



## Zion Methodist Church Notices Sunday 8 February 2026



**Sunday 8 February: 10.30am**

✝ Worship led by Mr G Carter

**Sunday 15 February: 10.30am**

✝ Worship service led by Mrs K Willis

✝ Charity collection: Centrepont

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### **Love Your Neighbour – Racial Justice Sunday: Sunday 8 February**

The theme of this year's Racial Justice Sunday, Love Your Neighbour, looks at how the Bible provides a blueprint for a world where everyone belongs and is loved and valued for who they are, not what they look like.

Racial Justice Sunday was founded by the Methodist Church, following the murder of Stephen Lawrence in 1993, and became an ecumenical event in 1995. For more, <https://ctbi.org.uk/resources/racial-justice-sunday-8-february-2026/>

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### **Circuit Prayer Meeting: Friday 13 February, 10.45am to 11.30am**

Circuit Prayer Meeting every Friday, 10.45am to 11.30am, in the Little Chapel at Centenary Methodist Church.

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### **Action for Children Collecting Boxes**

It's time again to empty the collecting boxes if you could bring them to church please. For more information, contact Celia.

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### **Action for Children Coffee Morning at Zion: Saturday 7 March, 10am**

Action for Children are having a coffee morning at Zion on Saturday 7 March between 10 and 12. If you have any saleable goods you could spare, they would be very welcome, and cakes on the day. Please see Janet or Celia. Many thanks.

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### **Save the dates!**

A provisional date for a farewell picnic and service for Rev. Val has been agreed for Friday 24 July from 3pm at Centenary. More details to follow.

We also have a provisional date for the Welcome Service for Rev. Peter Taylor of Tuesday 1 September at 6.30pm, venue to be confirmed.

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### **Butterfly Lodge Open Day: Thursday 19 February, 12.30pm to 3pm**

You're invited to join the Butterfly Lodge Open Day, taking place on Thursday 19 February. Light refreshments will be available and there will be time to ask questions and speak informally with staff.

The Open Day will run from 12:30pm to 3pm, with visits offered in 30-minute time slots. To ensure a comfortable experience for everyone, spaces are limited for each time slot therefore please register your attendance before your visit, using this link: <https://www.butterflyhospice.org.uk/event-details/butterfly-lodge-open-day>

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## **Zion Family Quiz: Saturday 21 March, 7pm**

Zion family quiz will be on Saturday 21 March starting at 7pm. Teams of 4, a child under 10 can be extra, or individual entries to be put into a team on the night. £8 per person, including supper. Bring your friends and family for a fun night. Entry forms are on the shelf in the coffee lounge or speak to Stephen or Irene for more information. Profits for Zion funds.

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## **Open Doors: Impossible Faith**

More than 388 million Christians face persecution and discrimination because they follow Jesus. Where faith looks impossible, God is doing the impossible. The church continues to grow. Today, you can hear their stories of faith, join them in prayer and be part of God's impossible plan. Find out more about the Open Doors World Watch List 2026: <https://www.opendoorsuk.org/persecution/>

Weekly activities at Zion		
<b>Mondays</b>	10am-12pm	Knit & Knatter
	2pm-3pm	Dance for Fun
	7.15pm	Badminton (Sep-Apr)
<b>Tuesdays</b>	6pm-7.15pm	Beavers and Cubs
	6.45pm-8.15pm	AA
	7pm-9pm	Scouts
	7pm-8.30pm	'The Way' Fellowship Group (1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> Tue)
<b>Wednesdays</b>	9.45am	Boston Community Health Walk
	5pm-6pm	Rainbows
	6pm-7.15pm	Brownies
	7pm	Short Mat Bowls (Sep-May)
	7.15pm-8.45pm	Guides
<b>Thursdays</b>	9.30am-11.30am	Coffee Morning
	12.30pm	Community Lunch (3 <sup>rd</sup> Thu; booking required)
	6.45pm-8.15pm	AA
<b>Fridays</b>	10am	Trinity Badminton Group (Sep-Dec)
	2pm-4pm	Come & Meet Each Other (CAMEO) – table top games, puzzles – (Jul + Sep-Dec)
<b>Saturdays</b>	11.45am-1.15pm	AA