



Newsletter from the Bury St Edmunds Circuit

for Sunday 19th September 2021

Dear Friends,

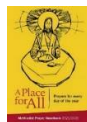
Over the past few weeks we have been reviewing the necessity of the weekly Worship Sheet, Newsletter and also the Recorded service. As a staff team, and with all church buildings now fully open, we feel that these have come to a natural end. The worship sheet, newsletter and recorded service have been distributed either by post or email from the time the pandemic began and have continued for 18 months. As you can imagine there is a lot of work involved behind the scenes to produce the worship sheet, recording the service and the work involved collating and producing it on the website. Also, writing the newsletter and with the distribution. We all know how much these have been appreciated. It is with heavy hearts that we will stop the weekly worship sheet and recorded service, but, a monthly newsletter will continue so that all churches can keep up to date with circuit activities and news. If you have items for the monthly newsletter please send them either to your minister or to Caroline at the Circuit Office. Zoom worship comes to end in the way it has been delivered on Sunday September 26th other ways of online worship are being investigated and we will let you know about this at a later date.

God bless. Jason, Rita and Ruth



A big thank you from Tigger and Robert for your support for their bike ride on Saturday for the Suffolk Historic Churches' Trust Ride and Stride. They visited all the churches in the Stowmarket section of the circuit and a number of others – 19 in all. It's still not too late to donate if you would like to.

www.justgiving.com/fundraising/robert-davieandtigger



TRINITY Methodist Prayer Handbook.

If anyone from Trinity would like a copy of the Prayer Handbook for the year starting in September would they please contact Chris Spencer on 07773-365652 or email chrisspencer48@gmail.com

Methodist Prayer Handbook

If anyone from St John's, Glemsford or Bradfield would like a Methodist Prayer Handbook for the year 2021-22, please could you let Ruth Ridge know on 07447 091182 or ruthkridge@gmail.com

SUNDAY SERVICES

There is a church service each week in all churches across the circuit.

We will continue to keep safe by wearing our face masks and leaving space between folk if possible. We are now able to sing which we do wearing face masks. The continued wearing of face masks will be reviewed in September at our Local Preachers Meeting.

Zoom Sunday Service

We will now be holding one Zoom service per week which will start at **10.30 a.m.** and there will be different people hosting this so please look at the newsletter for logging on information.

Zoom Worship Sunday 19th September at 10.30am hosted by Rev Val Spencer

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8411347306?pwd=bkxNZEp4SmhITG9sZDdHWjFJUjVBZz09>

Meeting ID: 841 134 7306

Passcode: 240250

Dial by your location

0203 481 5240 0203 901 7895 0208 080 6591

0208 080 6592 0330 088 5830 0131 460 1196

0203 481 5237

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Sunday Worship A Circuit video recording of the Sunday Worship Sheet can be found at: <http://www.trinitymethodistchurch.org.uk/worshipthisweek.htm>

Newsletter and worship sheet received by Post

All mailings are sent from the circuit office if you have any amendments to be made to your details or if you no longer wish to receive this then please contact the circuit administrator Caroline Edwards on 01284 731082 or circuit.admin@hotmail.com

We are very grateful for the generous donations made to The Martins MHA Amenity Fund at the Welcome Service for Rev Jason Vinyard at Northumberland Avenue on 2nd Sept.

A wonderful and very welcome total of £300 was given.

THANK YOU. Francis Carr, Chaplain and Rev Val Spencer on behalf of The Martins Volunteer Support