



SHARING THE LOVE OF JESUS!

WELCOME TO ASPULL
METHODIST CHURCH

Notices

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Preacher for Sunday 14th December 2025
Rev Richard Towle – Communion - 10.30am

Preacher for Sunday 21st December 2025
Sunday School Nativity - 10.30am

Third Sunday
OF ADVENT



Prayer

Lord God, as we await the blessings You have in store for us, fill our hearts with joyful anticipation.

Help us to embrace each moment with hope and excitement, trusting in Your perfect timing.

May our spirits be uplifted as we look forward to the wonders You will reveal.

Guide us to share this joy with others, reflecting Your love in all we do.

'Rejoice in the Lord always; I will say it again, rejoice!'

Philippians C4:4

AMEN

Prayer Meeting

Why not come and join us each Monday night from 7.0pm till 8.0pm for a time of prayer. To gather together and pray and seek God's will for our church, our communities and our lives as we seek God in prayer.

Also, we will be having a prayer meeting on Thursday nights from 8.0pm till 8.45pm on ZOOM. If you are interested to join us then please speak to Allen Howarth.

If you cannot make the prayer meeting, please pray at home. We all need prayer. God Bless.

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Christmas Greetings

As in previous Christmases we thought it appropriate rather than send each other Christmas cards, it would be good to make a donation towards church funds. You can pass on your Christmas wishes by signing the form in the foyer. Could you please put any donations in the box in the foyer at the side of the vestry door. Thank You. God Bless

Christmas Coffee Morning

The total now for the Christmas coffee morning has increased from £650 to £700. What a marvelous total. Thank you to all who arranged and help serve through the day. Thank you. God Bless.

Fort Alice

A big thank you to all who donated gifts to Fort Alice (Women's Refuge). Please see letter on the Notice board from Fort Alice. Once again thank You. God Bless

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Christmas Services

Our Christmas Services are as follows:-

Sunday 21st December Nativity led by the Sunday School

Wednesday 24th December - Crib Service – 4.0pm led by Rev Richard Towle.

Thursday 25th December – Christmas Day – 10.0am led by Allen Howarth

Congratulations

To Rev Richard & Amanda on their silver wedding on Tuesday 16th December. We send all our love and blessings. God Bless

Carol Singing

We are sorry to announce that the Carol singing planned for Friday 19th December, has had to be cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances.

Pastoral News

We always try to care pastorally for all who are part of Aspull Methodist church, with several Pastoral Visitors each of whom had a list of people to contact regularly. Currently we only have three Pastoral Visitors, and so are having to change the way we do things. Those in most need (the housebound, ill etc) will continue to receive regular contact, but for everyone else, if you need to talk to someone, or need someone to pray with you, or know someone that needs a visit, please contact one of the:

Pastoral Visitors:- Denise Howarth **07936 721832**, Agnes Houghton **01942 537335**,
Sylvia Connah **01942 831356**.

You could also contact Rev Richard Towle on 01942 206806

Prayers for Today

On this third Sunday of Advent we are invited to reflect on the **JOY** we have access to because of our faith in Jesus. For Advent is a season of Hope, Peace, Love and **JOY** in the Christmas child.

Lord God, your word reminds us who you are and the ways you love us, ignite in us a sense of **JOY** that overflows out of our hearts! May this holy **JOY** be contagious and spill over onto the lives of those around us.

We pray and give thanks for the work with our yon

This Advent season, encourage our hearts with the knowledge that with you we can live in your perfect peace, no matter our circumstances.

We thank you for the **JOY** and peace you give!

“Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice! Let your gentleness be evident to all. The Lord is near.” Philippians 4:4-5

AMEN

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