## **FORTHCOMING ROTAS**

25th June	Revd Martin Ramsden - Church Anniversary
Steward	Victoria Harris
Door Steward	Sylvia and Vic Bowmer
Musician	Nick Wills
Reader	Judi Breckon
Property	Chris Frank
2nd July	Revd Martin Ramsden All age, Holy Communion, Baptism, Confirmation and Membership Please note there is <i>no early Holy Communion</i> on 2nd July.
9th July	Ms Carolyn Oliver
16th July	Mr Keith Robinson

PLEASE NOTE There will be no Newsheet on 25th June.

### **ROOM BOOKINGS**

Please note all booking and letting enquires Email: *bookings@yarmmethodistchurch.org.uk* David Peckett 07837 567618

## **CHURCH BUILDING SAFETY**

Please note that *all internal* doors must be closed when leaving the building to comply with fire regulations.

#### YARM METHODIST CHURCH WEBSITE www.yarmmethodistchurch.co.uk

Please email any new notices to: notices.yarmmethodist@yahoo.com or ring and leave a message on 07801549931 by 6pm on Thursday evening. Thanks, June.



Sunday 18th July 2023 Revd John Howard-Noman We'll praise him for all that is past ...





# **Church Anniversary**

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...and trust him for all that's to come.

Revd Martin Ramsden

Sunday 25th June

Minister Revd Dr Martin Ramsden 07483863502 martin.ramsden@icloud.com

# **CHURCH FAMILY NEWS**

Rev Eric and Eileen Mason, Ruth and John Dunn would like to thank the whole church for their support, care and prayers over the last 2 years as their son and Ruth's brother, faced his terminal cancer.

The last 4 weeks as he faced end of life care were particularly tough, yet the support we all received from our church family gave us strength and peace. John finally died on Thursday 25th May a very sad day.

Five days later on a lighter note John's and Ruth's daughter Naomi and her husband Josh increased our family by having a baby boy; Benjamin John. His middle name after his great uncle John.

We have had our lowest point and highest point in life within a week. And so the circle of life continues.

Once again many thanks for all support shown.

Eric, Eileen, Ruth and John.

Please continue to remember the Mason Family in your prayers.

We have also heard with sadness that Irene Garforth, a Church Member, died earlier this week. Funeral details are not yet available, but will be announced.

Please remember Irene's daughter, Linda Hills, and all her family in your prayers.

# **CHURCH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

This meeting will be held in church on Wednesday 21st June at7.30pm.Please do your best to attend as we receive reports of the Church's work during the past year and look to the future of our Church life.

If you have an item to be considered under 'Any other business' at either the General Meeting or the Church Council the following week, this should be submitted to either the Minister or Dyala prior to the meeting.

*Tuesday House Group* will meet on 20th June at the home of Sheila Hargreaves at 7.30pm. All are welcome.

Bowls Club will not meet again until 27th June.

# SUNDAY MORNING COFFEE MAKING ROTA

25th JuneCarolyn Goodall and Ena McCabe2nd JulyAnne Blandford and Sheila Hargreaves

## OCTABOXES

The current Church Project for DKMS comes to an end at the end of August. We are asking for the Octabox collection boxes to be returned for emptying before the end of July. Please contact John Dunn to arrange the return of your box. We are very grateful for the marvellous total of over £3,000 so far for the Project.

## **URGENT NEED FOR FIRE STEWARDS**

We all hope we never have a fire at Yarm Methodist church, but we do need an efficient Fire Evacuation procedure in place. To ensure we can quickly evacuate everyone from our church we need three people to take responsibility: the Vestry Steward, the Property Steward, and a Fire Steward. We urgently need more Fire Stewards but remember no fire: no work!

PLEASE CONSIDER VOLUNTEERING. See Paul Toplis (07710068302)

# FAITH LUNCH

On July 2nd there will be a **Faith Lunch** after worship. If you are able to contribute to the meal, there is a sign up sheet on the noticeboard.



# **CIRCUIT BIKE TOUR**

Rev Vincent, Mark Hall, Les Gilburt and friends are touring all the Circuit Churches by bike on Saturday 1st July, leaving North Billingham at 9.30am and finishing at Carlton at 2pm. They will sing and pray at each church and are due to be at Yarm at 11.10am. They are fundraising for the Matthew Rusike Childrens' Home in Zimbabwe. Sponsorship Wecome!

# **OPEN GARDENS**

The gardens in Crathorne will be open on Sunday 25th June from 2pm - 5.30pm Tickets £5 and children free.7 gardens to visit. Teas in the reading room. Cake stall. Raffle. Plant stall and the church will be open.

In aid of All Saints Church, Crathorne.

# SATURDAY COFFEE MORNINGS

24th June Glenda and Michael Salmon

1st July Teesside Dementia Support Link - if you need help in this area, contact Mark or Gail on 07722 590610