

WHATS ON

Sundays 10.30am Morning Worship

Mondays 9.30am Praying Together
2.15am Care and Share
7.30pm Lanner Wives meet fortnightly

Tuesdays 2.30pm Network meet fortnightly
7.15pm Gospel Group Practice

Fridays Route 393 and F.N.T
meet alternate Fridays

Messy Church meets once a month see Chapel notices for full details



Some of Lanner Gospel Group visiting Langholm for a Christmas service with Paul on December 20th 2015

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LANNER METHODIST NEWS

PASTOR Jenny Lockwood

Tel: 01209 213657

MORNING SERVICE at 10.30am

No.16 January, February, March 2016



**CHRIST HAS RISEN
HALLELUJAH**

METHODIST WOMEN IN BRITAIN (MWIB)

On Monday 30 Nov., Christine, Rosemary and Gillian went to Treloyhan Manor, St Ives for the two day MWiB residential conference. There were about 50 of us there from all across Cornwall. The conference theme was 'This is my story; this is my song' and was led by Mrs Anne Browse, the Connexional MWiB President.

She told us her story of being a Secondary School Teacher of German and a Somerset Farmer's wife with three children. We looked at our own stories and that of both Mary, Jesus' mother, and Elizabeth, John the Baptist's mother.

Bible studies were led by the Revd Mark Dunn-Wilson on what he called the 'Wow' Psalms e.g. 'The Heavens Declare the Glory of God!'.

Traidcraft and book stalls were in the TV lounge and the games room. We were each asked to bring something for a 'Bring & Buy' stall in support of our District President, Mrs Barbara Bray's appeal for the Dalit women and girls in India.

We all enjoyed good food, fellowship and conversations with people from other churches across Cornwall. We left on the Wednesday after lunch when another 50 ladies arrived to enjoy the same wonderful experience that had been ours. Anyone from this church who's interested in going in November '16, should please speak to one of us and we'll encourage you to enjoy the Treloyhan experience. Booking forms will be available from July.

Report by Gillian Langford

Who's Who in Lanner Chapel

Pastor	Mrs. Jenny Lockwood	01209 213657
Council Secretary	Mr Mark Pratten	01209 699896
Treasurer	Mr Paul Langford	01209 213146
Assist Treasurer	Mr Peter Sully	01209 219585
Organist	Mr Darrell Curnow	01209 214846
Contact Steward	Mr Peter Bailey	01209 213088
Stewards	Mrs Jean Sully	01209 219585
“ “	Mrs Christine Curnow	01209 214846
Booking Secretary	Mr Gerald Harvey	01209 216555
Envelope Secretary	Mrs Hilary Thomas	01209 822440
Wives Secretary	Mrs Sylvia Pooley	01209 215543
Network Secretary	Mrs Sylvia Shield	01209 216199
Care and Share	Mrs Crystal Eathorne	01209 820996
FNT	Ang 01209-315526 or Sharon	01209 214191
Route 393	Mark or Julia Pratten	01209 699896
Property Secretary	Mr Jonathan Scarrett	01209 315526
Connexional Link	Mr John Allen	01209 821285

Stop That Now

An elderly woman had just returned home from an evening church service when she realised an intruder was in the house. She yelled:

"Stop now! Acts 2:38! ("..turn from your sin ...").

The burglar stopped dead in his tracks. The woman calmly called the police and explained what she had done. Soon the police arrived and as the officer cuffed the man to take him in, he asked the burglar, "Why did you just stand there? All she did was to yell a scripture to you."

"Scripture?" replied the burglar,

" She said she had an AXE and two 38's!"

PN. Bailey

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What's your perspective?

Today was the worst day ever
And don't try to convince me that
There's something good in every day
Because when you take a closer look,
This world is a pretty evil place.

Even if

Some goodness does shine through once in a while
Satisfaction and happiness don't last.

And it's not true that
It's all in the mind and heart

Because

True happiness can be obtained
Only if one's surroundings are good

It's not true that good exists
I'm sure you can agree that

The reality

Creates

My attitude

It's all beyond my control

And you'll never in a million years hear me say that
Today was a good day.

Now read from bottom to top.



The Marigold Bus waiting to take passages to Porthtowan.
The owner lived in Hush House now The Mance.

From Your Pastor

'Through all the changing scenes of life; In trouble and in joy" (MHB 427) Well known words, familiar to most of us I think. You, along with myself, are presently experiencing those 'changing scenes of life'.

