEXT FEW WEEKS	
Sunday 28th April 10am - Morning worship with Anna Carrington	Sunday 19th May 10am - Holy Communion with Claire Hargreaves
Sunday 5th May	Sunday 26th May
10am - Morning worship with Sam Monaghan	10am - Morning worship with Pieter Lalleman
Sunday 12th May	Sunday 2nd June
10am - Morning worship with Rob Gill	10am - Morning worship with Allan Taylor

Entries for THE NOTICES to Pat Delbridge at notices@knaphillmethodist.co.uk
Notice sheets are normally issued on the first Sunday of every month.

The deadline for the June notice sheet is Thursday 30 May