

# CIRCUIT WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



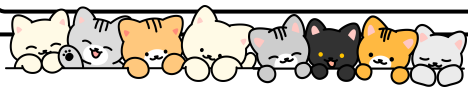
**The Methodist Church**  
North Liverpool and South Sefton Circuit

**SUNDAY SERVICES** 28th June

**Birchdale Road** - United Service at Moor Lane  
**Fazakerley**- 10:45am - Rev Marshall - Holy Communion  
**Kensington**- 11am- Rev Whitehall - Holy Communion  
**Linacre Mission**- 11am- Carol Shanks  
**Moor Lane**- 10:30am - Rev Edwards - Holy Communion  
**Old Roan**- 11am- Alan Lewis  
**St Marks**- No Service  
**West Derby**- 10:15am- Rev Garfield - All Age Worship -  
Annual General Church Meeting



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## GUIDED BY Faith

This picture has hung in Jim and Dot Cunliffe's house for many years. Jim, a regular worship leader at Birchdale Methodist Church, loved its message. His wife, Dot, used the picture when she led a service at the Methodist Church on Balliol Road before it closed. Together, they found comfort in its simple message of faith and God's guidance.

May this purrrfect picture be a reminder that when we let God take the lead, we do not walk alone. His guidance, wisdom, and love are with us every step of the way.

## WHAT IS HAPPENING This Week

### TAI CHI SESSIONS

Kensington Methodist Church, L7 2RN  
Every Tuesday  
10am to 11am/12noon

Tai Chi is a gentle, low-impact form of exercise that helps improve balance, flexibility, and wellbeing.

The session is followed by tea and a friendly chat afterwards. Everyone is welcome, come along and join us!



### Methodist Conference 2026

The Methodist Conference is the governing body of the Methodist Church. Meeting once a year, it provides a forum for prayerful reflection and decision-making on issues that shape the life of the Church, as well as matters affecting the wider community, the nation, and the world.

The Conference takes place from Thursday 25th June to Wednesday 1st July. Several key services and events will be live-streamed, including:

**Saturday 27th June, 2:15pm** -  
Induction of the new President and Vice-President  
**Sunday 28th June, 10:45am** -  
Reception into Connexion and Sunday Worship  
**Sunday 28th June, 4:00pm** -  
Ordination Services

[These events can be viewed live via Methodist Conference 2026. Click Here to be taken there](#)

## HAVE SOMETHING TO SHARE We want to hear it

Please get in touch with any good news stories (Big or small), notices or events to advertise.  
**Submissions are due by Wednesday evening** to allow time for the Friday issue.

Please send all content to Kim Bell - [admin@lssmc.org.uk](mailto:admin@lssmc.org.uk)



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**BIBLE MONTH** June 2026



### Explore Philippians Together

**Philippians**  
A four-week study guide for you and your church

**Linacre Mission**  
Tuesdays at 1.30pm

9th June 'A Harvest of Joy' led by Darren  
16th June 'Shine Humbly' led by Sue  
23rd June 'Press on' led by Darren  
30th June 'Grace be with you' led by Sue

**BIBLE** month

This year, Bible Month invites churches and small groups to dive into one of the most joyful and encouraging letters in the New Testament: Philippians.

Written by Paul from prison, this short epistle overflows with warmth, hope, and practical wisdom for living a Christ-shaped life.

Across four weeks, you'll discover:

Joy that endures – Paul's call to rejoice, even in hardship, rooted in confidence in God's goodness.

Christ-like humility – the famous "Christ hymn" in chapter 2, showing Jesus' self-giving love as our model.

Pressing on in faith – discipleship as a lifelong journey of growth and perseverance.

Grace and peace – learning contentment and generosity in every circumstance.

## Upcoming EVENTS



- Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> July – Old Roan – 11am – Café Church followed with BBQ from Scout Group
- Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> July – Moor Lane – 5:30pm – Bread and Wine Musical – Circuit Service
- Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> July – Fazakerley – Indoor Car Boot Sale (Time to be confirmed)

Please ask Kim for any further details



**NORTH WEST ENGLAND  
METHODIST DISTRICT**

**DISTRICT** Weekly News

[Click here to be taken to the North West England District Newsletter](#)

## IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

Please keep in your thoughts and prayers all those who are feeling unwell, facing challenges, or simply finding things difficult at the moment.

