

The **Alpha Course** starts on Tuesday 21st April 7.00 p.m. at Neston Methodist Church. Light meal followed by a DVD by Rev Nicky Gumbel, curate of Holy Trinity Brompton on instruction of the Christian Faith. All Christians should attend at least one of these, more than one is even better. This is another opportunity for people to seek a deeper understanding of the Christian faith. You are very graciously invited to explore the Christian faith with us in an atmosphere of fellowship and friendship in the presence of Christ. Please, come along and grace us with your presence. For further information, please, contact Marcus at 07722488411 or 01513341772.

Chernobyl Children's Lifeline. The children from Belarus are visiting the Wirral from 6th June to 4th July. This year we are asking you to donate the following items:-

Packets of vegetable seeds (well in date); new socks (age 8-10); new underwear (age 8-10); new shoes or trainers (size 1-5); tin openers; packets of dried pasta/noodles/soup; toothbrushes & toothpaste; plasters and packets of paracetamol tablets. Deadline- Sunday 24th May please. Also donations, please make cheques payable to Little Sutton Methodist Church. Details from Kathy 339 8140 or Marion 339 6656. Thankyou for your help.

Christian Aid Week - 10th - 17th May. Ecumenical Service arranged by Neston & District Churches Together at Neston Parish Church at 6.30 p.m. Sunday 10th May.

Details on house-to-house collection from church representatives.

Wednesday, 29th April, 7 pm for 7.30 pm: Wirral Circuit meeting, at Bromborough Methodist Church.

The local Foodbank is short of coffee, sponge puddings, and cuppa soups. They have enough pasta, beans, and meat meals to last the year. Thankyou

Prayer Concerns: John Phillips; Violet Sammons; Nancy Carruthers; Audrey Harford; Sister Gwen Appleton; Heather Higson, Emily Tuck. Please remember Frances Williams and the family in your prayers.

Prayer Tree – in the Porch at Neston Methodist Church: Take a leaf or fruit and write your prayer on the back, and hang it on the tree!

Praying for Revival: The Neston Church building – please pray especially for spiritual revival in the church and for kingdom growth in the Wirral. **The 7 daily Collects Leaflet** handed out on 1/3/15 are provided as a basis for our daily prayers, “Pray without ceasing”.

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Neston Methodist Church & Community Centre Notices for 12th April 2015



Today 10.45 a.m. Reverend Marcus Torchon.
Holy Communion.

Thursday 16th April

No Church Mice, re-opens on Thursday 23rd April.

Friday 17th April

9.30 am – 12.30 pm: The Welcome Cafe - in the hall for light refreshments, all welcome.

10.30 am – 11.00 am: Shopper Service - in the Church, all welcome.

Saturday 18th April 9.00 a.m. Men's Breakfast at Neston Christian Fellowship, will include a visit by the Deep Harmony Singers. All welcome.

Sunday 19th April

10.45 a.m. Own Arrangement.

6.30 p.m. Dedication of World Mission Fund offerings (see below) is at Prenton Methodist Church, Glenavon Rd.

Wanted! Toy Instruments for Neston Church Mice to play with! Donations of toy drums, rattles, bells, tambourines, etc – help the Church mice make a joyful noise as we sing praises to our God! All donations gratefully received. Please leave them in the box in the Foyer/Porch of Neston Methodist Church. Thank you very much.

Also small, clean plastic bottles with tight lids – these are to be made into “Rattles” that can be shaken by small children. Can be left in the Toy Instrument donation box, or give to Margaret H or Trish.

World Mission Fund collections at Neston Methodist Church on 12th and 19th April, envelopes are available. This collection is organised by Methodist Women in Britain (M.W.B.), who are hoping to join forces in an initiative to save the lives of newborn babies in West Africa. (Methodist Recorder Feb 27th 2015).

