

BIBLE-DIPPING IV

Two people and only one thing that God says not to do. But you only need one, don't you? The snake in the grass whispers: 'Go on, try it...' Adam blames Eve, Eve blames the snake, no one blames themselves. (*Genesis*)

Lies are here today and gone in next to no time; truth has no 'use by' date, no 'best before' limit. (*Proverbs*)

When you say "yes", leave it at that. Start dressing it up and you're hiding something. (*Matthew*)

What is far worse than being a complete idiot? Being a complete idiot and not realising it. (*Proverbs*)

Don't worry about status. Be happy that anyone can feel God working in their lives. (*Moses to Aaron in Numbers*)

Ditherers don't deliver. (*Proverbs 6, 6-9*)

Much more Bible Dipping to enjoy via **Bible in Ten – David Kitchen**. Easy to read; plenty to encourage you! Available from all good booksellers and the man himself. Also available as an e-book and an audiobook.

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 7th May 2023 Fifth Sunday of Easter

Services

Steward: Sue Tester

9.15am Rev. Kofi Amissah - Communion

Readings: Acts 7: 55-60; Psalm 31: 1-5, 15-16; 1 Peter 2: 2-10; John 14: 1-14

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 14th May 2023

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Steward: Jenny Siddall

10.30am Rev. Kofi Amissah - Communion

3.00pm Messy Church

Readings: Acts 17: 22-31; Psalm 66: 8-20; 1 Peter 3: 13-22; John 14: 15-21



Informal mid-week Communion

Thursdays at 10.30am in the Fellowship Room

An Oasis of peace in a busy week.

Notices

- ❖ **Outreach Magazine.** I am hoping that you will consider submitting a contribution for the 'Summer Outreach' whether you have done it before or be it for the first time. Photos, news, poems, reflections, stories, articles etc ... All contributions will be **VERY** welcome!! Submissions can be left in the 'Outreach tray' in the church Office. **Deadline for submissions is Sunday 21st May**
Many thanks, Anne

- ❖ **Gift Aid.** I am preparing our Gift Aid claim for tax year ending 5th April 2023
I am required to remind you of the wording of the declaration on the Gift Aid form. If you are paying less tax than the total claimed on your donations, or for any other reason, do not wish to continue to Gift-Aid your donations to the Church, then please let me know ASAP.
Last year we claimed just under £7000, a useful amount of money.
John Plumridge

- By completing this form you confirm:**
"I am a UK taxpayer and understand that if I pay less Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax than the amount of Gift Aid claimed on all my donations in that tax year it is my responsibility to pay any difference."

- ❖ **Miss Francis Hobbs** a long-standing member of Rumney Methodist church, has recently died.
Her funeral will take place at Rumney Methodist Church at 3pm on 15th May.

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