

## PREACHERS

5th May	a.m.	Mr Dave Walker	
	p.m.	The Revd Josephine Soon	
12th May	a.m.	The Revd Ruth Childs	Church AGM
	p.m.	Songs of Praise	
19 <sup>th</sup> May	a.m.	The Revd Ajay Singh	Holy Communion
	p.m.	United Service	Overend
26th May	a.m.	Mr Martin Filsak	
	p.m.	Messy Church at 4pm	No Service at 6pm

## BIBLE READERS

5th May	a.m.	Mrs S Gripton	Mrs E Panchal
	p.m.	Mrs E Hawthorne	Mr H Skidmore
12th May	a.m.	Mrs P Wilson	Mrs P Perry
	p.m.	Mrs S Robinson	Miss M Dolman
19 <sup>th</sup> May	a.m.	Mrs E Hawthorne	Mr G Chattin
	p.m.	Mr G Chattin	Mrs C Jones
26th May	a.m.	Mrs J Wood	Mrs P Skidmore
	p.m.	Messy Church at 4pm	No Service at 6pm

## STEWARDS

5th May	a.m.	Mrs. P. Skidmore	Mrs. I. Harper
	p.m.	Mr. R. Penn	
12th May	a.m.	Mrs. J. Wood	Mr. S. Rawlins
	p.m.	Mr. G. Hemming	
19 <sup>th</sup> May	a.m.	Mr. P. Greaves	Mrs. L. Greaves
	p.m.	Mr. N. Jones	Mrs. C. Jones
26th May	a.m.	Mrs V. Fairhurst	Mrs. A Harper
	p.m.	Messy Church at 4pm	No Service at 6pm

## FLOWERS:

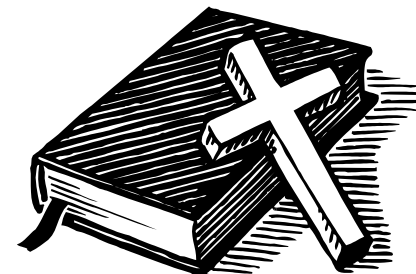
**May** arranger Liz Dickinson

5 <sup>th</sup>	Mrs E Hawthorne in memory of Ray, Mrs M Mills, Pauline in memory of Desmond Hill
12 <sup>th</sup>	Mrs L Dickinson
19 <sup>th</sup>	Mrs J George
26 <sup>th</sup>	Mrs G Muxworthy; Mrs P Perry

Donations for flowers of £15 are gratefully received.

# BRIERLEY HILL METHODIST CHURCH

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Services at 11.00 a.m. and 6.00 p.m.  
Junior Church 11.00 a.m.

**Minister** The Revd. Ruth Childs  
**Joint Senior Stewards** Mrs Jayne Corns & Mr Howard Skidmore

A warm welcome is offered to visitors, especially those who join us for the first time.

Flowers used to decorate the church are distributed to sick, bereaved and elderly friends. If you know someone who would appreciate such a gift, please inform a church steward.

**For booking of church premises contact Philip Skilbeck on 01384 270403**

**Please e-mail any news items to [k.gripton@outlook.com](mailto:k.gripton@outlook.com) no later than noon on Thursday or telephone Kevin Gripton On 07976 917 460 for the month of May Thank you.**

Welcome to worship on Sunday 19th May 2019,  
 Today is Aldersgate Sunday, celebrating the  
 conversions of Charles and John Wesley

The dismissal for Junior Church  
 v The Lord be with you.  
 r And also with you.

<b>This Week</b>
Tuesday 2pm Crafty Ladies and Men's Group
Tuesday 7.30pm Art Group

For information on Rainbows, Brownies and Art Club, please contact  
 Mrs. P. Skidmore on 01384 571017

### Bible Readings for week beginning 19th May 2019

#### Spiritual Gifts

Sunday	19	John	13	31-35
Monday	20	1 Corinthians	1	17-22
Tuesday	21	1 Corinthians	12	1-11
Wednesday	22	1 Corinthians	12	12-26
Thursday	23	1 Corinthians	12	27-31
Friday	24	Galatians	4	1-7
Saturday	25	1 Corinthians	13	1-13

**Wesley Day** falls on 24<sup>th</sup> May and is the date of John Wesley's conversion, when he felt his heart 'strangely warmed'. He was recently described, accurately in the Editor's opinion, as 'God's Englishman'

**Ukulele Concert:** The Kingswinford and District Strummers will be returning to entertain us at 7.30pm on Saturday 1st June. Tickets to include tea/coffee are available from Margaret at £5 each or on the door. All proceeds will go to Church Funds. This is our first fundraising event for the new campaign "Fifty Ideas for Fifty Years". The current Church building will be 50 years old at the start of 2021 and we would like to raise money to carry out some refurbishment.

**The Christian Aid Lunch** last week raised £270, the Jumble Sale £166 with more still coming in

A **Church Directory** is currently being compiled. To comply with GDPR regulations it is necessary to obtain explicit consent from each individual. Forms are available from Jane Degg, Church Council Secretary or a Steward. Forms should be completed and returned to Jane Degg **no later than Sunday June 30th.**

**Yvonne** would like to say a big thank you to all those who supported 'Count your Blessings' for Easter. She banked £107.

**AFC** is holding its annual cream tea on Saturday 29th June at Kingswinford MC. Margaret Cheadle and Yvonne are selling tickets at £3 each. Please come along and enjoy this social event.

**Treasurer** Make sure that you read the flyer about this role, which was too long to include.