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There are many different ways we can offer worship, give thanks, praise; and encourage one another and the wider community in prayer and service. Please continue to pray for, and support each other in any way you can; remembering to stay safe. The church is a body of people - a living church in every sense.



Jesus Walks on Water

Immediately after this, Jesus insisted that his disciples get back into the boat and cross to the other side of the lake, while he sent the people home. After sending them home, he went up into the hills by himself to pray. Night fell while he was there alone.

Meanwhile, the disciples were in trouble far away from land, for a strong wind had risen, and they were fighting heavy waves. About three o'clock in the morning Jesus came toward them, walking on the water. When the disciples saw him walking on the water, they were terrified. In their fear, they cried out, "It's a ghost!"

But Jesus spoke to them at once. "Don't be afraid," he said. "Take courage. I am here!"

Then Peter called to him, "Lord, if it's really you, tell me to come to you, walking on the water." "Yes, come," Jesus said.

So Peter went over the side of the boat and walked on the water toward Jesus. But when he saw the strong wind and the waves, he was terrified and began to sink. "Save me, Lord!" he shouted.

Jesus immediately reached out and grabbed him. "You have so little faith," Jesus said. "Why did you doubt me?"

When they climbed back into the boat, the wind stopped. Then the disciples worshiped him. "You really are the Son of God!" they exclaimed.

Matthew 14:22-33

This week:

Sunday 9th: 10 am Morning Worship including Holy Communion led by Rev Janet Jackson



10.30 am Online Worship from Gt Ayton Local Arrangement

2 pm Final Service at Easby Chapel led by Rev Janet Jackson

Steward/Projection: Clare Communion Steward: Sue/Clare Flowers: Babs

Monday 10th: 10 am - 12 noon The Chapel Hub and servery is open to all



2 pm - 4 pm The Chapel Hub and servery is open to all

2 pm Computer Friends in The Chapel Hub

Tuesday 11th: 10 am - 12 noon The Chapel Hub and servery is open to all



10 am - 12 noon Knitting Together in the Schoolroom

2 - 3 pm Learn to play the Ukulele - beginner lessons - no need to book

Wednesday 12th: 10 am - 12 noon The Chapel Hub and servery is open to all

Thursday 13th: 10 am - 12 noon The Chapel Hub and servery is open to all



12.30 - 1 pm Informal Prayer Time in The Chapel Hub - all are welcome

1.30 - 4 pm The Chapel Hub and servery is open to all

1.30 pm Parent pop-in a drop-in session for parents/carers and their little ones in the play corner

2 pm Story/Music Time for pre-school children in the play corner

2 - 4 pm Knitting Together in the Schoolroom.



Friday 14th: 10 am - 12 noon The Chapel Hub and servery is open to all

10 am Friday Crochet Club - open to all skill levels, come and have a go!

Saturday 15th: 10 am - 12 noon The Chapel Hub and servery is open to all

Sunday 16th: 10 am Kids in Church Service led by Christine Campy - family friendly service with a bible story and lots of activities and music.



10.30 am Online Worship from Gt Ayton led by Peter Jackson

Steward: Clare Projection: Andrew

Bible Conversations Teesside:

We are joining in with a mission initiative headed up by the Bible Society and taking place across Teesside from September. At its heart it's about sharing faith with people through conversations, initially individually, but also with an opportunity to explore the bible in small groups. We've been provided with several copies of an introduction to the bible and Jesus' story beginning with Luke and Acts to give away. We'll be sharing a bit more at the Kids Service (including a [video](#)) to give you an outline of what it's all about. As a starting point we ask you to pray for open hearts and minds and opportunities to share and talk about faith. In the meantime, please speak to Andrew, Christine, or Clare if you want to know more.

In our everyday actions, we also remember others who need our prayer....

