



# The Methodist Church

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Easingwold Methodist Church is a Christ-centred community who seek to know and love Him and to make Him known to all. Our Calling is to **Worship** the One God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit: to **grow and develop** as his disciples and to **serve** Him in the local Community and wider world.

Senior Steward &

First Point of Contact: Jocelyn Pearson 07510 670 570

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## EXPLORERS' PRAYER

Dear Father God - guide us in our worship,  
help us in our learning, bless us in our daily lives,  
in Jesus' name, Amen

**WEEK BEGINNING SUNDAY 30<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2024**

### Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June

10.30am Own arrangements: 'Who we are & where we are'  
led by ourselves

Stewards: Tom Hardie-Forsyth & Robert Farmer

### Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> July

10.30am Circuit Service at Acomb Methodist Church  
No service at Easingwold. A list for lifts is on the  
notice board

The service will also be livestreamed via the Circuit Youtube channel, starting at 10.15am. You can watch from home at <https://youtube.com/live/Nmj0wNwNjOY?feature=share>

## Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July

**Trip to Ampleforth Abbey** arranged by the social committee

11.00am Meet at church to organise lifts. On arrival meet up in the car park by the café and visitors centre.

There is the opportunity to go for a 3 mile walk around the wonderful grounds – or a wander around the Abbey.

1.00pm Short (15min) service in the abbey. If anyone would like to attend you need to be in the abbey at 12.50pm

Afterwards we all meet at the new café for lunch.

There is a tick list in the hall if you would like a lift or can offer a lift.

*Ann & Maggie*

## Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup>

2:00pm - 3:30pm Pastoral Committee in Lounge

## Thursday 4<sup>th</sup>

**GENERAL ELECTION - Church Building Closed All Day**

## Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July

9:00am - 9.30am Prayer meeting in Vestry

## Other things happening this week

Monday	11:00 am - 12:30 pm	Singing for All	Lounge
Tuesday	1:30 pm - 2:45 pm	Charity Meeting	Vestry
	7:30 pm - 8:30 pm	Easingwold Singers	Hall
Wednesday	6:00 pm - 7:30 pm	Brownies	Hall
	7:30 pm - 9:00 pm	Guides	Lounge
Friday	10:30 am - 11:45 am	Charity Meeting	Vestry

## Auditor for Church Accounts

In mid-September we need an independent auditor for the church accounts. Our previous contact is no longer able to do this for us. If you know someone who is suitably qualified and able to do this we would be very grateful. This is a Methodist Church requirement.

Please contact a member of the Treasurer's team. Thank you

## **Circuit Service - 7<sup>th</sup> July**

There will be a service at Acomb to say goodbye to Andy Lindley, who is moving circuit this summer, and Louisa Taylor, who is going to train for ordained ministry. We hope lots of people will join us there.

If possible, please can you plan to park in the Morrisons car park at Acomb or elsewhere nearby, so that those who most need to park close to the church can have space in the church car park?

## **Together Constantly in Prayer**

Calm us, Lord, as you calmed the storm;

Still us, Lord, keep us from harm.

Let all the tumult within us cease,

enfold us, Lord, in your peace. (Methodists on-line quote)

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Holy God, teach us how to leave our worries with you  
and not to keep carrying them ourselves.

They get too heavy Lord!

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The charity Shelter has reported an increase in rough sleepers of 120% since 2010.

We pray for those with no place to call home: those who live and sometimes die on the streets of the towns and cities where we go to do our shopping.

Help us to support the many organisations that work with the homeless.

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Three principles of prayer:

1. Keep it honest
2. Keep it simple
3. Keep it going

## **Notices for week beginning 7<sup>th</sup> July 2024**

Please contact Carolyn on 01347 822787 or

e-mail [carolyn.hardie@gmail.com](mailto:carolyn.hardie@gmail.com) by 11.00am on Friday.

