Copplestone Methodist Church-Mission Statement

As a church...

- Our purpose is to enable all people to respond to the invitation to follow Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour.
- We aim to reach out and share God's love and grace in our local community, serving people of all ages.
- Through prayer, worship and Bible-based learning together, we seek to be Christ-centred people, led by God's spirit, committed to growth and equipped for mission and service.

Our offertories will be taken during the welcome time (prior to first song). If you are a visitor please do not feel obliged to give, simply pass the gift bag to the next person.

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Sunday 25th August 2019

Welcome to Copplestone Methodist Church

We welcome you to join us today for our service of praise and worship. If you would like any help or advice please speak to a Service Coordinator or a Leader, or to our Minister Rev John Wiltshire.





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Thought for the Day

'He only is my rock and my salvation; He is my defense and my fortress, I shall not be moved.'

Psalm 62:6

OUR SERVICES TODAY:

10.00am Pre-service Prayer with Brian Warren

10.00am Worship Practice

10.45am Morning Worship with Heather Castle

10.45am Youth Church: Kidzone (4-11yrs) only – Grid are

welcome to help with Kidzone

6.15pm Evening Worship & Communion with Rev John

Wiltshire

Thursday:

9am-12pm Café

OUR SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY:

10.00am Pre-Service Prayer with Maurice Hockridge

10.00am Worship Practice

10.45am Morning Worship with Chris Down

10.45am Youth Church: Creche (0-3yrs), Kidzone (4-11yrs) &

Grid (11yrs +)

6.15pm Circuit Youth Celebration-see box for details

Website update

Please can you let Hannah know of future dates or amendments to the church website by Monday 26th August.

Circuit plans are now available from Marguerite.

There will be an Extraordinary Church Council Meeting following the morning service on Sunday 8 September.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Bush Conference 2019 - 23 August to 26 August Broadnymett Farm, Bow. EX17 6LA Speaker Nick Page.

Times: Fri 7.30pm, Sat/Sun 10.30am & 7pm, Mon 10.30am (advisable to book children in advance)

More information available in Church foyer.

Advance Notice! Here's a date for your diaries. Spring Harvest goes local in Crediton (Congregational Church) on Wednesday 2nd October. Tickets are £8, concessions £6, and you can book them on ecevents.uk/sh-local-unleashed/crediton/Site/Register

Sunday 1st September: There will be a Circuit Youth Celebration, 6.15pm here at Copplestone. This will be a look back at all the summer events (Spree/DCYC/Soul Survivor etc) with the young people coming together to share their testimonies and experiences. It is a great opportunity for us to focus on and and support the work with youth and children across the 4 churches and the communities in which they serve. This will also include our farewell presentation to Graham for all his hard work.

"Take it to the Lord in Prayer"

Our programme of monthly prayer events continues with another prayer walk at 10am on Saturday 7 September. At the start of the academic year we focus on our young people, praying for the school and pre-school, All Stars after school club, Piglets toddler group, and the places where young people meet – plays areas, football field etc. You already pray for the young people who come to church groups, now come and enlarge your praying!