

Sundays in July

at Westcote Methodist Chapel

We are unsure whether there will be any services in the Chapel in July due to the coronavirus. As things become clearer, Tony will let you know in his weekly News & Worship.

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MEN

NAILED	DANIEL
MASONS	SAMSON
HOG TAIL	GOLIATH
NO LOOMS	SOLOMON
WANDER	ANDREW
AS MULE	SAMUEL
AH OPRAH	PHAROAH
A SHOE	HOSEA
A MOB HERO	REHOBOAM
CABLE	CALEB
MOB ALAS	ABSALOM
HOY MITT	TIMOTHY

WOMEN

ILL HEAD	DELILAH
THREES	ESTHER
NO AIM	NAOMI
BLITE HAZE	ELIZABETH
HAIRS APP	SAPPHIRA
HAT RAM	MARTHA
ABHOR ED	DEBORAH
BEE HOP	PHOEBE
HAH NAN	HANNAH
AS CORD	DORCAS
Y STENCHY	SYNTYCHE
I C PILLARS	PRISCILLA

WESTCOTE METHODIST NEWSLETTER



The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall lack nothing. Psalm 23:1

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There is no Village Book Swap & Coffee this month,

ARUL UPDATE:

Please continue to remember Arul and his wife Jaya in your prayers in the Andaman Islands, as they too are in lockdown with the coronavirus and unable to leave their village of Betapur.

Arul (who is 69) is not well and has 60% heart block and a kidney stone problem. Because of the pandemic, Arul is unable to go to India for the treatment he needs and is just taking medication to see if that helps.

Arul's four children are doing well: Sam, the oldest, works for a US bank in Singapore and is married with 2 sons. His daughter Blessy is married with 2 sons and lives in Port Blair. Daniel is married with 2 daughters and is a primary school teacher in Port Blair. The youngest, Paul, is currently living with Arul and Jaya, having just finished his bachelor's degree.

Arul's church members are meeting in homes for prayer on Sundays, as religious gatherings are not allowed at present due to the virus.

Helen



Monthly Prayer Breakfast

No Prayer Breakfast this month

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

JOYCE GIBSON: 24 MAY 1922 – 9 JUNE 2020

I have been asked say a few words about my aunt. She was born, as were her 3 older brothers, at Hobbits in Nether Westcote, just opposite the Chapel. The house at that time was called "The Firs". After attending the village school Aunty became a pupil teacher. Then she helped on the farm - I don't know how much as she is said to have been "delicate". At some point the family moved to Hill Farm and then to Field Farm. I can just remember my parents having two rooms and living side by side with my grandparents and aunt. After my grandmother died, my grandfather and aunt moved along to Well House, then known as Fairview.

Very few people in Westcote now remember A.J (Aunty Joyce), as she and my grandfather moved to Stow in 1965. She very rarely returned. She attended the Baptist Church in Stow until several years ago when, unless taken in a wheelchair, she just couldn't get there. Aunty was a spinster, so I became her assistant and have done shopping, banking and odd jobs for about 25 years. For the last 5 years she has lived at Abbeyfield House, where she has been very happy and contented. They and I will miss her.

It was her wish to be buried at Westcote, so I am grateful to the PCC for allowing that to happen and to Rev Dr Stephen Blake for conducting the graveside service.

Tony Gibson