

Hornsea United Reformed Church Newsletter November 2022



November Worship: -

- 30th October Tough Love
6th November A Light to the World (followed by church lunch)
13th November Remembrance Sunday- 11.15a.m. Holy Communion
20th November The Faithful Servant (including Shoebox Sunday)
27th November A New World

Bible Month is an annual campaign that celebrates scripture by inviting the whole churches to feast on one particular book of the Bible together. The resources are put together by the Methodist Church. As such, during November (starting 30th October) we will be exploring Isaiah each Sunday Morning (except 13th November when we will be holding our Remembrance Sunday service). There is a booklet containing a 30-day guided reading plan prepared by the Methodist Church's Learning Network which also includes some helpful notes to help you get the most out of your reading. These notes provide a daily passage to read each day in Isaiah with some accompanying thoughts and questions to consider. I plan to email readings from this to everyone every day in an easy reading format. Do have a chat with me if you would like to know more. Steve Seal

Remembrance Sunday

There will be **no 10.30 a.m. service on 13th November.**

There will be a Remembrance service at St. Nicholas church at 9 a.m., followed by the laying of wreaths in Memorial Gardens at 11 a.m.

Coffee will be available in the U.R.C. hall from 10.30, and there will be a short service of Holy Communion at 11.15 a.m.



Joint Advent services

Christians together in Hornsea are hosting joint services during Advent on Sunday afternoons as follows.

Full details and times next month.

- 27th November Advent Carols in St. Nicholas Church at 5pm
- 4th December Christingle Service in U.R.C.
- 11th December A 'Muddy Advent' event
- 18th December Carol Service in the Methodist Church

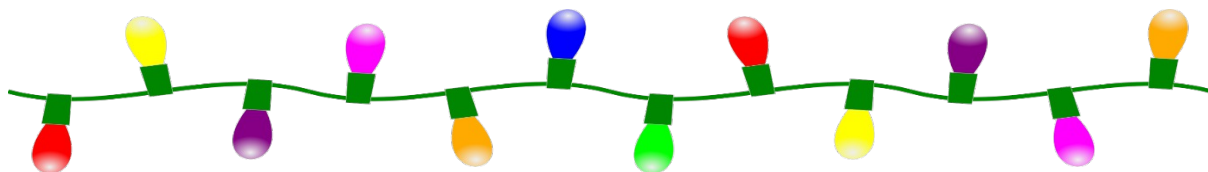


What's on in November

- 5th Nov. Christmas Fair- see below
- 6th Nov Church Lunch
- 13th Nov. Remembrance Sunday (a recording of this service will not be available)
- 25th Nov. Lights Night
- 27th Nov. Advent Sunday- Advent Carol Service at St. Nicholas 5 p.m.

Christmas Fair!

On 5th November we will be having a sale from 9a.m.-1p.m.. There will be a tombola, cake stall, table top sales etc. and the kitchen will be serving some lovely refreshments. Do support this if you can.



Lights night

The church will be open for anyone to come in, get warm, enjoy some quiet music and a hot drink. Outside we hope to have a fire for toasting marshmallows, giving us the opportunity to chat to those out celebrating the lights switch on.

Can you help??

Can you bake, make soup, chat to people, wash up, or just be an extra pair of hands?

Our November events depend on the generous help of the wider church.

To help with the Christmas Fair, please speak to Val.

To help with Church lunch, please speak to Ann Jordan or Marion.

To help with Lights night, please speak to Steve or Margaret

Shoeboxes- please bring to church on 20th November



I have been told that most of our boxes from the UK will be going to Ukraine. So, I feel we really need to make an effort this year. I can accept donations of goods or finance any time now. The usual things are allowed, something warm, something to wash with, writing supplies.

Thank you, Kathy

There's more to church than just Sundays

These are a few things you may like to try, recommend to others and pray for...
All take place in the church hall.

Faith and fellowship

This group continues to meet on **Tuesday afternoons**, and newcomers are always welcome. Please speak to Val or Ann Bosworth for more details.



Bible Book Club



For November we will be reading 1 John, 2 John and 3 John. (These are fairly short letters so we decided to read them together). We always meet on the **last Wednesday of the month** which will be **November 30th** at 2pm and 7pm in the hall.

Coffee Morning

A chance to meet up and chat over coffee (or tea!). **every Thursday** 10am-12 noon.



Pilots

For young people between the ages of 6 and 18. Meet in term time on **Friday evenings** 6pm-7.30pm.

Christianity Explored

The **Saturday morning** Christianity Explored get togethers are a chance to reflect back on the previous Sunday service. We meet at 10a.m. in the hall.



Breaking News!

Thanks to the generous legacy left to the church by Margaret and Ken Hopkins, we have been able to purchase some new musical instruments, including a new key board: -



We are also now equipped with a new keyboard, speaker and microphones to use
in the hall.

Thanks to Ilena, Joan, Pauline and Mike for sourcing these and our grateful thanks
to Margaret and Ken for making all this possible.