### **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 27th October 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

'We ought not to be weary of doing little things for the love of God, who regards not the greatness of the work, but the love with which it is performed.'

Brother Lawrence

# **OUR SERVICES TODAY:**

10.00am Pre-service Prayer with Nick Townsend

10.00am Worship Practice

10.45am Morning Worship with Phil Yendell

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

Grid (11yrs+)

6.15pm Evening Worship with Rev John Wiltshire

# THIS WEEK'S CHURCH EVENTS:

Monday:

6pm Fit Club with Suzanne Lunn

Tuesday:

7-8.30pm Pulse at Nathan & Kirsty's home.

Wednesday: Thursday:

9am-12pm Café

7pm Copplestone Community Choir

Friday:

7pm Energize at Hele Lane

# **OUR SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY:**

10.00am Pre-Service Prayer with Lindsey Martin

10.00am Worship Practice

10.45am Morning Worship with Jill Duke

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

Grid (11yrs +)

6.15pm Evening Worship with Martyn Greig

### **Church Council**

In order to facilitate preparations for the Church Council on 7th November, the agenda will need to be compiled in advance. So, please submit any items to Julie by 27th October. (Only urgent matters will be considered after that date). Agendas will be available in the foyer on 3rd November for your information and prayers before the meeting.

# **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:**

Devonshire Cream Tea & Craft Stalls at Morchard Bishop Methodist Church on 2 November, 2.30-4.30pm. Pauline Nott is raising funds for her grandchildren who are going to work in a school in a Zambia.

Ladies, date change: Christmas Lifespring on Monday 2 December, 7.30pm – Please mark it in your diary and invitations will be available shortly so start planning who you can invite.

**Fair Share Day November 16**: Next Sunday leaflets will be available for a house to house delivery of a single leaflet for Fair Share Day, which the Leaders have agreed. Please could you try and deliver between November 2<sup>nd</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> if possible? And thank you all very much for doing an extra delivery stint.

### **Updated Safeguarding Policy**

At our next Church Council the updated Church Safeguarding Policy needs to be confirmed. There are a few copies in the foyer for you to read and return before the meeting on the 7<sup>th</sup> November. Please speak to Hannah if you have any queries.

Bridge Street Christian Book shop will be at the cafe on Nov 7th from 9 am for their annual visit selling Christmas cards.

The cafe is in desperate need of helpers. I (Lulu) am off to America in Nov through till Feb and Wendy is off long term while her legs heal. Therefore, we need a couple of people that would be willing to open up and set up and run the coffee machine (training will be given) as well as some extra bakers.

We aim to rota people so they only help once a month but recently we've had to ask for more than that due to lack of helpers. Please, if you are able to spare 3 hrs once a month or can bake, could you let me know ASAP.

The team of volunteers are awesome and we thank God that we can serve the church and the community with this worthwhile outreach. Please continue to pray that we can continue bringing the community together.

Please could you bring your toilet roll tubes and kitchen roll tubes – we need around 200 for Christmas Experience – thanks Sherrin.