



Circuit Notices – 03/09/2025

Please send any notices for the next weekly notices to Laura at office@essdmethodistcircuit.org by 8pm on a Tuesday for inclusion in the current week's notices. Thank you

Important Information

Equality, Diversity and Inclusion Training (EDI) -	<p>Saturday 27th September from 10am to 1pm at The Well, Midway, Swadlincote. To book your place, send a quick email to Laura, our Circuit Administrator: office@essdmethodistcircuit.org</p> <p>Online - Prefer to join from the comfort of your own home? The online session is available at: https://essdmethodistcircuit.org/edi</p> <p>This training was made a one-time requirement back in 2021 at the Methodist Conference for Ministers, Lay Workers, Local Preachers & Worship Leaders, Circuit Safeguarding Officers and Circuit and Church Stewards. Unlike safeguarding training, you only need to complete EDI training once—so once it's done, you're good to go!</p> <p>We've only had a few places booked so far, so can you all please check whether you require this training and book with Laura ASAP.</p>
Dates for Safeguarding Training	<p>Wednesday 12th November 2025 at 7pm (Online) Foundation Session Saturday 18th October 2025 at 10am (at The Well) Advanced Session</p> <p>Just a reminder that office holders need to keep their safeguarding training up to date - it needs to be refreshed every four years at the highest level required for your role so please check when you last completed your training.</p> <p>To find out which session is right for you and to book a spot, please visit the circuit website: Safeguarding Training - ESSD</p>

Circuit Events

Circuit Facebook page	<p>Regular Circuit updates are available on the circuit facebook page, which will include details of any upcoming events and courses, as well as any amendments to Church services.</p>
Circuit Website	<p>We encourage you to visit your Circuit website, which provides information about your churches and important events they are hosting. Should you require any amendments/updates to your Church page, please email Laura: office@essdmethodistcircuit.org</p>

What's happening at The Well?

Evening Performance by
The Derbyshire
Community Male Voice
Choir

Friday 21st November at 7.30pm

Welcome to all! Tickets cost £8, under 16's go free but must be accompanied by an adult and must also book a ticket along with the adult: To book your place, please make payment to to the Circuit's bank account and email Laura:

office@essdmethodistcircuit.org

Events around the Circuit

Oasis's Event

Oasis Games Morning has now changed to the 2nd Wednesday of the month - same time (10.30am – 12pm) and starts on the 10th September. This has been amended in the Regular Events below.

Just Sing at Oasis starts on Wednesday 10th September 1.30pm - 3pm for informal singing - everyone welcome. This will be included in the Regular Events below from next week.

Ticknall Chapel's Quiz
Night

Friday 12th September at 7pm

Come early to get your seat as space is limited. Refreshments will be provided at half-time time and there will be a raffle!

Stanton's Light Lunch

Saturday 20th September 12 noon

All welcome!

Trinity's Harvest Lunch

Saturday, 27th September at 1.00 p.m

Please let Rita Walton know by Wednesday 24th September, for numbers for catering purposes, if you will be attending . Please contact Rita via her contact details on the quarterly Plan Pamphlet.

Church Gresley's
Celebration Music
Weekend

Saturday 27th September 10am – 3pm

Please come along to this free event - a vibrant celebration of local talent as choirs, solo performers, and music groups fill the day with uplifting sounds and heartfelt performances. You're welcome to drop in and stay as long as you like. Drinks, homemade cakes and a selection of cold lunches will be available for purchase.

28th Sunday 28th September at 10.30am

There will be a special Service of Praise with Joyful Noise Music Group.

Regular Events around the Circuit

Monday	OASIS Music Group 3 rd Monday of the month	Unit 6, Market Street, Swadlincote	6pm - 8pm
Tuesday	OASIS	Unit 6, Market Street, Swadlincote	10am - 1pm
	Fellowship Every fortnight –dates TBC after Summer for September	Church Gresley Methodist Church	The event is off for summer break
	New Bible Study Group led by Rev Manoa Every third Tuesday	Barton Methodist Church	7pm - 8pm
Wednesday	OASIS Music Group Every 1 st Wednesday of the month	Unit 6, Market Street, Swadlincote	10am - 12 noon
	Oasis's Creative Space Every 3 rd Wednesday of the month	Unit 6, Market Street, Swadlincote	1pm - 3pm
	OASIS Games morning Every 2nd Wednesday of the month	Unit 6, Market Street, Swadlincote	10.30am – 12 noon
	Connections Every 1 st and 3 rd Wednesday of the month	Church Gresley Methodist Church Next dates Sept 3 rd & 17 th Oct 1 st & 15 th	1pm - 3pm
	The Stream – an online time of communal discussion based on 'The Upper Room'	Zoom Online These will be the usual details.	2pm
Thursday	CAMEO with craft/knitting group	Stanton Methodist Church	10am - 12noon
	Tea/Coffee, Cake & Chat	Ticknall Methodist Church	10.30am - 12.30pm
	Carers OASIS Last Thursday of the month	Unit 6, Market Street, Swadlincote	10.30am - 12.30pm
Friday	OASIS	Unit 6, Market Street, Swadlincote	10am -1pm
	Come and Chat!	Etwall Methodist Church	10.30am - 12 noon
	Soup & Roll	Etwall Methodist Church	12 noon - 1.30pm
	The Stream Online Prayer meeting	Zoom Online These will be the usual details.	3pm
Saturday	Coffee Morning, 1 st Saturday of the month	St. Thomas's Methodist Church	10.00am - 11.30am
	Coffee Morning 1 st Saturday of the month	Newhall Methodist Church	10.30am - 12noon

Worship Online

The Stream	<p>Online on Zoom every Sunday at 10.30am</p> <p>Should you require the log-in details, please email: peter.thestream.essd@gmail.com</p> <p>For safeguarding reasons these details <u>should not</u> be posted on social media.</p>
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District/Other Events

Andy Fyall's Reflection and Prayer Video	<p>Please watch Andy's Greetings in the new Connexional Year as his prayer for you and your ministry in this new season:</p> <p>https://youtu.be/fUroXgYe_ro?si=qjYkVI4jNZeS-2S6</p> <p>May you know the presence of our faithful God as you serve and face whatever is in store.</p>
Conference Business Digest	<p>A report for local churches about the business of the 2025 Methodist Conference. Please share this with the office holders and members of your Church and Circuit.</p> <p>This can be read online and downloaded from methodist.org.uk/conference</p>

To add a regular or one-off event to the Circuit notices, please email:
office@essdmethodistcircuit.org