



FULWOOD METHODIST CHURCH

"What good is it for someone to gain the whole world, yet forfeit their soul?". Mark 8 verse 36.

Welcome to Fulwood Methodist Church.

We extend a very warm welcome to all who worship with us and invite you to join us for tea or coffee after the service.

If you are new, we would love to get to know you better.

Please speak to the Minister or to one of the Stewards.

SUNDAY 5TH OCTOBER 2025

10.30am. Morning Worship and Holy Communion led by Revd. Jane Wild.

Also on [ZOOM](#)

(Crèche facilities are open at the back of Church)

PRAYER

Our Heavenly Father, as we start this new day, help us to remember what's truly important. Keep our focus on nurturing our souls and our relationship with You, rather than chasing after worldly gains. Let our hearts value people over possessions and help us to love as You love. Guide us today, Lord, in every decision we make and every step we take. In Jesus' name, Amen.

THE WEEK AHEAD

Tuesday 7th October.

10.00am to 12noon. Open for coffee and 'New to You' Stall.

10.00am. AM Club. Taxis and Licensing, Michael Thorpe.

2.00pm. Friends at Fulwood. Emmaus Community, Kath Derbyshire.

Information about the programme for both the "AM Club" and "Friends at Fulwood", can now be found on the front page of the Church's website.

Wednesday 8th October.

10.00am – 12.30pm. 'Welcome Wednesday'. Open for drinks, soup, bacon butties, scones and 'New to You Stall'.

10.30am. Half hour reflections.

7.00pm. Community Choir. Everyone welcome.

Thursday 9th October.

2.00pm to 4.00pm. Knitting Group. Everyone welcome.

7.00pm. Thursday's Home Group. See notice below for details.

Friday 10th October.

9.30am – 11.30am. Toddlers Club.

6.30pm – 8.00pm. Escape.

Saturday 11th October. 10.00am – 12noon. Our Autumn Plant Sale of Pansies and Violas. Order forms will be available on Sunday 5th October after the service.

Sunday 12th October. 10.30am. Morning Worship led by Mrs Carolyn

Hothersall. After the Service today, if you can, please join us for a meeting to discuss arrangements for the Christmas Fair, which will hopefully run alongside the

Farmer's Market, on Saturday 22nd November – help of any sort will be very welcome.

FUTURE DATES

Tuesday 14th October. 7.00pm. The Book Club will be meeting in the Cedar Room, to celebrate the life and work of Jane Austen, born 250 years ago. Come along please to learn more about her even if you have yet to read any of her works. Come along if you like biscuits!

Sunday 19th October. 10.30am. Morning Worship led by Mr Steve Gregory.
Also on [ZOOM](#)

Tuesday 21st October.

10.00am. AM Club. Lancashire Constabulary, Mebs Ahmed.

2.00pm. Friends at Fulwood. Alpaca Farming etc., Helen Baxter.

Quiet Worship. We are offering calm and meditative services at Church at 4.00pm, on the following dates:

- 16th November: Compline
- 11th January 2026: Taizé

All are welcome.

OTHER NOTICES

Donation of Children's Books. The Book Club can arrange for children's books to be collected and made available for use in Church or donated to Ribbleton Avenue Methodist Junior School. Books for any age - babes to young adults. If you or your friends have used books in reasonable condition ready to be passed on, please give them to Janet or Ken Wales or leave with the Nearly New shop. Thank you for the donations received so far which are being used both within the school and to enable children to read at leisure at home.

Action for Children. After several years of collecting and counting monies raised for Action for Children, I have decided that it is time for me to hang up my "collector's hat" and concentrate on other things. If whoever takes over this role, would like my help initially, I would be only too happy to offer any guidance, and I can be reached on 07752902840 or [Margaret Holmes](#).

The Church Magazine. Thought is being given to the long-term future of the Church Magazine. Everyone will have a chance to offer their opinion in the next few weeks. Please give it some thought when that chance arises. Meanwhile, we are planning to produce three editions of the magazine over the next twelve months. The publication dates will change so that they provide an opportunity to promote forthcoming events over very active periods in Church Life. The next edition will appear on 19th November and obviously will feature the Church's Advent and Christmas plans. Potential items for inclusion in that edition will be required by **5th November**. Please pass or send them as usual to [John Butterworth](#) or myself, [Ken Wales](#) by then.

Home Groups. As part of the circuit's Year of Faith Growth & Development, Fulwood's leadership team would like to trial home groups in October and November. These are small groups which meet in a member's home for Bible discussion and fellowship, to help us learn and grow together in God's love. If you are interested in attending, or even hosting, a home group for this trial period, please email [Sonia Philips](#) or find her after a service and sign up.

Church Transport. If you wish to use the minibus on a Sunday morning, please contact Eric Waterhouse 863743. The driver this week is Andrew Cuckson and next week, 12th October, it will be John Ferris.

The Salvation Army Food Bank are always grateful for any donations of dried/tinned foods or toiletries, and these can be left in the yellow box in the Hall.

Did you know that Fulwood Methodist Church has a prayer chain?

All prayers, names and situations are held in confidence. If you would like us to pray for you, please contact [Sue Whiteford](#) or 01772 864478.

Notices. Please send anything you need included in the notices to [Sue Whiteford](#) by Wednesday lunchtime.

Room Bookings. If you wish to book a room at Church, or you want to know which rooms are available on a certain date, please contact Angela Dunnet by email, administrator@fulwoodmethodist.org.uk.

EVENTS AROUND THE CIRCUIT

Sunday 12th October 6.30pm. Becca Wakelin from “All We Can” is travelling from Nottingham to lead the Harvest Services at Hope Methodist Church. They invite us to join them for their evening service.

Saturday 8th November. 10.00am – 2.30pm. Circuit Away Day. “Year of Faith Development”, Being a Life Long Learner, at Kingsfold Methodist Church. See notice for details.

Second Monday of every month. 7.00pm – 8.30pm.
Bereavement Support Space at The Black Bull, Garstang Road.

First Thursday of each month. 1.00pm – 2.30pm AND 7.00pm – 8.30pm.
Bereavement Café at Trinity Methodist Church, Gregson Lane, PR5 OED.

UNIFORMED ORGANISATIONS

The Uniformed Organisations meet at Church as shown below. Parents will be notified when each organisation has a break during a school holiday.

Mondays:

4.45pm - 5.45pm. Squirrels.

5pm - 7.00pm. Beavers.

7.00pm - 8.15pm. Cubs.

Tuesdays:

7.00pm – 9.00pm. Scouts.

Thursdays:

6.00pm – 7.00pm. Rainbows.

6.15pm - 7.30pm. Brownies.

7.30pm - 9.00pm. Guides.

8.00pm - 9.30pm. Rangers

ZOOM MEETING INFORMATION

10.30am. Sunday Service on ZOOM

Click [HERE](#) to join us and [HERE](#) to ask for the passcode

When joining service via zoom please turn OFF your camera and microphone. If you are phoning in, put a # at the end of the meeting ID and passcode

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