

My morning routine is a cup of tea and then some quiet time before the busyness of the day really begins. When I'm making my tea I have to fetch the milk from the fridge. Over the years we have gathered a range of fridge magnets and my eye is inevitably drawn towards them.

Wise words and pithy sayings – for example ‘Those who give love, gather love’ and ‘Some days you're the pigeon, and some days you're the statue’; photos of family, some no longer with us, immortalized in a magnetic form and mementoes of a variety of holiday destinations, our own or gifts from family.

These reminders each day of those who care for us and love us are important. Those closest to us can be the ones who's love and support for us is not only unconditional but is unwavering

So, it's good to pause and remember our families and friends and the love and support they give to us – and to be thankful.



Rev Paul

Notes for your DIARY

The **Church Anniversary** will be on 3rd November. Rev Paul will be leading worship. The service will be followed by lunch at the Golf Club

The **Bazaar** will be held on 30th November to coincide with Marshall's Yard event. We may get passing trade! The Stewards will be inviting table top stall holders.. so if you know any, let them know

DETAILS TO FOLLOW



September 2024 GMC news




Regular charity appeals at GMC



Rev Vicki Atkinson Superintendent Minister of the ESG Circuit

Rev Paul Braisdell Minister for GMC

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Gainsborough Methodist Church

Note date change for this month

**MACMILLAN
CANCER SUPPORT**



IN MEMORY OF REV LIZ CHILDS

GAINSBOROUGH METHODIST CHURCH

NORTH STREET

SATURDAY 7TH SEPTEMBER 2024

10AM TILL 12PM



August Competition ANSWER

The Wise man said... "Swap camels"... It is the slower camel that wins, so it is up to the faster rider who will inherit the fortune.

ESG Circuit Newsletter

The September edition will be published soon... watch the notice board. Alternatively let a steward know if you want it sent to your email

A very special LETTER

It's attributed to a man called JAMES, 'brother' of Jesus, and who was thought to be first Bishop of Jerusalem. It has only five chapters and can be easily read over a cup of tea.

He addresses all the world, and it hits Gainsborough again this September.

It contains excellent guidance for Christian attitudes and conduct including....

- Riches and poverty
- Temptation, good conduct
- Prejudice, Boasting, Judging others
- Faith and action (inseparable)
- Pride patience and Humility
- Tact Wisdom and quarrelling
- Judging others
- AND PRAYER

This month's cover picture is a spoiler for the Epistle reading set for 29th Sept.

Pray for one another so that you will be healed.

Let us continue to hold the Childs family and friends in prayer, and trust in the power of the Spirit as Mike resumes his Ministry at Laughton on 8th Sept.

Source... GNB and Wikipedia

GMC Harvest Festival

Sunday 29th September starting 4.30pm

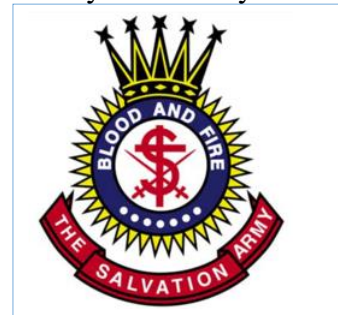
There will be no morning service today

This year we are going away from tradition by combining the Harvest Praise Worship, with a faith tea, and entertainment.

We will have lists in the lobby again for catering numbers, for volunteers to set up and clear up, and to ensure that there isn't a mountain of sausage rolls and no yummy cream cakes.

Please invite your friends and neighbours to share with us. Our colleagues, at the Salvation Army Food Bank, have suggested the following basic foodstuffs. They are mainstays in every pack.

They continually thank GMC for year-long donations



- Long Life Milk
- Soup
- Hot Dogs
- Tinned Tomatoes
- Baked Beans
- Tuna
- Cereals
- Pasta
- (Anything else)

Saturday	7 th Sept	10.00	Macmillan Brews Up	see poster across
Saturday	7 th Sept	9.00	Men's Breakfast	Wetherspoons
Thursday	19 th Sept	7.30	Camera Club	GMC
Thursday	19 th Sept	10.30	Holy Communion	GMC
Saturday	21 st Sept	10.00	Book Swap	Marion
Every	Tuesday	10.00	Bible Fellowship	Morton see Sue
Every	Tuesday	2.00	Tuesday Club	GMC
Every	Thursday	2.00	Adult Youth Club	Marion
Sunday	3 rd Nov	10.30	Church Anniversary	See note on p4
Saturday	30 th Nov		Christmas Bazaar	See note on p4

	25 th Aug Pentecost14	1 st Sept Pentecost15	8 th Sept Pentecost16	15 th Sept Pentecost17	22 nd Sept Pentecost18	29 th Sept Pentecost19
<i>GMC Preacher</i>	At Lea 4pm	Karen Welch	Nicola Golland	Rev Hamish Temple	Tim Smith	Harvest... 4.30pm
<i>Flowers</i>	(Section Service)	Rosemary	Jenny Emery	Sue Brown	tba	Yvonne and Grace
<i>lectionary</i>	1Kings8.[1,6,10-11] 22-30, Psalm 84 41-43 Ephesians 6.10-20 John 6.56-69	Song of Solomon 2.8-13 Psalm 45.1-2,6-9* James 1.17-27 Mark 7.1-8,14,15,21-23	Proverbs 22.1-2,8,9,22,23 Psalm 125 James 2.1-10[11-13] 14-17 Mark 7.24-37	Proverbs 1.20-33 Psalm 19 James 3.1-12 Mark 8.27-38	Proverbs 31.10-31 Psalm 1 James 3.13 - 4.3,7-8a Mark 9.30-37	Esther 7.1-6,9,10; 9.20-22 Psalm 124 James 5.13-20 Mark 9.38-50