Lectionary Readings:

Old Testament  2 Kings 5:1-14
Psalm  30

New Testament  Galatians 6:(1-6),7-16

Today’s flowers have been kindly donated by Mr & Mrs D Esling.

Welcome to our worship. Refreshments will be served after the morning service.

Before this morning’s service hymn 724(s if you were not there, vv 1,3,4,5) and 524 (Listening God, you hear us when we cannot speak,) from Singing the Faith will be played. Please join in if you wish.

10.30 am  Preacher: Mr Evan Richardson
Steward:  Mr Ian Johnson

6.30 pm  District Farewell Service for Revd John Hellyer, Chair of the South East District since it was set up in 2006. Tea available from 4.30 pm.

Please consider using a Gift Aid envelope, which may be found in the church foyer, for any donation.

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10.30 am  Preacher: Revd Richard Cattley – Holy Communion
Steward:  Mrs Sarah Shell

6.30 pm  Windsor MC – service led by Mr D Tottingham.

Thought for the day

God of our life’s journeys, we gather here to celebrate the goodness of your servants and ask your blessing as they continue on the road of life.

May the love that is in our hearts be a bond that unites us forever, wherever we may be.

May the power of your presence bless this moment of our leave-taking.

As you journey onward, may you remember always that our love and appreciation for you are etched on our hearts . . .

As you meet the poor, the pained, and the stranger on your way, may you see in each one the face of our Christ . . .

As you walk through the good times and the hard times, may you never lose sight of the shelter of God’s loving arms . . .

As you question your decisions and wonder about the fruits of your choices, may the peace of God reign in your heart . . .

We praise and thank you, God of the journey, for those who are soon to leave.

We entrust them into your loving care, knowing that you are always the Faithful Traveller and Companion on our way.

Shelter them and protect them from all harm and all useless anxiety.

May the future be a source of many enriching and transforming moments.

Amen.
Other News

On **Friday 12th–Sunday 14th July 2019**, there is a conference at the University of Lincoln which will be exploring the legacy of **Suzanna Wesley “the Mother of Methodism”**. Booking information and more details available at www.methodist.org.uk/SWConf.

**Saturday, 13th July, 11 am–2 pm** - Members of **Ledgers Road Methodist Church** invite us to their **Summer Fete** (including lunches).

**Saturday, 13th July, 7:30 pm, Cookham Rise Methodist Church – Action for Children Quiz with Supper**; please telephone 01628 522578 for more information.

**Saturday 13th July, 7:30pm, (doors open at 7:00pm) High Street Methodist Church**, Join us for an evening with **Paul Kerensa**, Christian comedian and writer of BBC shows *Miranda, Not Going Out and Top Gear* (to name a few!). Tickets: £8 (advance) £10 (on the door). Email: events@methodistmaidenhead.org.uk; call 01628 628104; or see methodistmaidenhead.org.uk for more details.

**Sunday, 14th July, High Street MC BYO Picnic in the Park Messy Church** - The plan is for families to bring their own picnics and then join in some family friendly games for all ages. We’ll convene in the car park off Hibbert Road (nature centre entrance) at 1pm. Please contact High Street MC for more information.

**Monday 15th July, United Reformed Church, 7.30 pm Maidenhead Care** are holding their annual **Commissioning Service**, followed by refreshments. This service reaffirms current “Care” volunteers and gives thanks for past volunteers’ loving commitment. You are invited to attend, even if you are not a volunteer. Your prayers and attendance would be greatly appreciated.

The **Methodist Summer Fellowship** is being held at Swanwick on **3rd–9th August**. Address enquiries and bookings to msfbookings@gmail.com

**Thursday, 29th August, 6.30 pm Redhill Methodist Church** - We are all invited to the Welcome Service for our new South East District Chair – Revd David Hinchliffe, preceded by tea available from 4.30 pm.