

Church Family News and Prayers

Every Season

To every love, there is a season.
A time to start new pages in each other's stories,
To hold hands, watch the sunset.
A time you should confront the things that hurt,
Then kiss, make up and start again.
A time to march for justice, feed the hungry;
A time to brew a pot of tea.

There is a time to bear a family's disapproval,
To walk your own road with the one you love.
A time to break the silence with kind words,
Or split the sky with thundercracks of laughter;
A time to see the welcome in another's eyes
And one to say goodbye with grace.
There's a time to stay when others leave,
And one for letting go when it's easier to cling on,

A time to bless the home that makes you safe,
Another to open doors for lost and lonely souls.
A time to smile at all that's yet to be;
A time to hold hands one last time.

The seasons turn and bring their change
But love's in every purpose under heaven.

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 21st May 2023 Seventh Sunday of Easter

Services

Steward: Alison Harrison

10.30am Dave Kitchen

Readings: Acts 1: 6-14; Psalm 68: 1-10, 32-35; 1 Peter 4: 12-14, 5: 6-11;
John 17: 1-11

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 28th May 2023

Pentecost

10.30am Circuit Service @ Wesley Caerphilly

Readings: Acts 2: 1-21 or Numbers 11: 24-30; Psalm 104: 24-34, 35b;
1 Corinthians 12: 3b-13 or Acts 2: 1-21; John 20: 19-23 or John 7: 37-39



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

Notices

❖ Christian Aid Week 14th May to 20th May

Your support for Christian Aid is requested. There are a number of organisations that do excellent work in overseas countries, but only one carries the name Christian. They are, on our behalf carrying out the work that Christ has asked us to do.

Please give as you can and, if you need to, use the Church Letter Box to return your filled envelope, if you are able, please Gift Aid your donation.
Thank you.

❖ Cardiff Race for Life 10K - 19th JULY

Unfortunately, due to a foot injury, I won't be able to take part in the race for life this year, but my son, Ian, has volunteered to take part on my behalf. So, I'm asking if you would be kind enough to sponsor him instead of me, to raise money for Cancer research. Since the Race for Life started over 30 years ago, more than £940 million has been raised, so this race really is a worthwhile fundraiser. Thank you.
Alison Harrison

❖ The next Morning Circuit Service is on Sunday 28th May at Wesley Methodist, Caerphilly. The Service will also be on Zoom and activities will be provided for children and young people. It would be lovely to see as many people there as possible.

❖ CMCC are starting their new venture SHOUT 2023. We are looking for more members to come join our witness 'n worship! Requires an ability to laugh, enjoy singing, and at times be serious. Please contact Gauri 07971 281711 for more information on the frivolity.

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