

NOTICES FOR OCTOBER

10.00AM CHURCH SERVICES (s) sacrament

<u>Oct.</u>	<u>Preacher</u>	<u>Flowers</u>	<u>Porch</u>	<u>Steward</u>
1 st	Weekend Away at Ravenscar			
8 th	Brian Jacklin	Liz	John	Margaret
15 th	Peter Sulston (s)	Jane	Jane	Paul
22 nd	Ray Hinch	Jan	Jan	David
29 th	Ian Worrall	Sybil	Sybil	Margaret

ECUMENICAL BIBLE STUDY

The ecumenical group, under the leadership of Patrick Mackie, is tailored to encourage input from everyone attending the group. A warm invitation is extended to you to join any of the meetings for fellowship and study. These are held on a Monday in the Upper Room at 7.30 pm and on Wednesday at 2.30 pm in the home of one of the members.

PRAYER FOCUS

We are invited to join with the village Prayer Group at 2, Croft Rise at 9.30 am on Monday mornings. It lasts for an hour, praying for current concerns, including individuals, family and friends, for the village, the Church and its mission, our country and the world. If you are unable to join the group in person, you are invited to pray wherever you are using the themes suggested.

COLLECTIONS

The collections towards Church Funds in August amounted to £633.20 and in September to 17th £483.50

COFFEE MORNING

The Coffee Morning in September raised £72.15 for Mission Aviation Fellowship. We are grateful to everyone who helped and supported this event.

PROGRAMME FOR OCTOBER

Events in East Bridgford in October

Saturday 7th October **Coffee Morning** 10.00 am – 11.30 am
The money raised will be given to **Framework**.

Tuesday 10th October **Messy Church** Please assemble at 2.45 pm ready for the start at 3.30 pm. The theme will be 'Jesus: the Light of the World'.

Thursday, 19th October. **Church Council** 7.15 pm for coffee before the meeting at 7.30 pm. Please let Margaret have any items for the agenda by Tuesday, 3rd October.

Wednesday, 25th October **'Gospel Illusions'**. This is a magic show from 11.00 – 12.00 noon. It is part of the Messy Church activities.

Saturday, 28th October **Messy Church** There is an opportunity to join a morning training session led by Jemma Baldry at Harrowby Lane Methodist Church beginning at 9.30 am.

Alpha Course

Alpha is a series of interactive sessions that explores the basics of the Christian faith. It involves food, a talk and conversation all in a relaxed and friendly environment. You can find more information about these courses at: <http://alpha.org> or by asking Henry.

The course began with an introductory session on Friday, 22nd September and will continue to meet every Friday for the remaining ten sessions until 8th December. These will take place at Rose and Henry's house from 10.00 am to midday.

Advance Notice of Events in East Bridgford

Saturday, 4th November **Coffee Morning** 10.00 am – 11.30 am
The money raised will be given to Emmanuel House Support Centre.

Tuesday, 14th November **Messy Church** Please assemble at 2.45 pm ready for a the start at 3.00 pm.