



Carpet Fund

Taking into account the future benefit of Gift Aid, our target of £3,500 has now been achieved.



HOWEVER

The actual amount raised so far is **£3,009** (and the Gift Aid on that amounts to **£638**). The latter won't be received for many months but, subject to dealing satisfactorily with the leaks in the church, work has been scheduled for the last week of the school summer term. Wouldn't it be great if we could pay for the carpet without the future benefit of Gift Aid? The carpet fund will remain open, so let's try and reach the £3,500 target without Gift Aid!



Christian Aid

The total collected at the Coffee Morning/Sale was £166.95.
Thank you to all who bought/sold and/or donated.

United Services

For the time being, the first Sunday evening United Services will no longer take place. Special shared services will however continue to be held on a quarterly basis.



Noah's Holiday Club

Monday 20th to Friday 24th August

Please make a note of the dates!

Detailed preparations have begun and we need materials for craftwork. We've already mentioned hard plastic milk container lids for craft - please do carry on saving them!

Now, could you also please start collecting small plastic individual water bottles, and ½ dozen cardboard egg boxes (no eggs!).

Please note that any notices required to appear in the next News Sheet should be forwarded to Lesley Batts by 7pm on Thursdays.

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2018 Goffs Oak Methodist Church Celebrating 150 years



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News sheet

Pentecost

Sunday 20th May 2018

We do hope you enjoy your time with us today

Look out for details of all the events taking place over the coming months, leading up to our anniversary in October 2018



Circuit Prayers

This Sunday we are asked to pray for all those who attend Southgate Methodist Church in our Circuit.

Week commencing...

Sunday 20th		Pentecost
May	10.15am	Service with Rev. Dr. Kathleen Richardson, OBE The Sunday Club
	5.30pm	Afternoon Tea, followed by...
	6.30pm	Summer Songs of Praise Service , shared with St. James's Church, and held here, with Rev. Alan Combes
Monday 21st	6.30pm	Beavers in the Scout HQ
	7.30pm	Bible Study meeting in the Church Meeting Room.
Tuesday 22nd	10.00am to 12	Weekly Open Church Coffee Morning. Do drop in for a chat and refreshments. All are welcome.
	6.45pm	Cub Scouts in the Scout HQ
	7.00pm	Holiday Club Meeting at the Church. Anyone interested in helping, in any way, is most welcome
Wednesday 23rd	7.30pm	Scouts' meeting in the Scout HQ
Thursday 24th	6.00pm	Brownies
	7.30pm	Guides
Friday 25th	6.30pm	Rainbows
Sunday 27th	10.15am	Service with Mr Len Ward
May		The Sunday Club
		There is no service this evening

The Sunday Club is for children aged 3 and over. Younger children are most welcome to spend time in the left hand bay at the front of the Church, where there are toys and colouring books.

Please join us for a cup of tea or coffee after morning service



Second Sunday

As part of our 150th anniversary celebrations, each 'Second Sunday' there will be a special guest preacher. On Sunday 10th June we will welcome **Rev. David Faulkner**.

Tuesday 5th	11.30am	Coffee Morning Communion , with Rev. Alan Combes
June	7.30pm	Circuit Meeting at Grange Park Methodist Church
Saturday 23rd	10am to 3pm	All Stewards Training Day on the theme of
June	at Edmonton	'Stewardship in the Present Age'

STOP PRESS

We have just agreed a provisional date for the Noel and Tricia Richards Concert!
Please reserve **Saturday 13th October** in your diaries.
Further details will be published in due course...

Please see overleaf for Notices >>>>>

Prayer List

On the table in the Church vestibule there is a list where you can write your prayer requests, which will then be prayed for during the Sunday services. Alternatively, ring Barbara Hall (01707 872472) for inclusion in the prayer chain.