



BISHOP STREET METHODIST CHURCH

...serving people in Leicester City Centre
through welcome, worship and mission.

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Minister: Rev. Liam Dacre-Davis

Church Notices for
Sunday 23rd April 2023:
10.45am Morning Service
led by James Blackhall

| Rota | Stewards | Welcomers | Refreshments |
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| 23 rd April | Volunteer Req'd | Volunteer Req'd | Hilary H |
| 30 th April | Volunteer Req'd | Volunteer Req'd | Margaret M |
| 7 th May | Volunteer Req'd | Volunteer Req'd | Volunteer Req'd |

ROTA for Feb: Please sign up on the ROTA SHEET located in the Vestry as a welcomer or refreshments volunteer. Thank you

| 10.45am SUNDAY SERVICES for APRIL/MAY 2023 | |
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| 30th April | Rev'd Liam Dacre-Davis and General Church Meeting |
| 7th May | Richard Cawthorn (Coronation Weekend) |
| 14th May | Rev'd Liam Dacre-Davis and Holy Communion |
| 21st May | Christian Aid Sunday (Local Worship Team) |
| 28th May | Andrew Biggins (Pentecost Sunday) |

GENERAL CHURCH MEETING

Our General Church Meeting is an annual opportunity for the whole congregation to have oversight of the activities and plans at Bishop Street Methodist Church. At the meeting various posts are filled, notably the Church Stewards and representatives to Church Council. Our minister, Revd Liam Dacre Davis will chair the meeting, which will be incorporated into the 10.45am service on **Sunday 30th April 2023**.

ST GEORGES DAY CREAM TEA AT COSBY

Cosby Methodist Church warmly invite you to a Cream Tea to celebrate St. George's Day at 2.30pm on Sunday 23rd April. Tea will be followed by our popular guest singer Lisa. Tickets are available from Joyce. 0116 2865522. (adults £5. children £2.) Last year was a very enjoyable afternoon. Come along this year and have a jolly time.

UNIVERSITY OF LEICESTER ANNUAL CHAPLAINCY LECTURE

The Derek Hole Lecture, presented by the Chaplaincy:

The Cascade of Grace: transforming society through compassionate hospitality, by Dr Krish Kandiah OBE. 5:30pm, **Wednesday 3rd May 2023**

University of Leicester, Bennett Lecture Theatre 2, University Road, LE1 7RH. Free Tickets: www.tinyurl.com/derekholelecture

Krish Kandiah is a social entrepreneur with a vision to help solve some of society's seemingly intractable problems through building partnerships across civil society, faith communities, government and philanthropy. He is the founder of The Sanctuary Foundation, a charity supporting refugees to find welcome, work and worthwhile housing in the UK.

ESSENTIAL TRAINING FOR STEWARDS AND LOCAL PREACHERS: There are upcoming opportunities to join the new training event entitled, 'God For All'. This is the new 'Justice, Dignity and Solidarity' Training. There are three further opportunities for face to face training in the circuit: Saturday June 17th; 10am - 3pm at Blaby or Saturday July 1st; 10am - 3pm at Oadby, or Option Three, spread over three Weds evenings June 21st, 28th and July 5th (you must attend them all) at 7:30pm at Birstall. Please let the Circuit Office know which you would like to attend. There is also an option to do the training online. Details from Miriam Stevenson.

BISHOP STREET ON THE INTERNET

The morning services are videoed each week, and posted on Youtube. They are 'unlisted' videos, so will not appear on searches or on the channel, but the link each week and worship material relating to the

Sunday worship can all be found at:

<https://bishopstreetmethodistchurchsundaystuff.wordpress.com/blog-2/>

The Bishop Street Facebook Group is also a place to share and hear news and keep in touch. You can join the group at:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/bishopstreet/>

BISHOP STREET BIBLE STUDY. The Bible Study group meets every Thursday lunch time, 12 noon to 1.00pm, in the church. All are welcome to join the group who are currently studying the Gospel of Mark. For more information speak to Richard Gill.

CELL GROUP will be meeting on the third Wednesday in the month as usual, at 2pm in the vestry. The group would welcome some new members so please contact Dee on 241 8742. The group is studying a new book about reading and understanding Paul's writing and theology (in lay people's language!)

CHAPEL CAFÉ. The café is run by the Zynthiya Trust and is open 10:00-16:00 Monday to Friday and 10:00-15:00 Saturdays.

The Listening Service is available in the Chapel Café every Tuesday from 11-12.30 for anyone who would like someone to talk to.

LEICESTER TRINITY METHODIST CIRCUIT

Bishop Street is part of the Leicester Trinity Methodist Circuit. There are **Sunday Evening circuit services** each week to which all are welcome.

They are held at 6.00pm via Zoom.

Zoom link for all these services is:-

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87603771006?pwd=OTFSQ2JlL3hkWUp1NnU1b1ZiVDJudz09>

Meeting ID: 876 0377 1006 Passcode: 281338

To receive these notices by email each week, (or to unsubscribe) please send a request by email to Chris at the Church office: office@bishopstreetchurch.org.uk



There are More Things in Heaven and Earth

Coro Nostro Chamber Choir

Directed by **Lydia Hind**

Join us as we ponder
the earth and the skies,
with songs of the cosmos and the clay,
ranging from celestial splendour
to the downright silly.

Featuring music by
Victoria, Gibbons, Gjeilo,
Chilcott, Vaughan Williams and more.

Tickets will be available on the door **£10/£8**
Includes non-alcoholic refreshments

Friday, 28th April

7:30pm

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