

#### CASTLE STREET METHODIST CHURCH

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# Sunday 29th January 2017

Welcome to worship with us – whether this is the first time you have entered our church, or if you are a long-standing member of our congregation. We seek to offer friendship and opportunities for learning more of God's will in this place and in this generation.

Refreshments are served in the hall following most Sunday services – please do stay for a chat over a cuppa and a biscuit.

Sun 29th Jan 10.45 MORNING WORSHIP Rev. Dr. Michael Wilson

> 18.30 EVENING WORSHIP Geoff Ling

We pray... for health workers

Wed 1st Feb 10.00 "Time to Be" prayer and fellowship

10.30-12.00 Coffee morning

12.00-13.00 "Forever Active" exercise class

Thu 2nd Feb 10.00-12.00 "First Friends" baby and toddler group

19.00 for 20.00 Table Talk

Sun 5th Feb 10.45 ALL-AGE MORNING WORSHIP Kimberley Rayson

18.30 EVENING WORSHIP
Dr. Derek Nicholls

Please take a copy of Castle View for fuller details of what's on each month.

### Bible readings for today's services

<u>10.45am</u>: Matthew 5: 1-12 (*page 4*) Romans 1: 1-7 (*page 143*) <u>6.30pm</u>: Genesis 28: 10-22 (*page 585*) Philemon (*page 206*)

Mark 1: 21-28 (page 34)

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Inspiration: five sessions on spiritual nurture for babies and their parents

We are excited to be running a second "Inspiration" course for families with babies under the age of one year. This is an ecumenical venture, run by a team from Church at Castle, and will take place on Friday afternoons from 1pm until 2.30pm for five weeks, beginning on 24th February. Please pick up a leaflet (available at the back of church) if you are interested, and do pass on the invitation to any families you know with babies.

We are still looking for a couple more volunteers to help with the course, especially with the practical aspects such as making tea and coffee, and staffing a crèche for siblings (age 1-4). If there is anyone who could help out with this, please get in touch with Kimberley or Rebekah. To find out more, e-mail cambridgeinspiration@gmail.com or find us on Facebook (www.facebook.com/inspirationchurchatcastle).

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### **Finance and Property Committee**

A reminder that this is to take place on Monday 6th February at 7.30pm. The agenda, minutes of the last meeting, and two supporting papers were sent out by e-mail last week; if you've not received them, please contact Mike Sharpe.

#### Wesley Fireside: Nepal Revisited

The February meeting of Wesley Fireside (on Tuesday 7th February at Wesley Methodist Church, starting at 2.30pm) will see Jennie and Paul Harris talk about their recent visit to Nepal in connection with UNCLE, a charity which supports the churches and orphanages of the Glorious Ministry and the Himalayan Hope Church in Kathmandu, Nepal.

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# "Big Issues": Diabetes Today

The next "Big Issues" evening at Histon Methodist Church is on Thursday 9th February at 7.30pm, with Martin Davies.

### "Tunes and Spoons" at Royston Methodist Church

An evening of favourite music chosen by you... with delicious desserts. It's on Friday 10th February, and starts at 7.15pm. Tickets cost £8 from Sue (e-mail: walter962 at btinternet dot com), while to choose a tune, contact Richard (phone numbers on printed notices and circuit diary).

#### "Science Meets Faith" at Wesley Methodist Church

This next takes place on Monday 13th February at 7.15pm for 7.45pm, when Christobal Uauy of the John Innes Centre, Norwich will address "Is it ethical to oppose modern plant breeding technologies?"



# Cambridge Bible Society Action Group Spring Supper

This is taking place on the evening of Friday 10th February, in the Queen Edith Chapel, Wulfstan Way, starting at 6.45pm. The guest speaker is Revd. Dr. John Proctor, and his topic is "God in the wing mirror: living for Christ when a community is heading another way". Tickets cost £7, and are available from Brian West (address and telephone number on printed notices; e-mail: brian dot west1941 at gmail dot com).



# **Creating Safer Space Foundation Module refresher training**

This mandatory training is for all who have undertaken the Foundation Module and includes points learned from the Past Cases Review. This is brand new refresher training so it is really important that you attend – even if you have done the training in the last year. It's being run three times, and you only need to attend one. They are:

- Monday 20th February, 2pm at Orwell Methodist Church
- Wednesday 22nd February, 7.30pm at Royston Methodist Church
- Saturday 25th February, 10am at Castle Street Methodist Church

Please contact Miriam Webb (Circuit Administrator) to book into the most convenient training session for you.

Please contact **Brian Carter** if you have any items for inclusion on next Sunday's notice sheet, by <u>8pm on Tuesday</u> this week.

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