



Beeston **Methodist** Church

Sunday Services

Sunday 10 May

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Acts 17 ²²⁻³¹

Zechariah 8 ¹⁻¹³

1 Peter 3 ¹³⁻²²

Revelation 21 ²²⁻²² ⁵

John 14 ¹⁵⁻²¹

John 21 ¹⁻¹⁴

10.30am Morning Worship with the
British Methodist Choral Society
2pm Nottingham Korean Church

Rev Jason McMahon-Riley
Rev Joseph Kil

Sunday 17 May

Seventh Sunday of Easter

Acts 1 ⁶⁻¹⁴

2 Samuel 23 ¹⁻⁵

1 Peter 4 ¹²⁻¹⁴ ⁵ ⁶⁻¹¹

Ephesians 1 ¹⁵⁻²³

John 17 ¹⁻¹¹

Mark 16 ¹⁴⁻²⁰

10.30am Morning Worship
2pm Nottingham Korean Church
6.30pm Evening Worship

Andrew Davies
Rev Joseph Kil
Rev Tony Malcolm

The Zoom Link to the BMC Sunday service is:

<https://zoom.us/j/99137116392?pwd=ZFO2UVEyZ2g5Vk1aRmVCSG9iZURqdz09>

Meeting ID: 991 3711 6392 **Passcode:** 955943

Beeston Methodist Church welcomes the Nottingham Korean Church
who use its premises each week.

Beeston Methodist Church Registered Charity No. 1129035.

Minister

Rev Andrew Checkley can be contacted on Tel: 07458 002303
Email: revachekley@btinternet.com Andrew's day off is Saturday.

Beeston Methodist Church diary for the coming week

Sunday 10 May

10.30am

Junior Church.

Monday 11 May

9.30am to 11.15am

Little Acorns Parent and Toddler Group in the Hall.

2pm to 4pm

Monday Housegroup at the home of Steve Ames, to look at the calling of the disciples. For more details please contact Mary on 07958696394, or email mary.c.baxter@gmail.com.

7.30pm

Mission and Outreach Meeting in the Wesley Room.

Tuesday 12 May

9.30am to 11.15am

Little Acorns Parent and Toddler Group in the Hall.

11am

Open Space coffee and fellowship in the church.

12.15pm

Open Space Lunch in the Hall. If you would like to join us please make sure your name is on the list in the coffee bar.

Wednesday 13 May

11am to 1pm

Wholly Ground open for coffee, cakes and light lunches.

7.30pm

Property Committee Meeting in the Wesley Room.

Friday 15 May

7pm

Friday Group – gardening at church. Everyone welcome.

10 May We pray for the Jerusalem Princess Basma Centre's satellite unit in Gaza City. The clinic provides rehabilitation services for children with disabilities. Many of their patients are those who suffered life-changing injuries in the recent conflict. To tackle the psychological trauma many children suffered, the clinic now offers play therapy as part of their treatment.





Today's flowers are given in loving memory of Jane Wright by her husband Chris and daughter Samantha.

Heartfelt thanks to you all for your love and support following the recent death of my mother, reunited with my father who died only four months ago. Paula Dawson.

New church chairs will be delivered next week. We are selling the wooden chairs now in church. If you would like one, or more, please let Colin Firbank know. There is a choice of 50 light green, 22 royal blue, 4 light blue and 1 red. The cost per chair is £20. The chairs are currently listed on ebay. Thank you.

Church Newsletter As I will need to complete the June newsletter earlier than normal, please could you send any contributions in by **today** 10 May, rather than the usual 16th of the month. Please email contributions to newsletter@beestonmethodist.church Mark Ramsey.

Tuesday 19 May Churches Walking Group long walk. A 6.5-mile circular walk on the Welbeck estate and Cresswell Craggs. Meet at the Courtyard at Welbeck, S80 3LW (what three words /// fancied.scrapped.quintet) by 10.30am prompt. The walk is mainly on good paths but stout footwear is recommended. For more information please contact Martin Weir (walk leader) Tel: 0115 925 9006 It is our normal practice to give £1 to the walk leader.

It's Christian Aid week this week, 10th to 16th May, and we have some envelopes in the coffee bar for those who would like to support the amazing work Christian Aid do, all around the world through their local partners. This year the focus is on informal settlements in Nairobi, who are given tools and seeds, to grow a future for their families. Your gift makes a big difference to so many people. If you can gift-aid then please do.



There will be a collection plate out for the Christian Aid envelopes this Sunday and next. If you'd prefer to give online, we have an e-envelope, QR code. Mary Baxter.

Tombola Stall Glenda will be running a tombola stall during the coffee morning on Saturday 30 May and at the Garden Trail (13 and 14 June). If you have any suitable items for a tombola, please could you leave them in the office or give them to Glenda. Again, all proceeds are for BMC Mission Possible 2. Glenda Taylor.

BMC Garden Trail This year BMC will be taking part in the Garden Trail again on Saturday and Sunday, the 13 and 14 June, between 1pm and 6pm. We will be inviting people to come and look at the gardens and the new interior of the church and to offer light refreshments. Please let Andy and Glenda Taylor know if you can help with this on either day. If you are able to bake a cake so that people can buy a piece to go with their tea, coffee or squash, that would be wonderful. Again, please let Andy or Glenda

Taylor know. All proceeds will be for BMC Mission Possible 2. Andy and Glenda Taylor.

Redevelopment Celebration - plans are progressing well for our redevelopment celebration on Saturday 20 June. Thank you to those who have offered to be involved - we still need more help, and in particular someone to co-ordinate the planned exhibition of church life in the morning. Also someone to co-ordinate invitations to guests. If you think you can help and would like to know more, please speak to me or Fiona Fyfe. Martin Weir.

Moving chairs again: The new church chairs will be delivered this coming week and volunteers will be needed to move out the old chairs and then

unload and set out the new chairs. We don't as yet have a delivery date but when we do I will endeavour to notify as many people as I can. Steve Ames.

Volunteers needed Can you help? Mel Taylor is no longer able to put the BMC morning service onto our You Tube Channel. Is this something you feel you could do? Training is available as needed. Please speak to Paul Gayton, Glenda Taylor, or another of the stewards. Glenda Taylor.

Church Charity 2025–2026

In aid of

Stroke
Association



Esme's Umbrella
FOR EXTREMELY RARE TYPES FOR THE CAREER ASSISTANCE OF
Charles Bonnet Syndrome

The total raised by 5 May was £9434.85

ebay	£3762.03	Money Jars	£102.06
Other items	£396.90	Recycled books and Cds	£224.45
Coffee Mornings	£1119.20	Coffee Bar	£824.80
Donations	£1843.41	Wishing Well	£1162.00

Contributions in the last two months include £1570 from ebay sales, £562 in donations, £185 from the Wishing Well and £240 from the March and April Coffee Mornings. Colin Firbank.

Thanks to everyone who supports the BMC Coffee Mornings.

They are held on the second and last Saturdays of the month from 10am to 11.30am.

Wholly Ground is open on Wednesdays 11am to 1pm.

Contact the administrator 0115 9431164 office@beestonmethodist.church.

The **deadline** for the next notices is **12 noon** Wednesday 13 May.

The **deadline** for the next Newsletter is 10 May.