

Sundays in June

at Westcote Methodist Chapel

There are no services or meetings this month,  
due to the corona virus.

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# WESTCOTE METHODIST NEWSLETTER



For we are  
his workmanship,  
created in Christ Jesus  
unto good works,  
which God hath  
before ordained that  
we should walk in them.  
~ Ephesians 2:10

# WESTCOTE METHODIST CHAPEL

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There is no Village Book Swap & Coffee this month,

## THE FENCE

There was once a little boy who had a very bad temper. His father gave him a bag of nails and told him that every time he lost his temper, he must hammer a nail into the fence. The first day the boy had driven 37 nails into the fence but as he learned to control his anger, the number of nails hammered daily dwindled. He discovered it was easier to hold his temper than drive nails into the wood. Finally, the day came when the boy didn't lose his temper at all. He told his father and he suggested that the boy now pull out one nail for each day he was able to hold his temper. The days passed and the boy was able to tell his father that all the nails were gone. The father took his son by the hand and led him to the fence. He said, 'You have done well but look at the holes in the fence. The fence will never be the same. When you say things in anger, they leave a scar. Make sure you control your temper next time you are tempted to say something you will regret later.'

(With thanks to Hazel for providing this)

**MAY WORDSEARCH** – Did you find all 27 Books? They were:

Acts, Amos, Daniel, Ecclesiastes, Esther, Ezra, Isaiah, James, Jeremiah, Job, Joel, John, Jonah, Joshua, Jude, Judges, Lamentations, Leviticus, Luke, Malachi, Mark, Matthew, Micah, Obadiah, Psalms, Romans, Ruth.



## Monthly Prayer Breakfast

No Prayer Breakfast this month

*If you have any prayer requests, please let one of the stewards know.*

Sadly, it is not looking likely that we will be meeting together in June. We will continue to record a podcast on our website weekly, you will find it at <http://westcotemethodists.co.uk/our-news/>

I will also send out a weekly "News & Worship" bulletin, which includes a little local news with updates of flora and fauna around the village. If you would like to be included, please let me know.

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We have just set up a Chapel Zoom meeting at 7pm on Sunday evening, mainly to catch up with each other. It is lovely to see people. If you would like to join in with this, let me know.

Meanwhile let us continue to look out for each other and to hold in prayer those who have lost loved ones and the many who are losing their jobs and businesses. It is very difficult for Christians and everyone, really, to make sense of these difficult times. I have found this old poem apposite.

### The Divine Weaver

My life is but a weaving between my Lord and me.  
I cannot choose the colours he worketh steadily.

Oftentimes he weaveth sorrow and I, in foolish pride,  
Forget that he seeth the upper, and I the under side.

Not till the loom is silent and the shuttles cease to fly,  
Shall God unroll the canvas and explain the reason why.

The dark threads are as needful in the weaver's skilful hand  
As the threads of gold and silver in the pattern he has planned.

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If you would like to speak to me at any time, please ring 01993 830699 or ring (or text) 07845 118822.

Every blessing  
Tony