

CIRCUIT NEWSLETTER

AUGUST 2024



Dear Friends...

And all of a sudden, it's August- or at least so it seems to me! The schools are on holiday; some of our regular activities are taking a break and many of us have been able to be away taking some time out and away from the usual routine before it all begins again in September.

In the Methodist Church, the months of July and August are often about movement and change as Ministers and their families move Circuit and some 'sit down' (retire) That is, of course, true for our Circuit this year as we have said farewell and thanks to Revd Richard Teal and now make all the necessary preparations to welcome Revd Peter Barnett as he begins his ministry with us on 1st September. For both Richard and Sue, Peter and Sarah it will be a time of change; not least in perhaps wondering where that particular item has disappeared to in the move; of wondering just where that piece of furniture is best placed!

In all of that, more seriously, there will be for them settling into new routines in work and retirement. There will too be change for each of us in our churches as we adjust to a different person as the Circuit Superintendent (perhaps not a little unlike remembering who the current Prime Minister is!) In it all we do indeed know that God is in the midst of the change – to quote those words of John Wesley, 'The best of all is, God is with us!

Blessings to all,

Deacon Jackie Fowler

Special Events and Notices

A reminder to all that Rev Peter Barnett's Welcome Service will take place at Nafferton Methodist Church, led by Chair of District, Rev. Leslie Newton.
Light refreshments afterwards.
Sunday 1st September, 6.00 p.m.

Dear Friends,
Please accept our huge thanks for all those people who were able to offer their support and friendship at our celebration of ministry service on Sunday. We were humbled and moved beyond words and will never forget it. Thank you also for the Circuit Gifts and to those many other gifts and cards from people all over the Circuit. Your love has just flowed.
With enormous gratitude to God and yourselves.
Richard and Susan.

Hornsea Methodist Church will be running a Holiday at Home event. There will be various activities, lunch, tea, and fun!
For further details please contact Deacon Jackie, 01964 204090.
Wednesday 7th and Thursday 8th August, 10:30am - 3:30pm.

Annual service at Nunkeeling Priory. (Nunkeeling Priory was once home to a priory of Benedictine nuns but has since fallen into ruins.) Take your own chair and umbrella!
Sunday 11th August at 3pm

Advanced Notice

Skirlaugh: In September St Augustine's will take part in the national Heritage Open Days, as follows: Sat 7 September 10am-1pm, Sun 8 September 1pm-4pm. Guided tour and tea/coffee and cake available.

REGULAR EVENTS AROUND THE CIRCUIT

Aldbrough

2 nd Saturday	10.00am	Coffee Morning
2 nd Tuesday	2.15pm	Bible Study
Last Tuesday	2.15pm	Network

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2 nd and 4 th Saturday	10.00am	Bacon Butties
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Brandesburton

Fortnightly Mondays	Bible Study - for further details, contact Hazel Adamson	
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Driffield

Mondays	2.00pm	Banner Group
Mondays & Wednesdays	1.30pm	Chat and Games
Tuesdays	2.15pm	Tuesday Fellowship
Saturdays	10.30am	Coffee and Conversation

Hornsea

Wednesdays	2.00pm	Afternoon Fellowship
Fridays	10.30am	Shoppers Service
Saturdays	10.00am	Coffee Morning

Hutton Cranswick

Mondays	4.30pm	Prayer Meeting
Tuesdays	7.30pm	House Groups - Ask within the Church
1 st Saturday of Month	9.30am	Mens Group - Cranswick Garden Centre

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Wednesdays	10.00am	Drop in for a Coffee and Chat
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Tuesdays 10.00am Coffee Morning in the Chapel Hall

Nafferton

Mondays 10.00am Mustard Seed Café
7.00pm Singing for Fun
6.45pm Ecumenical Prayer Meeting
Tuesdays 9.15am Little Bears
Wednesdays 10.30am Activities Group
1.30pm Social/Craft Group
Thursdays 6.45pm Ecumenical Study Group

New Ellerby

1st Saturday 10.00am Coffee Morning followed by lunch
and informal worship.
Fortnightly Wednesdays 2.00pm Men in Sheds

Skirlaugh

Tuesdays 9.30am Coffee Morning
Wednesdays 1.30pm Women's Bible Study

Wetwang

Wednesdays 10.00am Coffee Morning



The next Circuit newsletter will be issued on Thursday 29th August (in Churches by Sunday 1st September).
Please send any items for inclusion by 8am on Wednesday 28th August.

Circuit Office

Please contact Alice to check she is in the Office before you travel!

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Annual Leave: 19th - 29th July