



Altofts **Methodist** Church

Weekly Notices

Sundays 15 & 22 August 2010
Lectionary (Year C): Ordinary 20 & 21

A warm welcome to everyone. We hope you will enjoy worshipping God with us.

Sunday 15 August

10:45am	Mr. John Wooffindin		
		Door Steward	Peter Glover
		Reader	Brenda Walmsley
		Organist	Tom Ferguson
	Stewards	Sue Marsh	Tom Ferguson

6:00pm	Rev. Pat Aitchison	<i>Holy Communion</i>	
		Reader	Kath Dawson
		Organist	Doreen Sweeting
	Stewards	Pauline Milne	Hazel Millington

	To distribute flowers	Mary Carrington	
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Sunday 22 August

10:45am	Rev. Barry Lotz	<i>Holy Communion</i>	
		Door Steward	Glenis Parkinson
		Reader	Brenda Rogers
		Organist	Tom Ferguson
	Stewards	Linda Whittingham	Hazel Millington

6:00pm	Mr. Peter Cookson		
		Reader	Brenda Rogers
		Organist	Tom Ferguson
	Stewards	Pauline Milne	Christina Hepburn

	To distribute flowers	Glenis Parkinson	
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Sunday 29 August

10:45am Mr. Martin Walmsley

Door Steward Maureen Penny

Reader David Parkinson

Organist Kath Dawson

Stewards Hazel Millington Tom Ferguson

3:00pm Churches Together

Service in Normanton Park

NO SERVICE AT 6.00PM

To distribute flowers Jean Parkinson

We extend a warm welcome to everyone. The candles will be lit a few minutes before the service begins and the organist will stop playing. There will be a period for quiet reflection before the service begins.

This Fortnight's Events

Monday 16 Aug	11:30am 12:00pm	Prayer Meeting Altofts Health Walk
Tuesday 17 Aug	6:00pm 7:00pm	Tuesday Fellowship Indoor Bowls
Wednesday 18 August	10:30am	Midweek Break – Celeste Lotz and Barry: The South African answer to Fanny and Johnny Craddock
Thursday 19 Aug	10:00am	Indoor Bowls
Friday 20 Aug	5:45pm	Pilates Classes (contact Fit-Plan on 07787 828 104 for details)
Monday 23 Aug	11:30am 12:00pm	Prayer Meeting Altofts Health Walk
Tuesday 24 Aug	6:00pm 7:00pm	Tuesday Fellowship Indoor Bowls
Thursday 26 Aug	10:00am	Indoor Bowls
Friday 27Aug	5:45pm	Pilates Classes (contact Fit-Plan on 07787 828 104 for details)

Diary Dates

Saturday 25 September	7.00pm	Last Night of the Proms with Altofts Brass Band and the Music Makers
Sunday 26 September	10.45am 6.00pm	Harvest Festival Family Service Harvest Festival Service

Other Notices

WEBB IVORY

I have put two Webb Ivory catalogues in the porch. Proceeds will go to church funds. I will be very grateful for any orders. Thank you. Hazel Millington.

PAKISTAN EMERGENCY APPEAL

Christian Aid Emergency Appeal envelopes are available in the foyer to help those affected by the floods in Pakistan. Please place your donation on the collection plate today or next Sunday. Thank you.

TREASURER

As you may know Antony will shortly be stepping down as treasurer. To date we have no one to replace him. If you would like to find out more about what the job entails or feel that you would be able to take on the task please speak to Barry, Antony or any of the stewards.

HARVEST FESTIVAL FLOWERS

Could all flower arrangers please note that the decoration of the chapel for the harvest festival involves all arrangers. The Harvest Festival is on Sunday 26 September.

LAST NIGHT OF THE PROMS

Altofts Methodist Church presents a 'Last Night of the Proms' concert with 'The Music Makers' and 'Altofts & Normanton Brass Band' at 7.00pm on Saturday 25 September. You are positively encouraged to bring noise

makers (yes, even vuvuzelas) and silly hats! Tickets at £5.00 for adults and £2.50 for under 16s are available from the stewards or by telephoning 891761 or 892213. **Please note that tickets must be purchased in advance.**

HOLIDAY NOTICES

Please note that the next notices will be produced on:

- Sunday 29 August

The usual weekly notices will resume in September. Tom.

TUESDAY FELLOWSHIP

Unfortunately Tuesday fellowship was not included in the new diaries or on the June issue of GTS. Please note that Tuesday Fellowship meets on Tuesday evenings at 6.00pm with a break during the winter months.

GTS

Please let me have any contributions for the September edition of GTS today please. Tom.

FLOWER BOOK

If you know of anybody who is ill or who would appreciate the flowers on a Sunday please put their **name and address** in the flower book which is on the table in the porch.

COLLECTION

Sunday 1 Aug: £

Sunday 8 Aug: £

GREEN 'GIFT AID' ENVELOPES

At each service a collection is taken for the life and work of the church, without

this the church could not operate. If you are a UK tax payer HMRC, via the Gift Aid scheme, will add 25% to the value of your gift at no cost to you. If you wish to do this place your donation in one of the green envelopes (to be found in your seat or in the foyer), fill in your details and put it in the collection. Thank you.

ITEMS FOR THE NOTICE SHEET

Please hand any brief notices to Tom on Sundays, email them to tomferg80@googlemail.com or phone 893004 before 7pm on Tuesday.

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Fortnight Commencing	
Monday 16 August	Carole Blanshard
Monday 30 August	Glenys Turton

Flower Arrangers

Sunday 15 & 22 August	Myra Hayes	Sue Hopwood
Sunday 29 Aug & 5 Sep	Jean Jones	



An induction loop is installed in this church for the hard of hearing. If you use a hearing aid switch it to the 'T' position.

Altofts Methodist Church is a Fairtrade Church.



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