

# **Ruislip Manor Methodist Church**

Sunday 7th June—28th July 2024

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# **SERVICE ON SUNDAY 7th July**

11.00am Ruislip Manor Methodist Church: Revd Julie King

**SERVICE ON SUNDAY 14th July** 

11.00am Ruislip Manor Methodist Church: Worship Group

**SERVICE ON SUNDAY 21st July** 

11.00am Ruislip Methodist Church: (Ickenham Road) Revd Lynita Conradie

**SERVICE ON SUNDAY 28th July** 

11.00am Ruislip Manor Methodist Church: Revd Roger Dunlop, Communion

To join the service on line, join it later or go to any of the other recent selected services

<u>click here</u> If this does not work go to the church website <u>www.rmmc.org.uk</u> and click on "Livestream Services" on the top of the page.

## **Proposed Wesley's Chapel visit**

Tony has kindly organised a trip to Wesley's Chapel which will take place next Wednesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2024, with those attending asked to arrive by 1.50pm, please. Although numbers for this have already been submitted, this is flexible, so if you would like to join the group, please let Eileen know or just turn up on the day.

We thoroughly enjoyed our 90<sup>th</sup> Church Anniversary service on 9<sup>th</sup> June, led by Rev Canon Dr Jennifer Smith, of Wesley's Chapel who wove into her service some personal reminiscences. The meal following the service included a delicious array of food, including a donated gateau and small cakes iced by Discoverers. A selection of archive materials was put on display, reviving memories for some, and the embroidered tablecloth – the 2<sup>nd</sup> of such - this one started during the church's Golden Anniversary - was once again available for folk to add their signatures. It's planned to make the cloth a regular feature of future events.

We give thanks, as always to all those who make such events possible – for the liaison with preachers, for the very capable AV team, for those who deal with the catering or help set up and put away, to name but some of the roles...there are many in our little team who regularly play their part, for which we are truly grateful.

#### **CHURCH OUTING**

A pop-up event! Would you like to visit <u>Iver Flowerland</u> for a stroll around the garden centre and lunch (or just a cuppa, as you wish) in the company of some church friends? Eileen and Len will be heading an outing on <u>Weds, 17<sup>th</sup> July 2024</u>. Lifts from church can be arranged for those requiring them (provided we have enough drivers for those needing lifts!). It's anticipated leaving RMMC at <u>10.30am, returning by 2pm-ish</u>. Stroll around the garden centre, at your leisure, enjoy refreshments in the cafeteria (which does hot meals as well as pastries etc) and return trip to church, after you've eaten, by 2pm-ish (or earlier if required). Please let Eileen know (via <u>enquiries@rmmc.org.uk</u> or by signing up on the list in the church vestibule).

#### Farewell to Revd Nigel Cowgill (updated)

Nigel's time as a Chair of the District is coming to an end in August. To thank him for all his work and service to the London District and wider church the District is holding a Farewell Service on **Sunday 21 July** at **Hinde Street Methodist Church**, W1U 2QJ. The afternoon will start with refreshments from **5:30pm**, followed by a service at **6:30pm**.

If you would like to attend, the District requests that you please RSVP using this link

#### **Dementia Awareness**

One in three of people in the UK will go on to develop dementia in their lifetime, and there will be one million people living with dementia by 2025, making dementia care one of the greatest challenges facing our society. **Home Instead Ruislip & Harrow** have released a leaflet, which you can <u>view here as a PDF</u>, which describes six scenarios that may indicate someone has or is developing dementia. It's important to look out for these signs and give our loved ones the care and attention they need.

#### **Kenton Summer Fair**

Join **Kenton Methodist Church** for their Summer Fair on **Saturday 6th July**. Starting at **11am** and lasting until 3pm, you can look forward to fun for the kids with children's games, face painting, and a bouncy castle. There will be a raffle and tombola as well, and you'll want to bring some food to share with others. <u>Click here</u> to see the poster for this event. All are welcome.

# **COMING UP IN JULY, AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER**

<u>14<sup>th</sup> July</u> – is to be a members-led Local Arrangement service and plans are already afoot for what we hope will be an enjoyable service...all will be revealed!

In the evening on 14<sup>th</sup>, there is a service at Ickenham Rd commencing 6pm.

28<sup>th</sup> July – Rev Roger Dunlop is returning to RMMC to lead a Joint Service, with Holy Communion.

11<sup>th</sup> August – the Journeys Group will be leading our worship, so do please try to support them if you are able. In the evening on 11<sup>th</sup>, there is a service at Ickenham Rd commencing 6pm.

25th August – is a Joint Service at RMMC, with communion, led by our very own Rev Julie King.

**CHANGE OF DATE** - Please note that it has become necessary to change the date for our Harvest service from 22nd September to 29th September.

**<u>29th September</u>** - We don't yet have the Circuit plan for September but can confirm that Rev Julie King will be leading our Harvest Festival service on 29th September.

#### **Prayer Requests**

Please continue to pray for :-

Anyone suffering from mental issues and from loneliness because of isolation. Please include in your prayers all our members and friends who have any illness or infirmity. Prayers and Blessings to all at Ruislip Manor and beyond - stay safe.

Any requests for prayers please send to prayerrequests@rmmc.org.uk

#### Prayer for Israel & Palestine

Dear Lord, I pray for the safety and welfare of the civilians in Gaza, as nowhere seems safe, with more refugees being injures or killed. Please help this war to end, and a mutual peace agreement to be sought, and the hostages released. Through Jesus Christ in the power of the Holy Spirit. *Amen Bible Society Prayer Tree* 

Also remember in Prayer Armenia, Libya, Guyana, Afghanistan, Morocco, Yemen, Syria and all places of conflict or disaster as well as for those involved in the rescue and reconstruction efforts.

#### Please Continue to Pray for Ukraine and its People

Ever-loving God, the Ukrainians have severely suffered with the Russian invasion, please give them hope for the future, courage for the present, victory in their thoughts, and support and unity with each other, and from the West. Through Jesus Christ, in the power of the Holy Spirit *Amen The* Bible Society Prayer Tree

#### Friday 5th July:

This week we pray for all in Safeguarding across the Circuit

We bring 1st Ruislip Manor Guides and Brownies to God in prayer.

We also pray for the people who live in Victoria Road.

## Friday 12th July

This week we pray for all Pastoral Visitors and Church Stewards We bring Harlington Hospice and Michael Sobell House to God in prayer

We also pray for the people who live in Ashburton Road and Bempton Drive

# Friday 19th July

This week we pray for all those who provide music, power points, communion and all that is needed at services to support the preacher.

We bring Hillingdon Hospital and Hillingdon Council to God in prayer

We also pray for the people who live in Bessingby Road and Beverley Road

#### Friday 26th July

This week we pray for all Treasurers, administrators and tea and coffee makers.

We bring Hillingdon Foodbank and Harrow Foodbank to God in prayer

We also pray for the people who live in Brixham Crescent and Chelston Approach

We wish many happy returns to all who celebrate a birthday in July



Items for the News sheet for Friday 2nd August to **Janet Miles**, by email **newsletter@rmmc.org.uk** by **Wednesday 30th July**, please