

 **2018**  
Goffs Oak Methodist Church  
Celebrating 150 years

An Evening with  
Noel & Tricia Richards



*An intimate acoustic concert, featuring songs and conversation about love, life and faith, from the writers of "All Heaven Declares", "By Your side", "You laid aside Your Majesty" and many more...*

**Saturday 13th October 2018 at 7.30pm**  
at Goffs Oak Methodist Church  
(doors open 7.00pm)

(Disabled parking only at the church, free parking  
available at the Village Car Park)

**Tickets £10**

email: [treasurer@goffsoakmethodistchurch.org.uk](mailto:treasurer@goffsoakmethodistchurch.org.uk)  
or call David Batts on 07515 006040

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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**News sheet**

**Sunday 23rd September**

**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  
Bush Hill Park Methodist Church in our Circuit.

#### Week commencing...

Sunday 23rd	10.15am	<b>Harvest Festival Service</b> , and we welcome Tony Miller from the Whitechapel Mission
September	3.00pm	<b>Scouts 60th Anniversary Service</b> , with Rev. Alan Combes
Monday 24th	6.30pm	Beavers in the Scout HQ
	7.30pm	First of five <b>Bible Studies</b> in the meeting room
Tuesday 25th	10.00am to 12	Weekly Open Church Coffee Morning. Do drop in for a chat and refreshments. All are welcome.
	11.30am	<b>Coffee Morning Communion</b>
	6.45pm	Cub Scouts in the Scout HQ
Wednesday 26th	7.30pm	Scouts' meeting in the Scout HQ
Thursday 27th	6.00pm	Brownies
	7.30pm	Guides
Friday 28th	6.30pm	Rainbows
Sunday 30th	10.15am	<b>Service</b> with Mr Len Ward (Holy Habits 2) The Sunday Club
		There is no service this evening

#### Noel and Tricia Richards concert (see back page)

Tickets are going fast - so don't delay, get yours from David NOW.  
And tell your friends/neighbours to call him as soon as possible.

*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**



#### Mandatory Safeguarding Training

Please read the notice on the noticeboard,  
it is really important for pretty much everyone!  
And then sign up for one of the course dates...

#### October

Saturday 13th 7.30pm  
Wednesday 17th 12.30pm

#### Noel and Tricia Richards Concert

**Monthly mid-week lunch** at St. James's Church.  
Menu: Soup, filled roll, dessert, tea or coffee - £3.50p.

Saturday 20th 7.00pm  
Sunday 21st 10.15am

#### "An evening of Memories" with buffet

**Anniversary Service**, with Rev. Donald Sampson  
followed by **Anniversary Lunch**

3.00pm  
4.00pm

#### Anniversary Tea

followed by **Anniversary Service**, with Rev. Dr Martyn Atkins

Sunday 28th 10.15am

#### World Church Sunday

with Dr Paul Dakin

#### November

Sunday 11th 10.00am  
10.50am

#### Remembrance service

**Parade** to the War Memorial for 11.00am

Saturday 17th 2.00 - 5.00pm

#### Community Open Afternoon

Sunday 25th 10.15am

#### Gift Service

#### December

Sunday 2nd 4.00pm

#### Shared Advent Carol Service, at St. James's Church.

**Sunday 16th 2.00pm**

#### Children's Christmas Party

**Revised date!! 4.30pm**

#### Nativity Service

Tuesday 18th 7.00pm

#### Carols by Torchlight

#### Christmas Day Family Service with Rev. Alan Combes

Tuesday 25th 9.30am

#### Acorns Anniversary Edition

We need Anniversary contributions!

Please do let Bryan have details of anything that means something to you personally.

For example, first impressions, particular memories, events that took place,  
perhaps also things for which you would wish to give thanks.

#### 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.