

SUMMER FAIR & BARBECUE

The Summer Fair & Barbecue has been arranged for Saturday 12th September from 12 noon to 3.00 pm. Donations are required for the bring & buy and help on the day. If you can provide any assistance please see Chris.

Dates for your Diary (and please pray for)

1 st Sept	Brighter Hour – Keith Colley– 2.30pm
2 nd Sept	Christian Friendship Circle in the Primary at 10.00am
3 rd Sept	Cuppa & Chat – 10.30am – 12.00pm
7 th Sept	Prayer Meeting (Ministers Vestry) 7.00pm
9 th Sept	Christian Friendship Circle in the Primary at 10.00am
11 th Sept	Madeline & Chris - Shoebox Appeal Sponsored Swim
17 th Sept	Cuppa & Chat – 10.30am – 12.00pm
17 th Sept	Church Council – 7.30pm

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Providence News Letter

Sunday 23rd August 2009

Services

Today

Next Sunday

10.20am: Worship Group
10.30am: Margaret Bradley

Worship Group
Rev Dr Paul Nzacahayo
(*Holy Communion*)

6.00pm: Rev David Alford
(*Holy Communion*)

Pam Mills

Stewards (am): Dave & Doreen
Door (am): Madeline & Elaine
Stewards (pm): Hannah & Sue
Door (pm): Geoff & Derek

Doreen & Wayne
Len & Amanda
Doreen & Wayne
Beryl & Norman

Coffee: Pat Southall
Flowers:

Don & Carole
Geoff

OFFERTORY am - £136.25
LAST WEEK pm - £147.00

Brighter Hour - £50.00

A warm welcome to all who attend worship today

SHOEBOX APPEAL

Every year the Samaritan's Purse "Operation Christmas Child" appeal sends presents to children who would otherwise not receive any. Once again we will be sending shoeboxes to support this appeal, and we desperately need shoeboxes to fill. Please do your best to help!

SHOEBOX APPEAL SPONSORED SWIM

Madeline and Chris will again be doing a Sponsored Swim to raise money for The Shoebox Appeal. It will take place on 11th September and information and sponsorship forms can be found on the table in the entrance hall.

LADIES' FELLOWSHIP

Will meet at Elsie's at 6.00pm tomorrow evening for Cream Tea (£2.50 per person). All men are invited. The bring & buy theme is "Anything". If any ladies who do not belong to the fellowship would like to come, I should be pleased to welcome you.

Elsie

STOURBRIDGE FOOD BANK

We are pleased to announce our support for the Food Bank. Chris Walker will be co-ordinating our efforts with help from John Bargewell and Ian Myers. Chris has shopping lists available and there is a box in the entrance hall to receive your donations.

HARVEST SUPPER

There will be "An Evening With No Strings Attached Puppet Ministry" and Harvest Supper on Saturday 26th September at 6.00pm. Tickets are £4 for adults and "2 for children under 16, with family tickets (2 adults 2 children) for £10. See a member of the puppet ministry for your tickets, or alternatively, ring 07813 705962 to book your place.

FREE (ALMOST!) TO A GOOD HOME

Heather and Ian have 2 almost new metal-framed single beds available. They can be yours (the beds, not Heather and Ian!) for a good donation to church funds. For more information ring Ian on 07588 907452.

ACTION FOR CHILDREN

Action For Children diaries will be available in September from Elaine or Doreen. Please give your support to this charity.

TINA GITTINGS RECOGNITION SERVICE

Tina has successfully passed the Local Preachers' Training Course and her Service of Recognition will take place at New Road Methodist Church at 7.30pm on Wednesday 2nd September.

What's happening this week?

MONDAY	6.00pm:	Ladies' Fellowship Cream Tea @ Elsie's
TUESDAY	2.30pm:	Brighter Hour – DIY
WEDNESDAY	7.45pm:	Worship & Mission
THURSDAY		
FRIDAY		
SATURDAY		

Remember in your Prayers

John Bargewell, Pam Richards, Deanne Goodwin,
Gwen, Norman,
Wayne & Dawn, Frank & Pat
Gerald Adams, Betty Smith, David Southall,
Elsie Noons & Bessie Worton
All who mourn the loss of loved ones

