



WELCOME

SUNDAY 3rd December 2017

DETAILS OF WORSHIP

Welcome, Notices & Lighting of Peace Candle (Duty Trustee)

Call to Worship

Hymn 171 (StF): Hark the glad sound! The Saviour comes

Prayer of Praise, Confession & Assurance of Pardon

Prayer of Thanksgiving & The Lord's Prayer

Advent Wreath: 165 (StF) Verse 1

Family Time: "Getting in shape!"

Hymn (Sheet): Jesus, you are changing me,
By Your Spirit You're making me like You.
Jesus, You're transforming me,
That Your loveliness may be seen in all I do.
You are the potter and I am the clay,
Help me to be willing
To let You have Your way.
Jesus, You are changing me,
As I let you reign supreme within my heart.

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Children and young people leave for their activities

Bible Reading: Isaiah 64 v 1-9 (page 752)

Hymn 169 (StF): Come, thou long expected Jesus

Bible Reading: Mark 13 v 24-37 (page 1019)

Message: "Are you ready?"

Hymn 177 (StF): Lo, he comes with clouds descending

Collection & Dedication of the Offertory

Prayers of Intercession

Hymn 172 (StF): Hills of the north, rejoice

Benediction

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### **TODAY: 10:30am Morning Worship**

Worship Leader: Adam Earle  
Musician: Norman Wood  
Welcomers: Doug Scott(door) Sylvia Scott(inside)  
Duty Trustee: John Harriyott  
Readers: James Walton & Sheila Warner

### **NEXT SUNDAY: 10:30am Morning Worship**

Worship Leader: Rev Amanda Roper  
Musician: Derek Thorogood  
Welcomers: Clare Warren (door) Wendy Twigg (inside)  
Duty Trustee: John Lane  
Readers: Norman Wood & Kathy Weller

***Thank you to ...***

Peter Smith for providing the flowers in memory of his wife Gina.  
Sylvia Scott for providing today's refreshments.

# Announcements

**REQUESTS FOR PRAYERS** In the main entrance to Cornerstone you will find a prayer sheet. If you wish to have a prayer included in the service for someone you know who is in need, please indicate this on the sheet. This will be handed to the preacher before the service.

**BIBLE STUDY GROUP** The Group will meet for Advent studies at 2pm on Tuesday 12th December at Cornerstone. All are welcome.

## **HOLY CROSS FESTIVAL OF CHRISTMAS TREES 2017**

Cornerstone will have a tree in this festival, so do please go and see it. Our 'Cornerstone' Tree will celebrate the coming together of Methodist and URC congregations in Uckfield.



The remaining opening times of the Festival is:

**Sunday 3rd December 11:30am-4pm**

## **SCHOOL CHRISTMAS ACTIVITY DAYS**

**Tuesday 5th and Wednesday 6th December**

We will be sharing the Christmas story with children between the ages of 4 and 8 from Harlands School and Rocks Park School. If you feel that you could help with this event, please have a word with Amanda, Clare, Doug or Norman.

## **HAVE YOU ANY COMMENTS ABOUT CORNERSTONE?**

If you have any comments or concerns about how you feel our new church is developing, please do tell one of the trustees.

## **CHURCHES IN UCKFIELD CAROL SINGING**

Please join in if you can:

- Monday 4th 7.00pm Carol singing at Shaftesbury Court
- Wednesday 6th 6.00pm Carol singing at Thornbury
- Friday 8th 7.00pm Carol singing at Portman Court

## **CORNERSTONE NEW YEAR'S PARTY**

Saturday 13th January:

Please note this in you 2018 diary.

More details to follow.



**FOODBANK DONATIONS** If you are able to donate any items for the Uckfield Foodbank please place them in the box provided in the entrance porch. At present urgently required items include: Sponge pudding, custard, rice pudding, tinned potatoes, instant potato, snack bars, biscuits & jam. Please **do not donate alcohol** or anything containing alcohol - check labels.



## **WHAT JOB CAN YOU DO FOR CORNERSTONE?**

If you have not already done so, please do volunteer for one or more of the jobs that were mentioned at the recent Church Meeting. Please tell one of the trustees.