

## Church Family News and Prayers

Lord Jesus

Who guides us, who directs us,  
Who finds a path for us where we can see no way,  
Keep our eyes from loving  
Things that are merely beautiful to see  
And keep our hands grasped on things eternal  
The greatest of which is your love. *Amen*

Lord

Who knows well enough how we are surrounded by  
troubles  
And who knows, even better, how frail our strength  
can be,  
Protect us and give us power to stand  
When the tide of other peoples' opinions  
Threaten to sweep us away  
So that others, as weak as ourselves,  
May know they are not alone. *Amen*

***We continue to pray for those members of our Church Family  
and Friends who are unwell and all those who mourn.***

*If you would like to be included in the prayer list,  
Please write your name in the book in the foyer of the church.*

**Please pray for our CEEMP Prayer Partners:  
St David's/All Saints Llanedeyrn**

**Prayer in Your Street for November: Llyswen Rd. & Henllys Rd.**



**CYNCOED METHODIST CHURCH**

**A warm welcome to everyone worshipping with us today  
Please stay for coffee or tea in the church after the service.**

**Sunday 18th November 2018  
Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Steward: Alison Harrison**

**10.30am Gauri Taylor-Nayar**

**6.00pm Anthony Thomas @ St Andrews**

**Readings:** 1 Samuel 1: 4-20; Cantic: 1 Samuel 2: 1-10;  
Hebrews 10: 11-14 (15-18) 19-25; Mark 13: 1-8

### ***At Cyncoed Methodist Church***

We are called to tell God's story by living as God's people through:

- Preaching and teaching the gospel
- Encouraging spiritual growth
- Outreach in the community
- Responding to opportunities for change

**all inspired by God centred worship and prayer.**

***A family room*** is available, if needed, for the use of parents with babies and toddlers, allowing parents to share in worship while the little ones enjoy the toys provided. Please ask one of the stewards for more information.

***Please ensure that your mobile is on 'silent' during the service.  
Follow us on Facebook.***

### The Ministerial Team:

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### Sunday 25th November 2018

#### Sunday before Advent

Steward: John Tredget

10.30am Vera Ruddock / Rev. Nick Oborski

6.00pm Rev. Cathy Gale @ Cyncoed

**Readings:** 2 Samuel 23: 1-7; Psalm 132: 1-12 (13-18); Revelation 1: 4b-8;  
John 18: 33-37

### Informal mid-week Communion

Thursdays at 10.30am in the Fellowship Room

*An Oasis of peace in a busy week*

### Quiz Night for Tear Fund -Saturday 17 November @ 7.00pm

Bring and share supper. (Refreshments will be available.) Dave Kitchen will be your host and we'll be playing along with over a thousand churches. Fun, good company and the inevitable debates about dodgy questions. Bring your friends, help us to support a good cause and enjoy yourself into the bargain. Tickets only £2. For more information or late tickets phone Dave Kitchen on 2075 5504 or 07 884 976 444.



If you are new to this church or if you have any particular concerns and would like to talk to someone please give your name and contact details to one of the ministers or stewards.

### Notices

- **Winter Outreach:** If you would like to contribute an article for our next edition of OUTREACH please will you either email it to me at, [m\\_annetucker@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:m_annetucker@yahoo.co.uk) (preferable) or if written leave in the Office for my attention. **Deadline for submission is Sunday 18th November** Look forward to hearing from you!! Anne
- **The Trinity Centre:** The Trinity Centre will be holding a Christmas Market on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> December from 11am – 3pm. There will be Christmas gifts on sale, crafts to buy and make, food and refreshments and a raffle. Free entry.
- **Thank You:** Tom Oborski ran the Cardiff Half Marathon on the 7<sup>th</sup> October, in aid of the Trinity Centre, and would like to thank all those who sponsored him. Tom raised just over £2000.
- **CHOIR:** Enjoy singing? Do join us on Thursdays at 8pm as we prepare for Christmas - in particular the Lessons and Carols service on 16th December at 6pm. A warm welcome awaits! We meet in the Fellowship Room or Church. Thank you in advance! Carol 20757134
- **Scout Stamps:** are available from Sue Tester, 30p each. Last posting day is 3<sup>rd</sup> December there will be a "post box" by the Church Office.
- **Advent Prayer Sessions:** there will be weekly prayer sessions during Advent, Saturday mornings. This will rotate among the 4 East Cluster Churches. Further details to follow.
- **Bible Study:** NEW TIME AND VENUE The Bible study previously meeting at 14 Lonsdale Road will next meet on Thursday 22nd November at 11.15am in the Fellowship Room at Church, following the morning Communion. All are welcome and tea and coffee will be available between the two gatherings.
- **Ty Enfys :** Our next visit to Ty Enfys will be on Monday 19th November at 2.45pm.

Please leave items for the church notices in the Church Office (for Mike Berry) or email to [cyncoedmethodistchurch@gmail.com](mailto:cyncoedmethodistchurch@gmail.com) before 5.00pm on Wednesday.