

## Regular Events @ UMC

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- Sundays**      **Morning Worship** - 10:45 am. A warm welcome is offered at our weekly worship service to new members, visitors and regular attendees alike.
- Mondays**      First Monday of each month:  
**Uppingham Local History Group** - 7.30 pm - Talks of local historical interest.
- Tuesdays**      **Kiddiwinks** - 10.00 am to 11.30 am at UMC during term-time, where parents, carers and toddlers are invited for fun and play.
- Thursdays**      **Methodartz** - 9.30 am - An art group for all abilities, led by Helen Chadband.
- Fridays**      **Coffee at The Crossroads** - 10.00 - 11.30am in the Wesley Room.

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## Other items @ UMC

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**Requests/Prayers:** Please pass any special requests for prayers that you would like included in a service to the Duty Steward.

**Worship Recordings:** A weekly recording is made of the service. If you know anyone who might want to listen to this, please see the steward after the service.

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**Church Website:** <https://www.uppinghammethodistchurch.org.uk>  
**Email:** [Uppingham.Methodists@gmail.com](mailto:Uppingham.Methodists@gmail.com)

**A hearing loop** operates in the main Church and in the Wesley Room. Please switch your hearing aid to its 'T' setting to make use of this facility.

**Items for Weekly News** to be given to Nigel Buckley (07871 653109 or email: [nigelabuckley@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:nigelabuckley@tiscali.co.uk)) - Copy deadline: Wednesday evening.



Our mission is to share the love of Christ through commitment,  
and support of each other and all in the wider community.

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# Uppingham Methodist Church



*Weekly News for 12<sup>th</sup> May*

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## This Week - Sunday 12th May

**Sun. 12 May** **Morning Service with Holy Communion - 10.45 am** - We offer a warm welcome to visitors and invite you to join us for tea or coffee in the Wesley Room after our service, led by Rev Bekkie Wright. **Steward:** Ellen.

**Please Note** - The wine is non-alcoholic and all bread is gluten-free. There will be a retiring collection, as usual, for the care fund.

**Weds. 15 May** **House Group** - 7.00 pm at 1 Queen's Road, Carl and Kate Love's. Continuing the study of Christian Heroes led by Ron Curtis. **Everyone Welcome!**

**Thurs. 16 May** **Torch Trust Coffee Morning** - 10.30 am to 12.30 pm - Do come along for tea, coffee and cake. At around 11:30 we'll have a time of worship and prayer. We do hope that you will be able to join us.

**Fri. 17 May** **Coffee at the Crossroads** - 10.00 - 11.30 am in the Wesley Room. You will find a friendly welcome and nice cake!

**Sat. 18 May** **Farm Weekend** - 3.00 to 5.00 pm - An afternoon of creativity, activity and fun for all ages in and around the farm. Farm walks, Baking, Arts and crafts, Games and space to enjoy the surroundings with friends.

**BBQ and Puddings** - 5.00 to 8.00 pm - Barn Dance with live band.



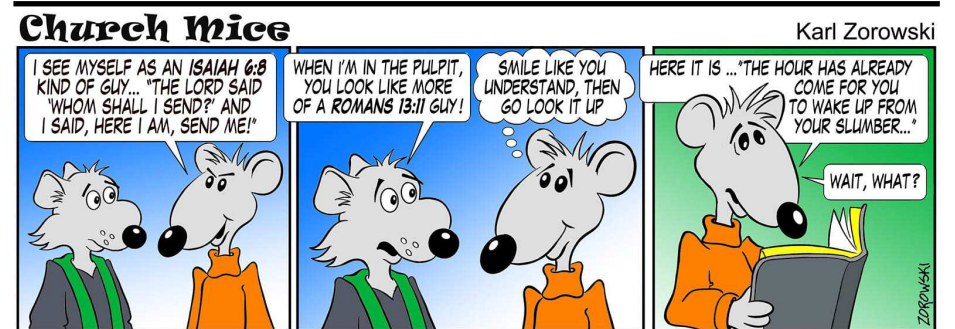
**Thursday Prayers (on Zoom) for Growth and Renewal** - Please join us for our circuit prayer time on Zoom to pray for the church's growth and God's power and love within our communities. Prayers are at 12:00 for 20 minutes each Thursday. Please use the Zoom link 975 0891 2930/Passcode: 190321.

## Forthcoming Events

**Sun. 19 May** **Worship for Pentecost in the barn for the whole family** - 11.30 am - led by Rev Andrew Hollins and Rev Ruth Charlesworth. Followed by a 'Bring Your Own' picnic and games.

**Sun. 26 May** The morning service will be led by our Superintendent Minister, Rev Andrew Hollins. From September, Andrew will be Uppingham's Minister. After the service on that day, there will be a Bring and Share lunch, when there will be an opportunity to get to know Andrew informally. Please keep the date and bring some food to share!

**Tues. 4 June** **Torch Trust Annual Day of Prayer** - This replaces the monthly coffee morning. There will be a service at Torch House from 11.30am - 12.30am, but please arrive from 11.00am. If you are coming to Torch House please bring a packed lunch. In the afternoon there will be a time of prayer from 2pm - 3pm. There will also be an opportunity this year to join us in evening prayer from 7.30pm - 8.30pm.



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**Please pray for our preachers** - Moyra Collins at Ketton, Olive Ruzvidzo at Stamford and Rev Bekkie Wright here this week. Also pray for the Farm Weeked and Rev Bekkie Wright online next week.