Personally I have been placed in a privileged position to be your Pastor and to care for you all to the best of my ability. As a church family we are engaged in conversations with one another as to how we want our Church to grow and become pivotal within the village.

I believe that before we can look 'outwards', we need to be satisfied that 'inwards' we are working together.

That we are the 'one body' that Paul talked about to his churches in Corinth.

That we recognise we ALL have a vital part to play and that **together** we can achieve our goals and put Christ in the centre. We are all different with different gifts and graces and each gift is God-given to be used for the glory of His name.

My prayer is that we will experience more 'joy' than 'trouble' as we work together over the next months and that we will become more caring and loving as we reach out to our community.

As we emerge from our Lenten walk into our Easter experience may we too awaken to the new life that Christ offers each of us so we can finish the verse I started with by saying :

"The praises of my God shall still

My heart and tongue employ."

Easter Blessings to you all

With love **Pastor Jenny**

May I on behalf of the Trussell Trust Food Bank Truro thank you all for the contributions during the past year.

The need for temporary help continues, through circumstances outside of clients control. Some examples are a young man living in the woods for 12 months and is unable to find work because he hasn't a permanent address, and unable to get accommodation because he has no regular income.

In other cases children are going to school without breakfast and lunch as their fathers are farm workers and due to the wet weather unable to work, so no income.

A representative from Action for Children came in to us few days before Christmas on behalf of a family within her care and reported that they had no food in the house at all for the Christmas period.

Other situations such as mothers with children are abandoned by their husbands and have no access to their bank accounts are not uncommon..For others it is simply being made redundant, and loosing their income overnight.,

We at Food bank would still appreciate your support which allows us to help people in need.

Thank you

Rosemary Billingham.

Thanks

Knitting for the Needy Children

A big thank you goes to all the ladies and their friends who knitted a total of 88 items for the needy children

Please continue knitting the next Collection Date is 23rd June and then 3rd November.



LANNER METHODIST CHAPEL

INVITE YOU TO THE SECOND

OLD TYME HYMN SING

ON

27TH APRIL AT 7.30PM

HYMNS FROM

SANKEY, ALEXANDER & M.H.B

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO JOIN THE CHOIR

PLEASE CONTACT

DARRELL CURNOW 01209214846

REFRESHMENTS TO FOLLOW IN THE HALL

SUNDAY 1st May after morning service there will be a General Church Council Meeting over Lunch.

Please make every effort to attend

When You Plan Your Garden this Spring.

Plant three rows of peas:
Peace of mind
Peace of heart
Peace of soul.

Plant four rows of squash:
Squash gossip
Squash indifference
Squash grumbling
Squash selfishness

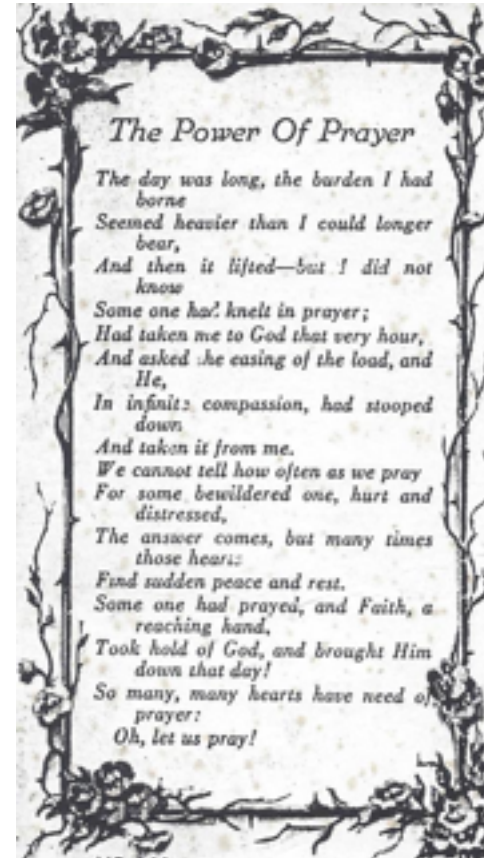
Plant four rows of lettuce:
Lettuce be faithful
Lettuce be kind
Lettuce be happy
Lettuce really love one another.

No garden should be without turnips:
Turnip for service when needed
Turnip to help one another
Turnip the music and dance.

