The service of thanksgiving for the life of Matt Brown will be held here on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May at 1pm following cremation at Maple Park. Our thoughts and prayers are with his family and many friends.

## **Diary for the coming week**

Sunday 5th	10.30am Circuit United Service
	at Sowerby Methodist Church
	Easter Offering

Wednesday 8th 9.30am Communion 10-12noon Coffee Pot 1.00-2.30pm Tots Group 2.30pm Finance & Property

Committee

Thursday 9th 7.15pm Choir

Saturday 11th 10-12noon Coffee Pot

Sunday 12th 10.30am Rev Michael Webster & Rev Claire Soderman

1 00nm Christian Aid Sarvica

Any information for inclusion in the notices should be sent to : Cclark904@btinternet.com

By **Thursday noon** or placed in the file in the Vestry by Wednesday noon

The Methodist Church Northallerton Notices for week commencing 5th May 2024



Minister: Rev'd Arthur Harbottle Tel: 01609 600109

## A warm welcome to all who join in worship today and a special welcome to visitors

Hymns are displayed on the screen. Hymnbooks (Large print), Bibles and large print copies of the Methodist Worship Book are available from the door Stewards on request.

A loop system is installed downstairs -please switch to T if you use a hearing aid.

MISSION STATEMENT . The calling of Northallerton Methodist Church is to respond to the gospel of God's love in Christ and to live out its discipleship in worship and mission



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CIRCUIT PRAYERMoving Forward in FaithStep by step, Inch by inch, We move forward.Stride by stride, Metre by metre, We make progress.Breath by breath, Idea by idea, We explore.Prayer by prayer, Movement by movement, We meet with<br/>you.

As we continue discovering together the plans you have for us within this circuit,

May we continue to trust in you, our God.

Amen

You are invited to join us for a Church family walk on Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May at 3.30pm around the Osmotherley area ,followed by refreshments and evening worship at Osmotherley Methodist Church. See flyers for more details

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The Dementia Hub that meets in the Cottage Meeting Room on a Thursday and Friday are looking for volunteers to help with the groups, making drinks and supporting the various activities. This could be every week or once a month, whatever suits you. For more details- email info@dementiaforward.org.uk A District gathering on the theme "The Kingdom of God is like..." Everyone connected with the Methodist Church in our District is invited to join an exciting day of inspiration, workshops, and conversation as we explore the theme together.

Date:11<sup>th</sup> May 2024

Location: York Manor Academy

Timings: 10am-3.30pm

More information on the website here: https://www.yorkshiremethodist.org/ district/synods/

Book your place: https://forms.office.com/e/8PrNuDyps D

## **CHRISTIAN AID**

## 70K IN MAY-70K OUR WAY!

This May, as part of Christian Aid Week, our church will be taking part in 70K in May, a sponsored challenge.

70K in May is a national campaign and our group of

local churches are rising to the challenge – walking, running (10k and marathon), cycling (the distance from Lands End to – Romanby), and swimming (70k = 2,800 lengths) to get there, we hope, several times over!

We're looking for more people to take up the challenge to Move Against

Poverty in any form you like. This can be by yourself or as part of a bigger team (family, friends, sports or activity group, workplace, dog walkers.)

Take on the 70K in May your way – a baking, sewing, crafting, or sporty challenge, or reading 70,000 words – there are endless possibilities! If your personal challenge is not 70k, that's fine. 7, 70, or 700 all work, and we can pool our totals and triumph together.

By joining us in this challenge you will be pushing back against the inhumanity of poverty and supporting the vital work of Christian Aid across the globe.

If you'd like to join in with the 70K in May challenge, speak to Michael Webster or Bridget Robinson, and watch this space for information how

you can support our brave volunteers.