Please pray for:

- The Bible Conversations imitative
- For our new Prime minister and cabinet, that they may seek to, and govern well
- Those in a position of power, authority and influence, that they may seek to find the way of truth, peace and love that you call for each of us to express in our daily living
- The political situation between Ukraine and Russia, that an end may be in sight
- For those seeking to use violence instead of seeking solutions through dialogue and discussion
- The troubled situation in the Holy Land, Iran, and the middle east; may peace and commonality be sought by all
- The innocent victims of war, violence and disasters in this world
- All those who put their lives on the line in order to seek refuge in a safer place
- The displaced, who long to return to what they know.
- Those affected by adverse weather, the change in climate causing devastation to homes and livelihoods, and in some cases causing loss of lives
- Workers at work, and those working from home, and for those with no work at all
- Those whose financial burdens seem to be ever increasing; stretching already tight budgets
- Those for whom the future is uncertain and looks bleak
- Those in hospital, those awaiting treatment, and those recovering at home
- Young people coping with illness
- Those for whom life is not quite what it was, finding it difficult and confusing as things change
- All those who mourn, we remember them, their families and friends in our prayers
- People we know who are ill and/or in need of support:
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- Our Ministers Andrew, Rob and Janet, our Church Leadership Team, the Church and Hub volunteers, our Community Hub Manager Sarah, the Operations Team, and our Housekeeper Wendy
- The Circuit staff and Leadership Team, and Deacon Jo who will be joining them in September
- The people and events on this Notice Sheet
- The work of this Chapel, this circuit, and our friends in Hutton Rudby Churches Together
- For new ventures within the church: that people may be comfortable in sharing their faith, and get to know Jesus in a more personal way
- The children's and young people's work in this village and Circuit
- Friends and members who, cannot meet together today

A prayer for peace:

We thank you, our Father and Mother, for teaching us the value of hope in the midst of the storms that accompany our lives. We thank you for being able to share with the poorest people the hunger and thirst for love that gives meaning to life. From our humble condition as your children, we pray that the wars will end. We beg you to perform one of your miracles of love and wisdom so that armies may be transformed into sowers of peace, justice and fraternity for their countries and for our world.

Thank you for allowing us to be resurrected everyday thanks to the water of new life of the gospel. Amen.

Félix A Posada Rojas, Director of CEPALC, Colombia
(Taken from the Methodist Church Resource Hub)

For today, tomorrow and the day after.....



The Foodbank are helping an increasing number of families through these very difficult times, and your donations of TINNED and PACKAGED food are desperately needed. Please leave them in the porch at either 6 West End, All Saints' Church, or at The Chapel Hub. You can leave them at the Spar shop too where there is a trolley ready for them on the right as you go in. As usual all donations are gratefully received.

If you are unable to help with food donations, you can also donate money directly to the Foodbank to help them help others.

To donate: middlesbrough.foodbank.org.uk/give-help/donate-money



It's important that we maintain a secure income for the work, mission and day to day running of the church - The Chapel Hub also depends on our remaining viable.

If you usually give your weekly offering by envelope or directly into the offering plate, please would you consider setting up a standing order or doing a bank transfer?

The bank details are - a/c name: [Hutton Rudby Methodist Church](#);
sort code: 55 61 02; a/c number: 07663315.

If you prefer, you can 'give' your offering in person - the offering plate will be placed at the back of the church for any free will offerings each Sunday - there are gift aid envelopes available for use too.

If you have any questions, or require help email huttonrudbymethodists@gmail.com

Something to search...



Don't forget to check out the church websites for news and links to worship resources:

Hutton Rudby Methodist Church: huttonrudbymethodists.co.uk

All Saints Anglican Church Hutton Rudby: whorltonbenefice.org.uk

You also might like to try taking a look at: engageworship.org and for some family friendly bible based fun and activities: engageworship.org/engage-at-home-daily-family-prayer-and-worship-activities

If you've got any news, or something you'd like to share please email:
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For everything else!



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www.darlingtonmethodistdistrict.org.uk



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