

27 October 2024



Royal Wootton Bassett Methodist Church

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Minister - Rev. Shirlyn Toppin - Tel 01793 853197

Lectionary - Job 42:1-6, 10-17 - 'Job is Blessed';
Psalm 34:1-8 (19-22) - 'Of David, when he pretended to be insane before Abimelech,
who drove him away, and he left';
Hebrews 7:23-28 - 'Jesus Like Melchizedek';
Mark 10:46-52 - 'Blind Bartimaeus Receives His Sight'.

Prayer Rota - Swindon Road in RWB; Upper Thames Circuit; Northampton District;
Finland Finnish United Methodist Church.

Please pray for the week's activities and those taking part:

Tuesday 29 October	10.00am - Tuesday Morning Pop-In & Light Lunch.
Thursday 31 October	4.30pm - 6.00pm - Light Party! - see below for details.
Friday 1 November	NO Puddleducks - half-term break.
Sunday 3 November	10.30am - Worship Service, led by Philip Bunce.

Flowers - this week the flowers have been arranged by Judith Crimp, having swapped with Sue Comlay and Margaret Skuse. If you know of anyone who might benefit from our flowers, please inform either Judith or a Steward. This may be due to illness, a bereavement or maybe having something to celebrate. *Mary*

The post of **Church Treasurer** will be vacant **at the end of October**. This is a position that **urgently** needs to be filled. It may well be that several people could together cover this role in servicing our church. If you feel you may have the desired skills to help in any way with filling this position, please speak to a steward.

Light Party! For Primary School Children & Grown Ups, at St. Bart's Church Hall in RWB.
Thursday 31 October, 4.30pm - 6.00pm. Fun Activities & Hotdogs. Wear Your Brightest Colours!
Booking Only - Call 01793 853272. Donations welcome. (Organised by RWBMC & St. Bart's Church).
Come and join in the fun! *The Messy Team*

Rota deadline - if you volunteer for any of the Church rotas, **please let Sandra Dyer know the dates that you are unavailable by Sunday 3 November at the latest.** Please note the email address to be used is: rotas@rwbmc.co.uk. If anyone is interested in becoming a new volunteer, please speak to one of the stewards. Many thanks for all your support. *Sandra*

Please be alert to the existence of scam emails - the emails will pretend to come from someone you know who says they need your assistance, but if you look at the **email address** rather than the person's name, it will be different to their usual address. The English or grammar might also be poor. Be vigilant! *Stewards*

Premier Lifeline is a confidential telephone helpline offering emotional and spiritual support from a Christian perspective along with a listening ear and prayer.

Do you have what it takes to be a volunteer with **Premier Lifeline**? If so, please read the notice on the board in Hillside Hall, where you will find all the information you need to further your enquiry. *Gillian*

Hope for Prospect Music Fest - Friday 15 November - see flyers in church for further details. *Rosemary*

If you have an item, please contact Mary on notices@rwbmc.co.uk by the preceding Tuesday evening.