

THIS MORNING'S MUSIC John Forster is our organist this morning. Before the service he will play three short pieces by Noel Rawsthorne – *Reverie*, *Berceuse* and *Elegy*. Please use these, and the short period of silence which follows, to prepare quietly for worship. At the end of the service he will play *Aria* – also composed by Noel Rawsthorne.

CAFÉ CHURCH This evening we will be going to Lenton Methodist Church – so there is no service here.

METHODIST PRAYER HANDBOOK If you want the 2017-2018 handbook please let me know today so that I can send off the order. Janette Hetherington (9283666).

LINK Any items for the August edition of *Link* should be sent/given to Pam Watson – or to the editor Liz Norris - before Tuesday 18 July.

SPLENDOUR We will open for 'Toilets and teas' to serve those going to the concert in Wollaton Park next Saturday (22 July) – from 11am to approximately 3pm. If you could help, please put your name on the rota - on the table in the middle of the church. We will be having a small book sale too, so donations of books would be appreciated

KINGSWOOD SUMMER PLAYScheme This will take place on Thursday 27 and Friday 28 July from 9.30am until 12.30pm and we would love some help from members of our congregation. This would involve helping with a specific craft group (everything provided) or taking small groups of children into the kitchen to bake. If you are available and think this is 'just up your street' do please talk to Irene. Any help will be really appreciated.

AFTERNOON TEA CHURCH Any offers to make cake/scones for our Afternoon Tea Church on Sunday 30 July? Please let Christine know as soon as possible.

PAINTING THE PREMISES Planned for the week beginning 31 July - all the toilets in the main block, the entrance foyer to Room 1 and the lobby from Room 1 to the play area. We would like to do the Quiet Room as well - but this depends on how much time is available. Our spring/summer cleaning and gardening day is on Tuesday 1 August. All are welcome to join us at any time.

TEA GARDEN Sunday 13 August at 100 Harrow Road - open between 3 and 5.30pm (indoors if wet) and serving a variety of sandwiches, scones and cakes, tea, coffee and herb teas. All welcome - bring a friend! Donations to the development fund.

DEVELOPMENT PROJECT: MORE FUNDRAISING 1. Pam Grayling has offered to make cross stitch cards to order. More details to follow.
2. On the second Tuesday of the month we will be meeting at church to look at grant applications - 10.30-11.30am.

CHURCH MEMBERSHIP Over the summer I hope to pop in for a chat about possible church membership with anyone who is a regular attender but not yet a 'member' with a view to receiving you into membership all together in the autumn. If you can answer 'yes' to the questions - 'Do you turn away from evil and all that denies God?' and 'Do you turn to God, trusting in Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour, and in the Holy Spirit as Helper and Guide?' then you are welcome as a member - and I look forward to hearing your thoughts about it

TOGETHER AT RADFORD Thanks to all who contributed to the united service last week. The collection for *Christian Aid* raised £177.07.

CHURCH LUNCHES As you may already know The Middleton's kitchen is now closed with a view to the pub finishing soon. We have enjoyed Kat's hospitality and wish her well for the future. She has put up with the varying numbers, so many thanks for all her hard work. If we are to resume this social activity in the autumn I will need some suggestions for a venue. Joyce Whitt

CHURCH NOTICES From next week until the end of August the notices will be appearing at fortnightly intervals. I hope this will not be a problem for anyone. Pam

Notices for Sundays 23/30 July Please let Pam Watson have any notices by noon on Wednesday 19 July. email p.j.watson@ntlworld.com Tel 0115 9281973

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