



# Heaton Moor United Church

The United Reformed Church and The Methodist Church  
working together in partnership



## NOTICES October 2024

### Sunday Services at Heaton Moor United Church

*Services at 10:45 unless otherwise stated*

6 <sup>th</sup> October	10:00 Family Church 10:45 Deacon Janet Amey	Family Church – Being Wrapped Up In God
13 <sup>th</sup> October	Rev Phil Dew Communion Service	Church meeting will follow the service
20 <sup>th</sup> October	Martyn Bennett	
27 <sup>th</sup> October	Liz Delafield	

### Additional Services at Heaton Moor United Church

Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> October at 14:00	Short Service	Service followed by refreshments <b>open to all</b> especially those with dementia and their carers
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### Services from The Circuit

Sunday 6 <sup>th</sup> October from 17:30	Tiviot Dale Circuit Service – led by The Hong Kong Fellowship	Refreshments from 17:30 service at 18:30
Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November from 17:30	Tiviot Dale Circuit Service – Black History Month	Refreshments from 17:30 service at 18:30

### Additional Events at Heaton Moor Church

Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> October at 19:45	Monday Fellowship – Rev Phil Dew My Life a Minister & Councillor
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> October at 10:30 (weekly)	Coffee Morning -- All Welcome
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> October 10:30 – 12:00	Tea and Talk drop in for World Mental Health Day
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> October from 15:15	Messy Church – Harvest Special
Saturday 12 <sup>th</sup> October from 10:30	Lebone Coffee Morning
Saturday 12 <sup>th</sup> October at 19:00	Stockport Schools Brass Band Concert see flyer
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> October at 14:00	Time to Talk

# MESSAGE FROM THE CO-EDITOR



## Hello October

Thank you for all your donations at our Harvest Service - items have been delivered and charities are extremely grateful. The Wellspring are currently running low on long-life milk, instant coffee and sugar. If you can help with additional donations please speak with JoAnne in the office.

We held our annual service for World Week for Peace in Palestine and Israel on the 22<sup>nd</sup> September and although low in numbers we shared a prayerful time together, dreaming dreams and enjoying a light supper of falafel and traditional Middle Eastern salad. We are hoping to hold more Sunday evening “supper” churches, so watch this space!



Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October is World Mental Health Day come and join us for a coffee morning to raise awareness of the importance of good mental health.

As always, if I can be of any assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

*JoAnne*  
07555514138

10 OCTOBER  
**2024**  
10:30 - 12:00

Research shows that talking is good for your mental health, and that's what Tea & Talk is all about!

@heatonmo10orunitedchurch.org.uk

[community@heatonmoorunitedchurch.org.uk](mailto:community@heatonmoorunitedchurch.org.uk)

A reminder that our notices are sent fortnightly. Notices are emailed and paper copies are available from outside of the office - if you require the information in larger print please speak with the office.

Please send any information to the notices to **JoAnne only**, by email at [community@heatonmoorunitedchurch.org.uk](mailto:community@heatonmoorunitedchurch.org.uk) or notices can be handwritten and left on the community workers desk!

Notices for Sunday:	Emailed/Printed	Latest submission date
20 <sup>th</sup> October	18 <sup>th</sup> October	16 <sup>th</sup> October
3 <sup>rd</sup> November	1 <sup>st</sup> November	30 <sup>th</sup> October

**Office Hours W/C 7<sup>th</sup> Oct**

Monday 10:00 – 13:00

Tuesday 10:00 – 14:00

Wednesday CLOSED

Thursday 10:00 – 14:00

Friday 10:00 – 15:00

**Office Hours W/C 14<sup>th</sup> Oct**

Monday 10:00 – 13:00

Tuesday 10:00 – 14:00

Wednesday CLOSED

Thursday CLOSED

Friday 10:00 – 14:00

**STAFF WORKING HOURS**

Please note our administrator, Sharon's is on annual leave for two weeks.

Our Community Worker, JoAnne's usual office days are Tuesday mornings, and Wednesday are a non-working day.

