

**Revd. Lord Leslie Griffiths**, Superintendent Minister at Wesley's Chapel in London, and former President of Methodist Conference will be the preacher at Chester Cathedral on Sunday, 24th January, within the service for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity held by Churches Together in Cheshire. The service will be at 4.00 pm and will have as its theme: The Salt of the Earth.

In line with other churches in the circuit we are moving to a **monthly notice sheet** from February, many people have found some notices repetitive and therefore losing impact, it will save the church money on printing ink which as many will know is very expensive, it will mean more notices that come in mid month having to be announced however. Please retain for the month and check the notice board in the hall for outside events. We will assess the impact of the change after a few months.

There was a **Memorial Service** held last Friday at St Winefrides for Esme Weir (the 4 year old tragically killed on Gladstone Rd). Please remember this family in your thoughts and prayers

Poster in hall. **New ways of Ecumenicalism** for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity.

**Message from Dorothy Jewell.** "I write to say thank you to all the churches on the Wirral Circuit for their very kind messages of love and appreciation of the life, witness and preaching of my beloved husband, Bobby Jewell. Their letters cards and support have been a great comfort to me and all Bobby's family."

**Prayer Concerns:** John Phillips; Violet Sammons; Nancy Carruthers; Audrey Harford; Sister Gwen Appleton; Heather Higson, Emily Tuck.

**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.

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## Neston Methodist Church & Community Centre Notices for 24th January 2016



**Today** 10.45 a.m. Mrs Beryl Goodall.

6.30 p.m. Unity Service at Willaston Methodist. Followed by A.G.M. of Neston & District Churches Together.

**Thursday 28th January** 9.30 - 10.30 a.m. Church Mice for under 5s and carers.

7.30 p.m. At Little Neston. Come and see the second part of the wonderful film on the Gospel of John third and final part on Thursday February 11th at 7:30pm. Each section lasts an hour and will be followed by a short discussion over tea and biscuits. Everyone welcome!

### **Friday 29th January**

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.

10.00 a.m. Marcus to unveil a new plaque to mark the site where John Wesley preached on Parkgate Rd. Paid for by Civic Society.

**Samaritans Purse Raise the Roof event** being held at the Lighthouse Church in Anfield on Friday 29th January. The guest speakers are the Archbishop of Rwanda and the Archbishop of Uganda, along with the Love and Joy Gospel Choir and Ian Yates. Information and tickets are available free of charge via [www.samaritans-purse.org.uk/raisetherooft](http://www.samaritans-purse.org.uk/raisetherooft).

**Saturday 30th January** Poster in hall **Marriage & Relationships**. 7.00 - 9.30 p.m. @ Trinity Ellesmere Port.

### **Sunday 31st January.**

10.45 a.m. Rev Marcus Torchon Holy Communion.

Thankyou to everyone at Neston Methodist Church for **Foodbank donations**. 823kg of food has been given in 2015. See christmas card on Foodbank notice board.

