

### Weekly Notices

Please note that all notices should be sent by no later than  
Wednesday evening to:

**Jackie Gillespie.**

### Women's Group

A full programme for the next few months has been put together:

**11<sup>th</sup> December 6.30pm** Seaford Choir at St Mary's Church.  
Sheilagh B organising. In aid of 4Sight. Tickets on the door.

**14<sup>th</sup> December 1.00pm** Christmas Meal at La Galleria. Menu from  
Cathy.

**30<sup>th</sup> December 7.30pm** G4 in Concert at Lancing College Chapel  
– Cathy organising.

**18<sup>th</sup> January 3.00pm** New Year Celebration at Cathy's with  
mulled wine and mince pies.

**27<sup>th</sup> February 1.00pm** Lunch at Southdown Garden Centre. Sheila  
L. organising.

### Church Wall Plugs

As a general rule it is best to switch off all wall plugs after use, but  
there a few exceptions, two of which have been causing problems.  
Firstly both display screens in the Annexe need to be left switched  
on at the plugs even when the screen is off. Otherwise there may  
be problems reconfiguring the screens.

Secondly, there is an electric radiator in the Vestry which is  
needed in winter to keep the photocopier and stored copy paper  
from getting cold and damp. Otherwise operational problems tend  
to arise with the Copier.

Thank You!

## SHOREHAM-BY-SEA METHODIST CHURCH NEWS SHEET

**Minister: Rev Ian Couchman**

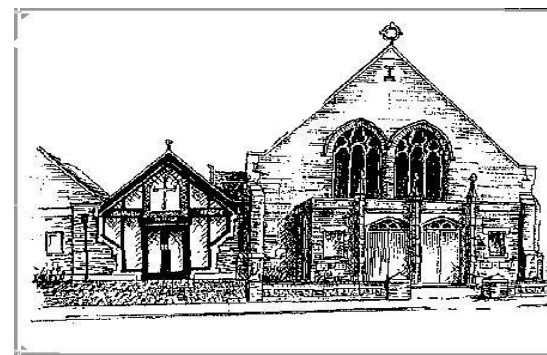
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**News Sheet for week commencing  
Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> December 2023**

**10.30am Mrs Lesley Barnes**

Please visit our website for more information  
There is a hearing loop system in the church

Welcome to Shoreham-by-Sea Methodist Church

If you are worshipping here for the first time, please make yourself known to the Minister or to a Steward and sign the Visitor’s Book in the Meeting Area.

If you would like the preacher to pray for someone during our service, please enter their name in the Prayer Request Book which can be found at the back of the church; the Church Steward will then pass it to the preacher.

Our services are recorded. If you would like a copy of the service, please let the steward know.

Grace – error in last week’s notices!

The funeral of our dear friend **Grace** will take place on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> **January** at 2pm at Woodvale Crematorium, Brighton. Any colours may be worn, but Grace’s favourite colour was blue.

Phyllis’ Funeral

The Funeral of Phyllis will be on Friday December 15<sup>th</sup> 2pm at Shoreham. Please pray for Aris, Ian, all the family and her many friends at this time.

Christmas Carol Service

Our Christmas Carol service will be held on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> December at 10:30pm. Everyone is welcome.

Girls’ Brigade Invitation

The Girls’ Brigade is inviting all the church family for mince pies and coffee on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December at 6.30pm.

Annexe Toilet Taps

**Please** ensure, when you use the Annexe toilet, that the cold tap is **completely** turned off. Usually, whoever is serving teas and coffees, remembers to check that it has been turned off, but if it were to be forgotten we could incur quite a cost in the water bill.

Thank you.

Services for Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> December

<p>10.30am Rev Ian Couchman          Carol Service/All Age Worship          12.00pm Prayer &amp; Meditation</p>
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What’s on this week 10<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> December

<p>Tuesday 5.30pm</p>	<p>Girls’ Brigade &amp; Boys’ Brigade See notice</p>
<p>Wednesday 10.30 – 11.00am  10.00 – 11.30am  7.30pm</p>	<p>Midweek Service – Rev Ray King  Coffee Shop open  Wesley House Group</p>
<p>Saturday 10.00am – 12 noon</p>	<p>Seaside Hospital Radio</p>

<p><b>Zoom United Service 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month</b>          For further details of how to connect to our united Zoom services, please contact Julian Batstone.  <a href="mailto:jtbatstone@yahoo.com">jtbatstone@yahoo.com</a> 01273 592218  <b>Those without an internet connection can connect via phone instead.</b>  <b>No Services in December</b></p>
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