

WELCOME TO

AYLESBURY METHODIST CHURCH

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Sunday 21st June 2026

8.45am: Service of Holy Communion led by Rev Richard Atkinson.

10.30am: Morning Worship led by Rev Fred Ireland.

5.00pm: Swanbourne Barn Service.

If you are visiting our Church for the first time, do introduce yourself to one of our stewards, who, this morning, are Frances Aylen at 8.45am, and Charles and Vicky Fiadzeawu at 10.30am.

Please join us in the Hall after the service for tea, coffee, and a biscuit.
(Oat milk now available. Please ask.)

Hymns	8.45am: StF 39 401 596 10.30am: StF 706 489 481 351
Readings	8.45am: Romans 6: 1-11 10.30am: Romans 8: 1b – 11 Matthew 10: 24-38
Organist	8.45am: Derrick Matthews 10.30am: David Brooker
Streaming	To safeguard children and any vulnerable adults, our live-streamed services will not show the congregation.

The words of the hymns are projected at the front of the Church.
If you would like to have a hymnbook for the service, please ask.

If your little ones (up to age 3) become restless during services, you are welcome to take them into the creche room in the Welcome Area to play. The service can be heard from there.

All children MUST be accompanied by an ADULT.



Dear AMC Family,

As you know life for us has become difficult over the past few months. It is common with a lot of people, neither of us finds it easy to admit that we need help but we have had to face up to reality. The result has left us speechless but very grateful. You have shown us so much love and understanding in so many different ways. THANK YOU. Marilyn and Nick Storer.



If you still have an MHA collection envelope, please hand it in this morning. Thank you.

**The REPAIR CAFÉ is NEXT Saturday 27th June 9.30am – 12.30pm in the Hall.
Bring along items to be repaired – no cost, but donations welcome!**



The retiring collection on Christian Aid Sunday totalled **£343.50**, and with Gift Aid added, you will have donated a total of **£390.50**.

Thank you so much for your generosity.

Message from your Wild Gardeners

As you will have read in Peter's communication, *EcoCarer*, Nick is soon to create our first wild garden bed behind the church. So, here's a crazy suggestion, but I reckon some of you will be up for it. Instead of just going out and buying loads of soil, why not make it truly OURS? Can you bring a bag/bags of soil (soil is heavy - not too big!) from your own garden with you to church over the next three weeks? I've been reliably informed that wild flowers don't need quality soil, so anything will do. Our premises team and cleaners won't thank us for bringing it into the church building but we could leave it behind the church. Just a thought.

In a few weeks, I'll be asking you to bring in a packet of your favourite wild flower seeds for a shady area. We can, perhaps, have a friendly competition to see whose flowers grow best! More details to follow. I'm getting excited!



[Latest edition of EcoCarer enclosed in this notice sheet; spares and previous editions available from the display stand in the Welcome Space.]



OFF WE GO AGAIN ... My daughter Erica is running in the '**Cancer Research Race for Life**' on 12 July this year for the 19th year!

If you wish to donate to this very worthwhile cause, the link is:

<https://emea01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Ffundraise.cancerresearchuk.org%2Fpage%2Fericas-race-for-life-171529183096%3Ffrom%3Demail&data=05%7C02%7C%7C2bd62b9c8045409e454508de79c8f07f%7C84df9e7fe9f640afb435aaaaaaaaaaaa%7C1%7C0%7C639082101094148472%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJFbXB0eU1hcGkiOnRydWUsIlYiOiIlwLjAuMDAwMCIslAIoiJXaW4zMilslkFOljoitWFBpbClldUIjoyfQ%3D%3D%7C0%7C%7C%7C&sdata=sccxXmsh0IK%2FmCSwcn1bNQJ1sl2Vq2l3YqZH0KugyQ%3D&reserved=0>

Cheques made payable to Cancer Research UK, and cash, are obviously still most acceptable.

The amount we raised last year was £1,143. So here's to 2026!

Maureen Tucker: 01296 486619. 07790 581197

AYLESBURY SHOPMOBILITY: WE ARE MOVING!!

On the **31st July** we are moving venue to the Friars Square car park, that is part of the Friars Square shopping centre in Aylesbury. **It is still free parking and free to use around the town centre**, with a small charge for overnight hire.

We have more mobility equipment than advertised, such as power chairs, etc. **Longer-term hire of scooters**, wheelchairs and walkers is also available, eg for days out and holidays, at very affordable rates.

**Aylesbury Shopmobility, Level 1, Friars Square multi-storey car park,
29 Station Way, Aylesbury, HP20 1RU.**

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Don't forget your donations for the Aylesbury Foodbank.

Currently, the greatest need is for:

Custard, Tinned Meat, Tinned Fruit, Breakfast Cereal.

But all donations are welcome. Strong Carrier Bags, Toiletries, Washing-up Liquid & Laundry Detergent pods are always needed.



CHURCH READINGS: June - August 2026. There is a new sheet on the noticeboard, so if you are willing to join our rota for reading the lesson in Church occasionally, please sign up for the week you would like to read, with just your name (no contact details – **unless you are new to reading the lesson**), and a steward will contact you during that week with the reading. If you have any questions, **or if you are joining the reading rota for the first time**, please speak to one of the stewards.



Prayer Requests. If you have requests for people or situations to be included in the prayers, there is a Prayer Request folder in the display cabinet in the Welcome Space for you to write in, or you could let a steward know in advance.

Our Prayer Group also meets on alternate Tuesdays, 10.45am-12 noon, and are very happy to receive prayer requests. They would also welcome anyone who would like to join them. Please email Ruby: rubydarku@hotmail.co.uk



Next Week

The Coffee Bar in the Welcome Space is usually open on Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays, 10am – 12 noon.

Mon	22 June	6.15pm 6.30 – 8.00pm	Girls' Brigade Food Hub
Tues	23 June	9.30am 2.00pm 6.00pm	Chair Yoga Banner Group Boys' Brigade
Thurs	25 June	10.00am 7.30pm	Sunbeams Baby & Toddler Group Church Council meeting
Frid	26 June	2.30pm	Friday Feathers Badminton Club
Sat	27 June	9.30am	REPAIR CAFE

Sunday 28th June 2026

10.30am: Morning Worship led by Rev Richard Atkinson.

The designated fire officers are the Duty Stewards
First Aid boxes are located in each of the kitchens
Fire doors must not be wedged open, except those fitted with Dorgard (Please ensure other doors close behind you after passing through
Duty Manager - (Kevin Hardern: 01296 481285 Mobile: 07785 950 702)