



## Circuit Notices – 10/12/2025

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

### Important Information

Rev'd David Leese

**It is with great sadness that I share with you the unexpected passing** of Rev'd David Leese. May he rest in peace and rise in glory. Please hold Sue and all his family in your prayers at this time.

### Circuit Events

Change to Services

**Rev'd Nicola Briggs will be taking the service at Stretton Methodist Church on Sunday at 10.00am.**

Circuit Facebook page

**🔔 Stay Connected with Us on Facebook!**

Want to know what's happening across the Circuit? Head over to our Facebook page for regular updates, including upcoming events, courses, and any changes to Church services.

👉 Give us a follow [here!](#)

It's a great way to stay in the loop and be part of our growing online community.

Circuit Website

**🌐 Visit Your Circuit Website!**

Looking for the latest on your churches and the events they're hosting? Our Circuit website is the place to go! You'll find helpful info, updates, and ways to stay connected.

To keep your church pages fresh and accurate, please email any updates - like service times, events, or contact details - to Laura at: [office@essdmethodistcircuit.org](mailto:office@essdmethodistcircuit.org)

👉 Explore the website [here!](#)

Thanks for helping us keep everything up to date!

## What's happening at The Well?

The Circuit's Online Carol Service

**The Stream's Carol Service is to be held on Sun 21st Dec at 10.30am** and will be led by Sue Cattermole.

These will be the usual Zoom details.

**For safeguarding reasons these details should not be posted on social media.**

## Events around the Circuit

The Fairer Choice Shop & Oasis's 15<sup>th</sup> Birthday Party!

**Fri 12<sup>th</sup> Dec - 10am - 12 noon**

Oasis have been offering a sanctuary in Swadlincote for 15 years! Come along and celebrate with them for hot and cold drinks and lots of cake!

Uttoxeter's Events

**Sun 14<sup>th</sup> Dec at 4pm - Christingle Service**

Join for a joyful tradition celebrating Jesus, the Light of the World, with music, candles, and community warmth.

**Sun 21<sup>st</sup> Dec at 4pm - Carol Service**

Come along to sing, celebrate, and share the joy of the season!

Draycott's Afternoon Tea

**Wed 17<sup>th</sup> Dec 2.30 - 4pm**

Relax with a hot drink and a slice of cake or 2!

Church Gresley's Christmas Lunch

**Unfortunately, Christmas Lunch arranged for last Sat had to be cancelled due to illness. It has been re-arranged for Sat 20<sup>th</sup> Dec at 12 noon**

Not to be missed! Various soups & rolls and hot puddings! Contact Christine Chandler or Kay Holman for further details. Suggested donation of £6.00

Stanton's Events

**Sat 20<sup>th</sup> Dec at 12 noon - Christmas Light Lunch**

Enjoy festive fellowship, a cosy atmosphere, and plenty of cheer, as we gather together for good food and good company.

**Sun 21<sup>st</sup> Dec at 6pm - Candlelight Carol Service**

Gather with us in the glow of candlelight as we celebrate the season in peace and reflection.

Please note: there will be no Let's Praise nor Julian Meeting in December.

Stretton's LA Carol Service

**Sun 21<sup>st</sup> Dec at 6pm**

A joyful act of worship celebrating the birth of Christ through song and scripture!

Hilton's Carol Service

**Sun 21<sup>st</sup> Dec at 6.30pm - Carol Service**

The choir will be singing at this event! Come along with family and friends to enjoy music, light, and the true meaning of Christmas.

## Regular Events around the Circuit

<b>Monday</b>	OASIS Music Group 3 <sup>rd</sup> Mon of the month	Unit 6, Market Street, Swadlincote	6pm - 8pm
<b>Tuesday</b>	OASIS	Unit 6, Market Street, Swadlincote	10am - 1pm
	Fellowship Every fortnight	Church Gresley Methodist Church	2pm - 3.30pm
	New Bible Study Group led by Rev Manoa Every 3 <sup>rd</sup> Tues of the month	Barton Methodist Church	7pm - 8pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	OASIS Music Group Every 1 <sup>st</sup> Wed of the month	Unit 6, Market Street, Swadlincote	10am - 12 noon
	OASIS Games morning Every 2 <sup>nd</sup> Wed of the month	Unit 6, Market Street, Swadlincote	10.30am – 12 noon
	OASIS Just Sing Every 2 <sup>nd</sup> Wed of the month	Unit 6, Market Street, Swadlincote	1.30pm - 3pm
	Oasis's Creative Space Every 3 <sup>rd</sup> Wed of the month	Unit 6, Market Street, Swadlincote	1pm - 3pm
	Connections Every 1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> Wed of the month	Church Gresley Methodist Church	1pm - 3pm
	The Stream – an online time of communal discussion based on 'The Upper Room'	Zoom Online These will be the usual details.	2pm
<b>Thursday</b>	CAMEO with craft/knitting group	Stanton Methodist Church Next: 11 <sup>th</sup> & 18 <sup>th</sup> Dec	10am – 12 noon
	Tea/Coffee, Cake & Chat	Ticknall Methodist Church	10.30am - 12.30pm
	Carers OASIS Last Thurs of the month	Unit 6, Market Street, Swadlincote	10.30am - 12.30pm
	Julian Meetings Contemplative worship, last Thurs of month.	Stanton Methodist Church	6.30pm
<b>Friday</b>	OASIS	Unit 6, Market Street, Swadlincote	10am - 1pm
	Come and Chat!	Etwall Methodist Church	10.30am - 12 noon
	Cameo Soup & Roll & Drinks	Etwall Methodist Church	12 noon - 1.30pm
	The Stream Online Prayer meeting	Zoom Online These will be the usual details.	3pm
<b>Saturday</b>	Coffee Morning, 1 <sup>st</sup> Sat of the month	St. Thomas's Methodist Church	10.00am - 11.30am
	Coffee Morning 1 <sup>st</sup> Sat of the month	Newhall Methodist Church	10.30am - 12 noon

	Light Lunch usually on the 3rd Sat of each month	Stanton Methodist Church	12 noon
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## Worship Online

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

Brian E Beck Memorial Lecture 2026	<p><b>Thursday 22 January 2026 – Weslyn House</b></p> <p>See attached Poster for more details</p>
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To add a regular or one-off event to the Circuit notices, please email:  
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