Water freely with patience and
Cultivate with love:
There is much fruit in your garden.
Because you reap what you sow.

To conclude our garden
We must have thyme:
Thyme for fun
Thyme for rest
Thyme for ourselves.

PN.Bailey



**Christmas
Child Shoe
Boxes**

All our gift boxes for the Christmas Child were sent to Romania.

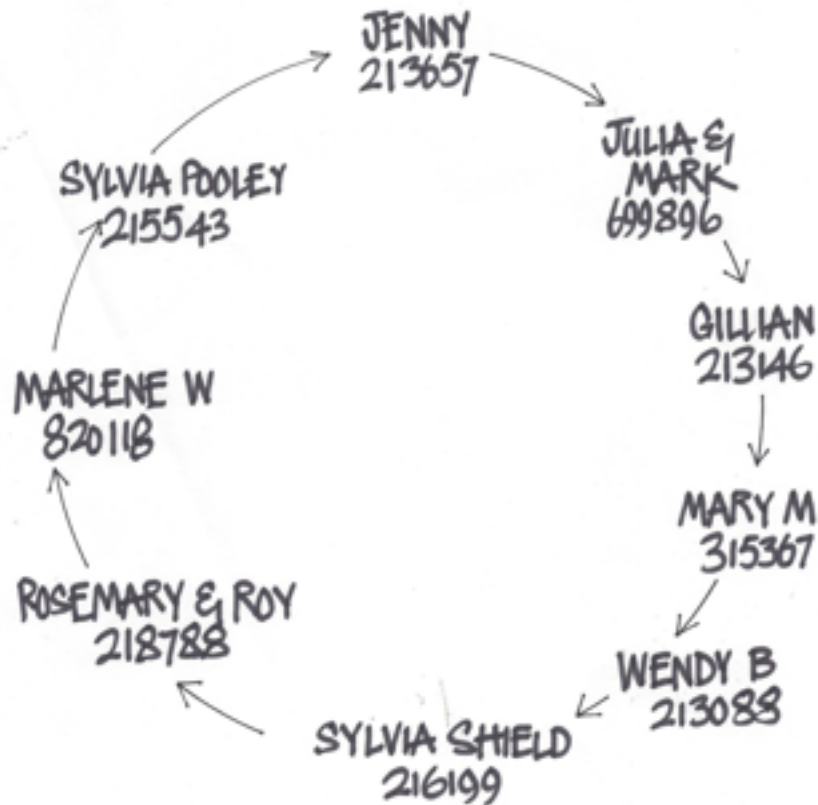
A thank you email has been received from Samaritan's Purse

IF YOU'D LIKE TO BEGIN A PERSONAL RELATIONSHIP WITH JESUS TODAY, PLEASE PRAY THIS PRAYER.

Lord Jesus Christ,
I am sorry for thee things I have done wrong in my life. I ask your forgiveness. Thank you for dying on the cross for me to set me free from my sins. Please come into my life and fill me with your Holy Spirit and be with me forever. Thank you Lord Jesus, Amen

LANNER METHODIST PRAYER CIRCLE

LANNER METHODIST CHURCH PRAYER CIRCLE



At the recent church meeting held in the Sunday School one of the many useful comments that someone made was - "That we should love one another more!" Paul, in his letter to the Ephesian Church also emphasised this point as he called for 'Unity' within the church family. Prayer is an important feature of our 'loving one another more' and a way of supporting our Christian brothers and sisters in times of rejoicing, along with the times of turmoil in their lives. I write this in the humility that I, my family and others within this church fellowship have been up-lifted by persistent prayerfulness in our times of illness and tragedy. Mercifully, in my case and a number of others amongst us, there have been times of healing.

*In his letter to the Ephesians, Paul encouraged them to
"pray on every occasion, as the Spirit leads."*

For this reason keep alert and never give up; pray always for all God's people."

As we journey through our lives we often are faced with difficulties and situations that in our human frailty we cannot cope with. Equally, as Christians we are asked to pray for relatives, friends or acquaintances to support them in their time of need. The Prayer Circle was formed precisely for these reasons and to provide 'Unity' and support to each other and to strengthen the pleas to God our Father.

Please be assured that all information given to those within the prayer circle remains confidential. It is not a vehicle for 'gossip' and if necessary the person being prayed for can remain anonymous.

Yours in Faith - Roy Billingham