



# notice sheet...

#### Sunday 28th April, 10:30am - Melanie Greenall - United Service Sunday 5th May, 10:30am - Stephen Hitchcock

Tea and coffee are served after morning worship. Please join us in further fellowship. There is a crèche for children under 3, and Sunday Club for primary aged children.

#### To contact our Minister

Please email Melanie Greenall on; revmelanie.methodist@qmail.com or call; 01539 720513.

#### Church Room Bookings

All enquiries to Helen Ainsworth.

sandylandschurchbookings@gmail.com

Helen will try to respond within 3 working days.

#### Something for the Notices or Facebook?

If you'd like something including, email; sandylandsnotices@gmail.com
Please send before 6pm Thursday.

#### 4Cs COFFEE MORNING - MAGNIFICENT PLANT SALE

Saturday 25th May, 10am - Noon

The next 4Cs coffee morning will be our Plant Sale.

We will have hundreds of plants for you to buy so save the date!

We will be supporting Toilet Twinning - community projects to help families to build their own basic toilet and give them access to clean water. Wouldn't it be brilliant to provide 10 or more toilets?

#### PENTECOST PRAISE

Sunday 19th May, 3 - 5:30pm

There is a Pentecost Praise event for primary age children, organised by the circuit.

We need some adults to run craft activities from 3:30 - 4:30 pm.

Please speak to Karen Bell if you can help, or would like more information. Many thanks in anticipation

#### CHRISTIAN AID - DATES FOR DIARIES

#### Christian Aid Big Breakfast: Saturday 11th May, 9.30 - 11.30am.

Come and enjoy a delicious breakfast and help raise funds for this year's appeal for Burundi.

#### Christian Aid Concert: Friday 31st May, 7.30pm

Two local community choirs (The FELLas and Hutton Harmonies) are coming together to provide us with an exciting evening of popular and gospel music with all proceeds to Christian Aid.

Tickets will be £10 for adults and £5 for children, on the door, and will include tea/ coffee and cake during the interval.

Also, why not challenge yourself to do '70K in May' – a new way to raise funds for Christian Aid through sponsorship, but tailoring an activity to suit your own interests – whether that's sport, walking, reading or playing scrabble!

Here's the link the find out more

So, lots of exciting opportunities coming up.

www.christianaid.org.uk/appeals/key-appeals/christian-aid-week

Please save the dates, and if you'd like to help with either of the events on the day, or with baking, please have a chat with Anne Whitcombe, Jen Mellor, or Barbara Hitchcock.

#### FRIDAY LUNCHTIME ORGAN CONCERTS

April - July, 12:30pm - 1:15pm

19th April - Rebekah Okpoti, Lancaster Priory

**3rd May -** Charles Edmondson, Kendal

17th May - Julian Hellaby, Concert pianist

31st May - Jonathan Bielby, ex Wakefield Cathedral

**14th June** - Andy Plowman with Geoffrey Field & Emily Robinson (soprano)

**28th June -** David Price, Thailand

12th July - Ian Pattinson, Lancaster Priory

Admission free. Retiring collection. Proceeds to Organ Restoration Fund



### SO THAT KENDAL MAY BELIEVE

#### ALL CHURCH PRAYER GATHERING

4TH MONDAY OF EACH MONTH 7:00 PM

THE SHAKESPEARE CENTRE, YARD 76. HIGHBATE, KENDAL, LAS 4HE

CONTACT: ABAM
JOHN17KENDAL@GMAIL.COM

#### METHODISTS TOGETHER IN KENDAL

Deadline - 19th May

It's that time again - 4 weeks today (19th May) is the deadline for items for the June edition of Methodists together in Kendal.

Bear in mind that this will cover June, July and August, so anything you have planned in that time, whether it is a church event or something outside, please let me know.

Also anything that has happened in March and April (Easter?) or May, a report back would be good.

If you have anything amusing or serious that you'd like to share, please email me at;

MtiKnewsletter@gmail.com (preferred), send to 4 Queens Place, Kendal LA94PJ, or put into the "N" or "T" pigeon hole at Stricklandgate

Thank you

Elaine

# Charity Concert

In aid of



Sunday 5th May

at 2pm



in St. Mary's Church,



## Windermere, LA23 1BA

A choir from Shrewsbury are visiting the area and have teamed up with Burneside Brass, to provide an afternoon of top class musical entertainment, with something for everyone! For more information visit www.burnesidebrass.co.uk and www.ofoneaccord.co.uk







Donations at the door to support this amazing local charity







# Certificate of Appreciation Awarded to: Sandylands Methodist Church

Thank you for holding an afternoon tea in support of New Hope Academy, Sierra Leone

Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did it for me.

Matthew 25:4

Charity Registration Number: 1086597

Rev. Bernard Cocker CEO & Founder, April 2024

Dear friends at Sandylands Methodist Church,

Thankyou very much for hidding an afternoon tea and raising a wonderful £652.20 towards our New Hope Academy Secondary School in Sum Leone.

Your generosity means that young people will be able to stay in school and complete their education in a caring (histian environment until they are eightler years old.

Thankyou again inth every blessing from all at International Aid Trust