We ask for continuing prayers for the District Chair,  
Rev. Dr. James Tebbutt



## Homemade Vanilla Ice Cream Recipe

### Ingredients

600ml double cream  
397g tin of sweetened condensed milk  
2 tsp vanilla extract



### Method

1. Whip the double cream until it forms soft peaks.
2. Fold in the condensed milk and vanilla extract until smooth.
3. Pour into a freezer-safe container.
4. Freeze for at least 6 hours, or overnight.

**Optional toppings:** Fresh strawberries, chocolate sauce, crushed biscuits, sprinkles, or a drizzle of honey.

**Top Tip:** No ice cream maker needed ... just mix, freeze, and enjoy!

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## Bread and Wine

A Musical written by Darren Garfield

Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2026  
Moor Lane Methodist Church  
190 Moor Lane, Crosby, L23 2XJ

5:30pm - Refreshments  
6pm - Start

Circuit Service



Free admission but donations gratefully received

Join us for Holy Communion with songs from the musical sung by the Circuit Choir

## Wow... it is hot!

The sun was blazing, hot as fire,  
The thermometer just climbed higher.  
We squinted, sweated, fanned with grace  
Then quickly sought a shady place.

Like Jonah glad beneath his vine,  
We found some shade (oh, what a sign!).  
"The Lord provides!" we joyfully say,  
As we survived another scorching day.

For though the heat was strong and bold,  
God's care is better than the cold.  
And in the shade, with smiles and cheer,  
We knew His presence still was near.

And though the heat seemed set to stay,  
We trusted cooler skies on the way.  
For after every burning spell,  
God sends refreshing breezes as well.

Dear Friends,  
With the hot weather continuing, please look after yourselves and keep an eye on friends, neighbours, or anyone who might appreciate a check-in.

If you need any support, or if there's anything we can do to help, please get in touch.



## EVENTS

**Prayer Breakfast**  
At Old Roan Methodist Church  
(50a Altway, Liverpool, L10 2LG)  
First Saturday of every month  
8:30am  
*Everyone is welcome.*

**CAFE AND GARDENING  
MONDAY MORNINGS - TIAM**  
MOOR LANE METHODIST CHURCH  
L23 2XJ  
JUST CALL IN  
ALL ARE WELCOME

**Refreshment Stop**  
COUNTY METHODIST HUB  
Harlech Street  
L4 3RJ  
**Tuesdays  
11.30am**  
Reflection,  
prayers and  
refreshments

**INDOOR CAR BOOT SALE**  
STALLS  
REFRESHMENTS  
PRIZE A TIME  
TOMBOLA  
FREE TODDLER AREA  
BOOK YOUR STALL FOR £10 -  
FOR INFO CONTACT KIM BELL  
ADMIN@NLSMCC.ORG.UK  
0762907916

## PRAYER AND PRAISE

Old Roan Methodist Church, 6pm

Sunday 5th July 2026  
Sunday 6th September 2026  
Sunday 4th October 2026  
Sunday 1st November 2026  
Sunday 6th December 2026



ALL ARE WELCOME!

**Cuppa and Catch Up**  
WEDNESDAYS  
1:30PM TO 3:30PM  
LINACRE MISSION  
L21 8NS  
JOIN US EACH WEEK  
FOR A FRIENDLY  
COMMUNITY  
SOCIAL - A CHANCE  
TO RELAX, ENJOY  
REFRESHMENTS,  
PLAY GAMES, AND  
SPEND TIME  
TOGETHER.

COUNTY METHODIST HUB  
**Craft & Company**  
Diamond Art - Sewing - Colouring  
Card Making etc.  
**Wednesdays**  
(during term time)  
**10:30am - 12noon**  
Bring along your project and enjoy some  
company over a cuppa and a chat!  
A small number of projects available\*  
County Methodist Hub  
Harlech Street, L4 3RJ  
For more details contact Allison 07398011140  
suggested donation of £1 towards refreshments  
\*donations welcome towards the cost of provided projects

for under 3s  
**Little Acorns**  
Mondays  
1:00pm - 2:30pm  
excluding bank holidays and half-terms  
COUNTY METHODIST HUB  
Harlech Street, L4 3RJ  
PLAY  
CRAFT ACTIVITY  
STORY & SONG  
HEALTHY SNACK  
suggested donation, £1 per child