



Copmanthorpe Methodist Church
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Churches Together in Copmanthorpe LEP

BIBLE MONTH – THE BOOK OF JAMES

Sunday 2 July

- 10.30 James Chapter 3 - Praise and Worship
led by Rev Julia Skitt
- 18.30 Holy Communion service led by Rev Julia Skitt
Duty steward – Ruth

Sunday 9 July

- 10.15 FIZZ
- 10.30 James Chapter 4 – Morning worship led by Andy Skitt
Duty stewards – Bev & Tim

Sunday 16 July

- 10.15 FIZZ SUMMER CELEBRATION
No Morning Service
- 14.00 – 17.30 Circuit celebration at Central Methodist Church, York.

Neighbourhood prayer

Lord, we pray for the people in our village. We pray particularly this week for those who live in, work in or visit:

Low Green, The School, Orchard Garth, Croft Farm Close.

We ask that each person may come to know you and that you will bring peace and healing in their lives.

This week all the churches in the Circuit will be praying for
**the work of the Methodist Church in Hushwaite and
for the work of Carecent.**

Prayer

A reminder that each week there is a prayer sheet in the entrance lobby. Please write your prayers for other people and situations so that they can be included in the service.

This week in Copmanthorpe

Tues	4 July	Women's fellowship
Wed	5 July	Communion service at St Giles – 9.30
Thur	6 July	Come 4 Lunch Stewards meeting – Manse 7.30pm
Fri	7 July	Playbox – 10.00

Church Council meeting – Please note the change of date from Wednesday 12 July to Saturday 15 July 9am start!! If you are not going to be able to attend please could you give your apologies to Jean asap, so that we know how many members will be attending.

CTC Housegroups

Tues 19.30	2 Timothy - Men's group (Paul Jarrett)
Wed 09.30	The Wisdom House – Rob Parsons (Marg Brown)
Wed 19.30	James (joining with Bev's group for Bible Month) (Ruth)
Wed 19.30	The fruits of the Spirit (Russ/Mandy/Jill)
Wed 19.30	James – Bible Month (Bev)
Wed 19.30	Daniel (Sue Jarrett) – meeting at 3 Larkfield Close

Bible Month

Wednesday evening housegroup at Tim & Bev's – 7.30 – 9pm
5 July Speech and Wisdom led by Revd Graham Carter
12 July Living for the Lord led by Andy Skitt & Jo Travena
All welcome, please do come along.

Circuit celebration Sunday 16 July Central Methodist 14.00-17.30



2pm – Worship with Guest speaker Revd Dr Calvin Samuel – principal of the London School of Theology.
3.15pm – Informal time for refreshments and sharing.
Cakes provided and served by the residents of HMP Askham Grange.

4.15pm – Closing worship, including an opportunity to say goodbye to the staff who are leaving.

Transport is not provided but the Park and Ride from Askham Bar runs up to 17.45. If anyone needs a lift please see Bev.

Holiday Club 2017 – only 4 weeks away!!

This year's Churches Together in Copmanthorpe Holiday Club will run from **31 July - 4 August**.

We plan to run KangaRoos, Holiday Club and Film in a Week to cater for all ages between 0 and 11. We need approx. 100 pieces of something every day, either biscuits, home baking or bought cakes. If you are able to offer any of these please contact Bev.

KangaRoos

The pre-school holiday club KangaRoos (holiday fun for parents and children between 0 and 4) outdoors in the school grounds. This is an exciting opportunity to share God's love with the children and their families in a relaxed context familiar to many of them - it could be thought of as 'church without walls'. We will be offering fun and messy play ideas like sand, water, mud kitchen play, parachute games, painting, construction, as we weave in the daily story about Jesus and his disciple Peter.

We would really love your support with this new adventure:

- Could you offer to bake cakes or biscuits or help to prepare and serve the refreshments (we currently have nobody able to do this)
- Could you help welcome people and supervise an exit?

Please contact Jacqui Duffield Tel: 07724099918

Hop down and join us! Each morning, 31 July - 4 August.

Copmanthorpe Scarecrow Trail – 23-24 September

If anyone would like to be involved in creating a scarecrow to be exhibited outside the church, please let Bev know before 9 July. If we manage to get a team together, we will go ahead. The theme is super heroes, so we shouldn't have any problem finding a character!

Second Saturday coffee mornings

The next Saturday coffee morning will be on 15 July, so it doesn't clash with the village carnival, and will be raising money for the Friends of Copmanthorpe School.

We then have couple of dates available for organisations to use our facilities to raise funds. The dates are 12 August, 9 September and 11 November. If you know anyone who might be interested in booking one of these slots, please ask them to contact Janet White (704203).

Thankyou from Christian Aid.

During Christian Aid Week, Copmanthorpe Village raised £2494.82! This money will go to support refugees of today. Thank you to all those who delivered and collected envelopes, To those who gave up their evenings to prepare the collection packs. To the group

of Copmanthorpe gentlemen who ripped, emptied and counted the money from every envelope. And to all of us who donated and prayed for this important week in the Christian calendar. Roz

Spring Harvest 2018 – Skegness, 2-6 April

There is already a nucleus of people who have booked to go to Skegness next Easter. If anyone is interested in going or would like further details please let Bev know as soon as possible. Online bookings opened last week so an early response would be helpful.

Safeguarding Courses

A reminder of the forthcoming dates for safeguarding courses being run by the Circuit: Please book via the Circuit Office for all courses.

Foundation Module: 11 July 19.30 at Copmanthorpe

Refresher Module: 24 July 14.00 at Stamford Bridge

District Welcome Service – Sunday 27 August, Ashville College, Harrogate. Tea at 16.00 followed by Service at 17.00.



In celebration of the new Yorkshire North & East District and to welcome Revd Leslie Newton as District Chair.

The Circuit is organising a coach for those who would prefer not to drive, leaving St George's Fields car park at 14.30 (cost £6.50). Please book your place on the coach via the Circuit Office.

Leslie pictured with Gill (Chair of the Sheffield District) and daughter Laura. They will be moving in July from the manse in Strensall to the District Manse in Acomb.

Rural Mission Enabler

See our website for details of how to apply for this exciting new role:

<http://www.yorkmethodist.org.uk/news/rural-mission-enabler-wanted.html>

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