

The Methodist Church

Northampton District
Hinckley Circuit 23/11
22nd April 2026

The calling of the Methodist Church is to respond to the
gospel of God's love in Christ and to live out its discipleship
in worship and mission.

**The Lord is gracious and righteous;
our God is full of compassion.**

Psalm 116: 5



Office Update

Please note, The office will be closed Thursday 23rd April. Apologies for the short notice.

Please submit notices for the next newsletter to hinckleycircuitoffice@gmail.com before 05 May. Thank you.

Angie



Sunday services are live streamed each Sunday from 10.30 from Burbage Methodist Church. If you would like to join the worship, the link is:

www.youtube.com/@burbagemethodistchurch/live

Sad News

Ursula Cox

It is with much sadness we let you know that Ursula died on March 23rd peacefully at home. Her funeral will be on April 27th at 2pm at St Peter's Church, Higham on the Hill.

Ursula has been a much loved member of our circuit for many, many years.

Our thoughts and prayers are with Michael and family at this time.

*We are
expecting to
have a great
time of
praise and
worship!*

**This Sunday
26 April at 4pm**

**SAPCOTE
METHODIST CHURCH**



ROOTS this month we have
JOHN MOORE coming to speak.

John is a member
of St. John's
Church in Hinckley,
This is your chance
to come and hear
what John has to
say and get the
ROOTS experience!
We will be looking
at **TRAVELLING
WITH GOD!**


*What do others think of
ROOTS ...*

**Not stuffy, great
music and fun**

*A safe place to find
HOPE*

SPRING
**Sing Praise Rejoice In
the Name of God**

***Give us a try** this month
and see for yourself!*



Sapcote Methodist Church

Invites You To

QUIZ NIGHT

WITH FISH & CHIPS

AND A RAFFLE

Saturday 25th April

7:00pm

£12.50 a ticket

Tickets are available for purchase until 18th April

Enquire by Barbara Williams

07817 454819

Karen Berry asks:



Are you good at knitting/any type of craft?

Would you be willing to consider making something small as a giveaway gift for the Christmas day meal at Earl Shilton 2026?

Last Christmas, gifts such as knitted scarves, gloves and hats included with a copy of one of the gospels were well received. One lady cried as it was the first time she could remember receiving a gift.

A wonderful and simple way to support this work.

Jigsaw Stay and Play



Jigsaw started last week for carers and their pre-school child/children at Earl Shilton Methodist church every Thursday 9.15 to 11.15

Please support by covering in prayer and promoting to anyone who you think would like to attend.

Together, we can build hope



CHRISTIAN AID FAIR

Saturday 2nd May 2026

9.30am – 1.30pm

in St Mary's, Hinckley

Large Bric-a-brac

New clothes; toys; games; puzzles;

Second-hand books; plants;

Home-made cakes; fun games;

Hand-crafted cards; lunches

Annual Fun Quiz winner announced

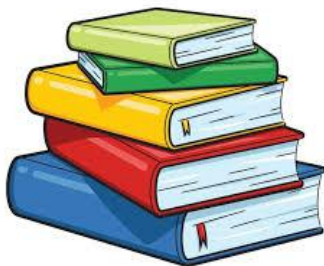
Organised by Hinckley & Burbage Christian Aid Group
to raise awareness of poverty in the DEVELOPING WORLD, and to

A special Thank you



News from The Vine Bookshop, Hinckley

Here at The Vine we have a small Spring Sale with some items and books at reduced prices. We are also continuing our offering of £1 and £2 titles, ideal for those interested in trying Christian books but unsure where to start. We are always happy to help and, as all our staff and volunteers work part-time, you can telephone 01455 612345 or email thevinehinckley@hotmail.co.uk with any queries or with details of items you wish to order. We hope to see you soon.



Kind regards,

Grace

Manager

[The Vine Hinckley](#)

SAT 9th MAY
10am - 1pm

Welcome To Our
**COFFEE
MORNING**

JOIN US FOR

- TEACAKES • CHAT •
- PRELOVED BOOKS & JIGSAWS •
- DELICIOUS HOMEMADE CAKES •

**PLUS: Jacket potatoes, tasty
fillings, & lovely puds**



**NEWBOLD VERDON
METHODIST CHURCH
MAIN STREET**

Wellbeing Walks at Bradgate Park

By Liezl Laubschur



27th April

11th May

25th May

Meet 9.45am to 10am at Bradgate Park Newtown Linford Car Park.

Car Parking charges apply.

Walk starts at 10am prompt and lasts 90 minutes.

2 walks take place - a gentle stroll along the carriageway or a ramble into the Outer Park.

THE JUBILEE SINGERS

SUMMER CONCERT

Sunday 31ST May - 3PM

LBC Earl Shilton, Mill Lane, LE9 7AW



Free Concert -Everyone is Welcome

An Afternoon of Wonderful Music

Enjoy a delightful programme featuring:

- Sacred works
- Secular songs
- A blend of old favourites and modern pieces

Refreshments & Cakes Available

Donations kindly received in support of
Hinckley Area Foodbank

 **Hinckley Area
Foodbank**
Together with Trussell

BARWELL FAMILY LUNCH CLUB BRINGS YOU

FAMILY LUNCH CLUB

THURSDAY 28th May

11am to 2pm

ACTIVITIES:

Lunch

Games

Crafts

Theme:- Noah's Ark



ACTIVITIES AIMED AT 5 -11 YEAR OLDS

£2.00 PER PERSON ENTRY (CASH ONLY)

LUNCH INCLUDED MAX 6 KIDS ONLY



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HINCKLEY CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY ACTION
Hinckley Christians serving our community
incorporating Hinckley Area foodbank

Following the impending retirement of our current Foodbank Manager, Hinckley Christian Community Action together with Hinckley Area foodbank is delighted to be offering the post of Foodbank Manager.

We are looking for a self-motivated person with experience of managing projects to ensure the continued smooth running of the Foodbank project, seeking continued sustainable growth taking it onto new levels.

The successful candidate will have experience dealing directly with Clients 'front of house', and ideally experience as a Foodbank Centre Supervisor.

There is an Occupational Requirement for the successful candidate to have an active Christian Faith, and commitment to the Christian Ethos of the Charity and foodbank.

The successful candidate will need to demonstrate the following:

- Experience of managing and running community projects.
- Experience of managing and developing staff and volunteers.
- Excellent interpersonal skills.
- To be able to give presentations and communicate to large groups.
- To be willing to lead in prayer at Management meetings; and to pray with Clients and/or volunteers in a pastoral role where appropriate.

Closing date for applications	Thursday 30 th April 2026
Interview date	W/C 11 th May 2026
Hours of work	20hrs / week
Salary	£17.83 per hour, paid monthly
Employer's Pension contribution	5%
Mileage allowance	45p/mile

Further information and application forms are available from Hinckley Area foodbank:

- By email from manager@hinckleyarea.foodbank.org.uk
- By phone on 01455 697390
- By mail to The Trustees, Hinckley Area foodbank, Barleyfield, Hinckley. LE10 0YE