BISHOP STREET METHODIST CHURCH

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

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Notices for Sunday 1st June 2025,



10.45am Sunday Service for the start of 'BIBLE MONTH' week 1: Embracing God and All Reality led by Miriam Stevenson.

10.45am SUNDAY SERVICES for June 2025 JUNE IS 'BIBLE MONTH', this year focussing on THE GOSPEL OF JOHN	
1 st June	Miriam Stevenson (Bible Month week 1: <i>Embracing God and All Reality</i>),
8 th June	Revd Liam Dacre-Davis. Service to include Holy Communion. (Bible Month week 2: <i>Signs,</i> <i>Conversations and Controversy</i>)
15 th June	Richard Cawthorn (Bible Month week 3: <i>Jesus' Discipleship Course</i>).
22 nd June	Revd Liam Dacre-Davis (Bible Month week 4: 'The Hour' and the Resurrection and our Drama).

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

Bible Month - Study Sessions beginning Monday 2nd June, 12.00pm Throughout June we will be following the national Bible Month preaching series based on the Gospel of John. To compliment this series, there will be Bible study sessions on Monday afternoons (12pm). There will be four sessions in total beginning on Monday 2nd June. The sessions will be led by a Student Minister, Jo Peek, who will be joining us on placement. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to participate in these sessions, and no prior knowledge is needed.

BISHOP STREET WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY. We are delighted to announce that the Bible Study discussion group that meets on Thursday lunch times will be continuing to meet. A small group will be making this happen at 12 noon to 1.00pm each Thursday and would welcome any Members and Friends who would like to join them in the Church Prayer Corner.

THANKS:

Our two recent collections have raised the following, for which we say a big Thank You:

The **Easter Offering** for the Methodist Church World Mission fund raised £70. (Thanks for these donations will form part of the Circuit Service on Thursday 29th).

Alison is pleased to report that we raised £106 this year as our **Christian Aid** offering to support the local community in Guatemala. Thank you to everyone who contributed..

LEICESTER TRINITY CIRCUIT Sunday Evening services for 2025: You are welcome to join us online at 6.00pm. Please note: the new zoom link can be obtained from the minister: <u>liam.dacre-davis@methodist.org.uk</u>

CHAPEL CAFÉ. The café is run by the Zinthiya Trust and is open 10:00-16:00 Monday to Friday and 10:00-15:00 Saturdays, serving good quality affordable fair trade hot drinks, breakfast baps, soup, jacket potatoes, sandwiches, light snacks and delicious cakes.

MONTHLY CELL GROUP: We have started reading a new book. We shall be looking at "The Lord and His Prayer" by Tom Wright. He is a former Bishop of Durham and has written a large number of aids to studying most of the books of the New Testament. He brings his wide theological studies to aid understanding and writes in a very readable manner. We would welcome new members to our group so please feel free to contact Dee Brunning on 0116 241 8742 if you would be interested.

EASYFUNDRAISING: We've had 9 donations in the last 30 days, thanks to our supporters using #easyfundraising when they make online purchases! Please keep up the good work, your donations are very appreciated. It's never too late to sign up and help us if you haven't already. Plus, join today and we could win a £250 donation: https://join.easyfundraising.org.uk/bishop-street-met-ch-/bgaeq2/c2s/128FF5bb/CE949/facebook/9

BISHOP STREET ON THE INTERNET: The morning services are videoed each week, and posted on **YouTube** later the same day. They are 'unlisted', so the link each week, along with worship material relating to the Sunday worship, can all be found at:

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

The Bishop Street Facebook Group share and hear news and keep in touch. <u>https://www.facebook.com/groups/bishopstreet/</u>. Instagram Account for the Church. @bishopstreetchurch.

BIBLE MONTH READING GUIDE



A thirty day reading guide has been produced by the Methodist Church for use at home during June. The four Sunday services will be picking out 4 themes from the Gospel of John, whereas this guide gives 30 daily readings to cover the whole Gospel within Bible Month. Free Copies are now available at Church. Please take one, and see if you can find the time to use it throughout June.

If you are new to Bishop Street Church and would like to keep in touch, we would be pleased receive your details via a Church contact form, available from the welcomers. These are passed to the minister who will ensure security and confidentiality.