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MESSAGE FROM OUR MINISTER

A big BULA welcome to you all. We are saying thank you to the welcome we have received from those we have met and also at the welcome service on Sunday 27th August. We are slowly settling in and looking forward to working alongside you in the future.

One of the biggest difficulties, when moving to a new place, is trying to remember the names of the people we are meeting. You spend years trying to put names to the faces and, when you are able to do it, it is time to move on. We are grateful for all you have done in making our welcome special.

We are here because God has called us to Leicester West and to be part of Markfield Methodist Church. We go forward knowing that God is with us and God will open doors for us if we seek his guidance. We seek his guidance by getting on our knees and praying unto Him. He stands with his invitation to each of us, "Come to me all you who are tired of carrying heavy loads and I will give you rest". This is the invitation we need to take heed of as we journey together. Let Jesus be the centre of all that we are going to plan and do.

We journey into another new month safe in the knowledge that Jesus is going with us. We are not sure what each day will bring, but be rest assured he will be there every morning of the month to greet you and lead you.

I am here as your minister and friend, let us get to know each other.

With every blessing.

Jimi.



PASTORAL CARE

If you are aware of anyone who is ill, in hospital, or had a family bereavement, please contact our Minister, Rev Jimi Kaci, on 07909 280486, or our Pastoral Secretary, Kerry Sharpe, on 07979 607099.

SERVICE DETAILS FOR OCTOBER

1st October

10.30 a.m. Morning Worship - Led by Mr David Sutcliffe

Duty Stewards: Ian Lay & Hazel Brewer

Welcome Steward: Rosie Woodland

6.00 p.m. Healing Service Epworth

8th October

10.30 a.m. Morning Worship – Led by Revd Jimi Kaci **S**

Worship Leader: Ian Lay

Duty Stewards: William & Linda Walmsley

Welcome Steward: Zoe Tur-Ribas

6.00 p.m. Circuit zoom service led by Revd Helen Bell

15th October CTiM United Service (*Please note change of time*)

10.30 a.m. Morning Worship at St Wilfrid's Catholic Church

6.00 p.m. Circuit zoom service led by Revd Jimi Kaci

22nd October

10.30 a.m. Morning Worship – Led by Mr Justin Moulder

Duty Stewards: Ian Lay & Iris Bown

Welcome Steward: Ann Lay

29th October

10.30 a.m. Morning Worship – Led by Mrs Judith Nkounkou

Worship Leader: Ian Barrs

Duty Stewards: Ian Lay & Hazel Brewer

Welcome Steward: Ann Holloway

6.00 p.m. Taizé Praye

DATE	ORGANIST	FLOWERS	CLEANING
1st October	<i>Margaret Silverwood</i>		<i>Jenny Marsay & Roderick Lay</i>
8th October	<i>Rebecca Goldring</i>	<i>Linda Walmsley</i>	15TH Oct <i>Iris Bown Ann & Ian Lay</i>
22nd October	<i>David Woodward</i>	<i>Malcolm & Betty Keates</i>	
29th October	<i>Margaret Silverwood</i>	<i>Jenny Marsay & Lucy Crossley</i>	<i>Janet Forrester Ann Lay Gill Gibbins</i>

MUSIC CAFÉ - Thursday 12th & 26th October 2.00 – 4.00

If you feel the need of a change of scenery & a bit of company, please join us on the 2nd & 4th Thursdays of the month for a music-based afternoon of fellowship. Contact Linda for more information. Tel: 01530 242607

HOME FELLOWSHIP

Our Home Fellowships for this month are **Tuesday 17th & Tuesday 31th** at the home of Sandra Andrews. Both meetings will start at 5.30pm. This is an opportunity to explore and chat about how God wants us to live out our lives and also to enrich and foster our fellowship with each other. Why not come along, you will be made very welcome. Need more information? Contact

“COME FOR A CUPPA” Every Wednesday 10.00 – 12.00

Come and meet each other for a cuppa and a chat. There is no charge.

CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING Wednesday, 11th October at 7.30

PIANO RECITAL “2 PIANOS – 8 HANDS” FRIDAY 10th NOVEMBER 7 p.m.

Tickets £12 Under-16s £6 - including programme & refreshments. Please book online via our website or call Kerry on 07979 607099. Rosie also has tickets in church. See full details of the recital in the September newsletter. It promises to be a wonderfully entertaining evening.

CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL 1ST, 2ND, 3RD DECEMBER It's not too early to start thinking about Christmas! The theme is **“Sing a Song of Christmas”** & we're inviting you to decorate a tree (any size) depicting a Christmas carol or secular Christmas song & display it at the festival. Let your imaginations run riot & get creative! Ann, Rosie & Linda will be delighted to receive your entry & give you more information.

If you would like to help with refreshments or in any other way at the festival please come to the **Ways & Means Meeting** on Monday, 30th October at 10.30 in the school room.

CTiM CHRISTIAN AID COFFEE MORNING

Many thanks for your support and help in raising **£369** for Christian Aid.

HARVEST PLOUGHMAN'S LUNCH

We all enjoyed a substantial lunch with warm fellowship. Because of the generous donations of food we raised £337. Thank you for your support.

WORLD MISSIONS BOXES

Please will you let Iris have your World Missions box as soon as possible. Thank you.

INFORMATION FROM ST. WILFRID'S

The annual CTiM united service at St. Wilfrid's, Coalville is on 15th October at 10.30.

The next village Catholic mass is on Tuesday, 24th October at 7.00 in the Congregational Church.

“Everyone is most welcome.”

Items for the **NOVEMBER** notices should be sent to Linda & William Walmsley by **22nd OCTOBER**

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