*If you no longer wish to receive the notices direct to your inbox you can unsubscribe at any time by contacting [office@heatonmoorunitedchurch.org.uk](mailto:office@heatonmoorunitedchurch.org.uk)*

A new copy of the church directory will be issued at the end of September, if you have any changes or wish to be entered please contact Sharon

**SAVE THE DATE!**30<sup>th</sup> November – Advent Fair**Sons of Encouragement – Bible Talk!**

Carol Jack will once again be leading us in conversation – this time around the theme Sons of Encouragement. So far, we have had a look at Aaron, brother of Moses. Our next bible talk will be on 1<sup>st</sup> October at 19:00 via zoom all are welcome to join, no prior knowledge required! Sessions will take place fortnightly but there is no requirement to attend all sessions as each one will stand alone.

For joining instructions, please contact Carol on [clan.jack@gmail.com](mailto:clan.jack@gmail.com)

**Reminder the circuit meeting is Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> October after the service. Papers will be distributed on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October. If you do not receive your papers please contact JoAnne in Sharon's absence.**

# Coffee Morning

12th October  
10:30 - 12:00

## Refreshments

Cakes

Raffle

Toy stall

[www.lebonevillage.com](http://www.lebonevillage.com)

Raising funds for



**Our next coffee morning is on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> October** and is in aid of one of our nominated church charities, Lebone Village. Lebone Village is a faith based non-profit organisation based outside of Boemfontein in South Africa. Lebone Village is dedicated to bringing hope, dignity and support by providing holistic care to all vulnerable children, youth, their families, people affected by poverty. Most of the children are orphaned because of the devastating effect HIV / AIDS has had on South Africa.

Donations of good quality second hand toys, jigsaw and raffle prizes along with donations for the cake stall will be greatly received!

Contact Janice Barber/Stephanie Donaldson or speak with the office.

## Family Church

# Wrapped up in God



ON **SUNDAY 6TH OCTOBER**

FROM: **10:00 am** VALUE: **What does it feel like?**

## Messy Church Social Action!

Each month we will have a new social action idea to complement our Messy Church theme, to help you put the theme into action.



For the month of October we are looking at the book of Ruth with a theme of loyalty, love and harvest.

Our social action idea this month is to write to our MP to remind them that when they are making decisions they need to consider the needs of all people and make decisions with love, grace and peace.

We are collecting items for the local food bank as a way of reaching out in love to those in need. Foodbanks are low on coffee, long-life milk and sugar.

## BLACK HISTORY MONTH

A Prayer from Inderjit Bhogal  
Former President of the British  
Methodist Conference

God of justice and righteousness, in whom is the home and  
hope of all nations, all people

We uphold before you the history and heritage of black people,  
made in your image as are all people.

We light a candle before you in remembrance of all black  
people who have been and are denied their humanity just  
because of the colour of their skin.

We hold before you the hurt of black people.

We light a candle before you in thanks giving for all black  
people who have stood up to and resisted racist structures,  
attitudes and actions.

We hold before you the hopes of black people.

We light a candle before you in celebration of all black people  
like Mary Seale, Martin Luther King, and Sybil Phoenix who have  
set up and lit up pathways of freedom and justice for all to walk,  
to bring us where you want us to be.

We hold before you all the heroes of black people.

We light before you a candle for us all that we all be symbol of  
your light and life and love in our time and place.

We hold ourselves before you that we may be delivered from  
our distress and find our strength in you.

In the Name of Christ.

Amen



HEATON MOOR UNITED CHURCH

**STOCKPORT  
SCHOOLS  
BRASS BAND**

**SATURDAY**

**12TH**

**OCTOBER**

**AT 19:00**

Raising funds to support the band and church charities

**Adults £5**

**Children £1**

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*You are invited to a*

**Bread and Soup Lunch**

on

Friday, 4<sup>th</sup> October

12 noon - 1.30 pm

in St Winifred's Parish Centre  
(behind the church)

£5

*proceeds in aid of Cafod,  
the fund for overseas development*