

Like heaven

What is heaven like?

Like that astonishing, unexpected find in the back of a cupboard of something you thought you had lost forever

Like a cloud-busting wind that sweeps away the doubts as it clears the air and lets us breathe with a feeling that nothing will ever suffocate us again.

Like a friend who lifts us up, cheers the grey, drizzle-torn mornings and makes us feel ready for whatever might come

Like the missing piece of a jigsaw that makes it possible to see the whole picture with all the parts in the right places

Heaven is all you imagine ... but better.

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



CYNCOED METHODIST CHURCH

Church Notices for Sunday 18th September 2022 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Services

Steward: Angela & Heather Bailey

10.30am Dave Kitchen

Readings: *Jeremiah 8:18 - 9:1; Psalm 79: 1-9; 1 Timothy 2: 1-7;
Luke 16: 1-13*

No More Covid Restrictions

As we are all aware, all COVID restrictions have been lifted. There are therefore no restrictions applicable to our services or any gathering in the Cyncoed Methodist building. We are however aware that Covid is still around. For this reason, we encourage that when in the Cyncoed Methodist building, everyone must graciously respect the preferences of other members of the congregation and the community, especially if people choose to maintain any of the preventive protocols.

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.

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Sunday 25th September 2022

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Steward: Jenny Siddall

10.30am Rev. Kofi Amissah - Harvest

Readings: *Jeremiah 32: 1-3a, 6-15; Psalm 91: 1-6, 14-16; 1 Timothy 6: 6-19; Luke 16: 19-31*



Informal mid-week Communion

Thursdays at 10.30am in the Fellowship Room
An Oasis of peace in a busy week

Cyncoed Church Premises

For Out of Hours or Emergency access to the Cyncoed Church Premises

please call Martin on 07849 632 394 or

email: cyncoedmethodistchurch@gmail.com

Notices

- ❖ **Ghana Evening** on Saturday 8th October 2022 at 5.30pm, for a 6.00pm start, at Cyncoed Methodist Church. Activities will include worship, food and entertainment. We hope to raise funds at this event and others to support the Wenchi Methodist Hospital, Fistular Repair Project in Ghana
- ❖ **SMARTIES CHALLENGE. Supporting the Wenchi Hospital Ghana**
Tubes of Smarties will be on sale today @ 2 for £1.00
Keep one tube, eat the Smarties and then fill with any denominations of coin you wish. Invite someone else to share in the challenge and give them the other tube and ask them to do the same. Filled tubes will be returned to the Church in November.
I know we are in challenging times but hopefully our gifts will be the difference at the hospital.
Chris
- ❖ **Sponsored swim in aid of the Wenchi Fistular Project**
My challenge is a Channel swim (22 miles) in my local pool over a period of 12 weeks (starting September 2022).
A sponsor form will be on the table in the Vestibule and I would be very grateful if you will agree to sponsor me for this challenge.
Anne Tucker
- ❖ **Harvest Festival:** On Sunday 25th September we will be celebrating Harvest Festival and during the service there will be a collection of non-perishable food items for the Llanedeyrn foodbank. All donations are much appreciated especially during these difficult times. Thank you for your ongoing support. Alison H.

Please send items for the church notices to the Church Office or email to cyncoedmethodistchurch@gmail.com before 5.00pm on Wednesday.