

BISHOP STREET METHODIST CHURCH

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

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MORNING SERVICE 10:45am

Notices for Sunday 12th JULY 2026

Local Arrangement: “The Sower”

led by The Bishop Street Worship Team

10.45am SUNDAY SERVICES for July 2026	
12 th July	Local Arrangement
19 th July	Revd Liam Dacre-Davis (Holy Communion) Note, this will be Liam’s final service with us, and will be followed by a ‘bring and share lunch’
26 th July	Ashutosh Desai

FLOWERS: The vibrant summer flowers in church today have been given by Elspeth Lenders and Amy Reynolds in thanksgiving for the life of their dearly loved father Graham Morgan. We share happy memories of Graham with Elspeth and Amy as we enjoy their contribution to our worship.

CIRCUIT SERVICE : Sunday Evening 6.30pm today, (12th July) at Oadby Trinity Methodist Church. It is the Circuit Farewell service for Revd Liam Dacre-Davis and for Revd Derek McLean and also will include a farewell to Rev Malcome Oliver, a thanks to Pedzi Katsande for her time as circuit steward, and a ‘sending forth’ of James Blackhall as he takes up his ministerial posting in Cambridge.

FAREWELL AND WELCOME SERVICES: The Circuit Farewell service for Revd Liam Dacre-Davis and for Revd Derek McLean will be on **Sunday evening, 12 July at Oadby at 6:30 pm**. 19th July will be Liam's last Sunday at Bishop Street before he begins his move to Warwickshire.

On **Sunday 30th August** at 10:30am there will be a Circuit Welcome Service for Revd Shirlyn Toppin and Deacon Karen McBride at Oadby (Trinity) Church. Shirlyn will be the new Superintendent for the Leicester Trinity Circuit, and she will also take over Pastoral Care for Trinity MC Oadby. Karen will focus on city centre ministry, primarily based at Bishop St, a role which will include Chaplaincy at the University of Leicester.

BISHOP STREET WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY. The Bible Study discussion group meets on Thursday lunch times and are beginning our reading through the Acts of the Apostles. A small group makes this happen at 12 noon to 1.00pm each Thursday and would welcome any Members and Friends who would like to join us in the Church Prayer Corner.

MONTHLY MIDWEEK COMMUNION. Revd Liam will be leading a simple communion service of prayers (no singing) on **Wednesday 1st July** at midday in the prayer corner. This will be repeated on the first Wednesday of each month. All are welcome.

MONTHLY CELL GROUP: We are now looking at Rowan Williams latest book, published last year. It is *Discovering Christianity: A guide for the curious*. Our usual meeting is on the second Wednesday in the month at 12-30. All are welcome. Please get in touch with Dee on 0116 241 8742 or speak to her after church to find out more.

CHAPEL CAFÉ. The café is run by the Zinithiya 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.

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

Instagram Account for the Church. @bishopstreetchurch.

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<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/bishop-street-met-ch>

LEICESTER TRINITY CIRCUIT Sunday Evening services for 2026: You are welcome to join us online at 6.00pm each Sunday. Please note: the new zoom link can be obtained from the minister:

liam.dacre-davis@methodist.org.uk

The final 'Circuit Summer Evening Service' will be held at **Wigston Magna Methodist Church** at 6.00pm on Sunday August 2nd. The service will be preceded by Tea and Cake at 5.00pm. We look forward to welcoming you.



Chatting Faith

You are invited to join a group of
Young Women for monthly discussion, visits and food!



We explore how our faith impacts how we see the world.

We learn about our differences and what we have in common,
make new friends and deepen our own faith. We meet influential
people from different walks of life.



Saturday 25th July 10am - 11.30am

- Hierarchy and structures within Faith - what role do women play?
- Preparation for Archbishop's Lunch.

If not already part of the group, participants must attend this session to be invited to meet the Archbishop

Monday 24th August 6pm - 7.30pm

- Love through different Lenses
 - What does Love mean to you?
 - Is Love different dependent on context

both at St Philip's Centre 2a Stoughton Drive North LE5 5UB

**Saturday 12th September Lunch with the
Archbishop of Canterbury Sarah Mullally**

- 11 am Welcome, Refreshments and Pre-lunch briefing
- 12noon- 1.30pm Lunch with Archbishop
- 1.30pm-2.30pm Chatting Faith discussion and debrief

Venue T.B.C

Please contact courses@stphilipscentre.co.uk or

text 07707640885 for more information

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