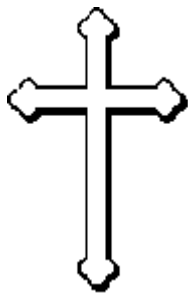


## CENTRAL METHODIST CHURCH, KETTERING

### Sunday, 23<sup>rd</sup> December 2018



*My soul magnifies the Lord, and my spirit rejoices in God my Saviour, for he has looked with favour on the lowliness of his servant. Surely, from now on all generations will call me blessed; for the Mighty One has done great things for me, and holy is his name. Luke 1, 46b-49*

Please join us for refreshments at the end of the service.

Today we pray for St Giles

Today's Stewards are Sheila and Val.

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and identify new ideas which address community needs.

At North Park Pavilion, North Park Drive, NN16 9LW. For more info about a ROC Conversation see <https://roc.uk.com/roc-conversation/> The event is free and you can register at

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/roc-conversation-kettering-tickets-52605645903>

ROC is Christian charity. Everyone is welcome.

#### Opportunities Two Study Days

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March from 2.30pm to 4.15pm** at the Christian Foundation Milton Keynes. (Please see below)

**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March from 11.00am to 3.00pm.** Interfaith Study Day at Leicester Trinity MC, led by St. Philip's Centre.

Two discussion days on Marriage & Relationships:

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> March 11.00am to 2.00pm** at Wesley Memorial MC, Oxford.

**Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> March 11.00am to 2.00pm** at Market Harborough Methodist Church,

**TOGETHER FOR COFFEE** – This meeting has had to be rearranged. Please watch this space for the new date. A meeting to discuss the future of our church and how we can work with our community both inside and outside the church. More details to follow.

There will be NO written notices next week. Information for notices for 6<sup>th</sup> December to Sue Walters at [centralnotices@hotmail.com](mailto:centralnotices@hotmail.com) by 5pm previous Wednesday.

### Week beginning 24<sup>th</sup> December

Christmas Eve Communion 11.30pm – rev Amy Walters, CF

**Christmas Day 10.30am** Worship led by rev Amy Walters, Cf. Please bring along one of your Christmas presents.

**Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> 10.30am** Worship led by Mr Mark Powell

**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> Jan 10.30am** Holy Communion – re Martin Swan

#### FORTHCOMING EVENTS

**Spirituality Explored** The new programme is now available covering the next few months.

**Winter Glory Conference for women-Kettering** Saturday, January 26<sup>th</sup> 9.15am -4.30pm. See notice board for further details.

#### EVENTS IN 2019

**Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 18 – 25 January**

**Bible Sharing** - Tuesday, 22 January at 7.30 pm at Rockingham Road Baptist Church, led by Revd Peter Strong on Martha and Mary in John

#### Vespers (Evening Prayer)

On Thursday, 24 January at 7.30 pm at St Edward's Church, London Road – an ancient way of praying the psalms adapted for an ecumenical gathering with refreshments afterwards – all are welcome.

**Winter Glory Conference for women-Kettering** Saturday, January 26<sup>th</sup> 9.15am -4.30pm. See notice board for further details

#### ROC Conversation Kettering (from ROC)

**Wednesday January 30<sup>th</sup>, 7pm-9pm**

You are warmly invited to a community engagement event which aims to celebrate the good work going on