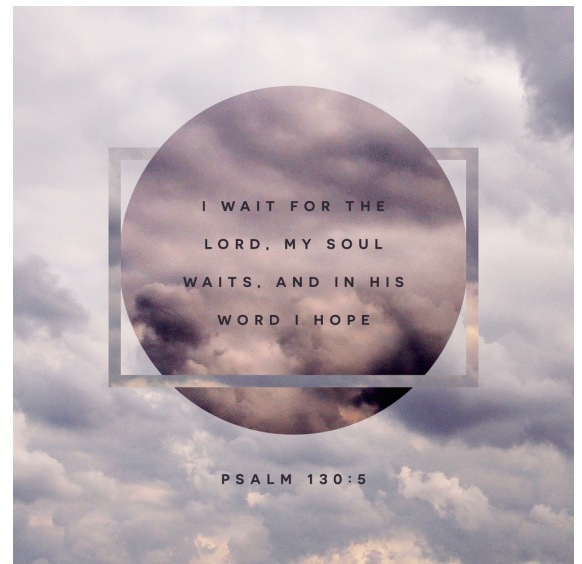


FOUR OAKS METHODIST CHURCH

**'We seek to be a beacon
for Christ –
Radiating the love of God through
Worship, Word and Witness'**

**Notices for the week commencing
Sunday 21st April 2024**



'23.3 He restores my soul ...'

Sunday, 21st April

10.30am: G. Constantine and A. Constantine.

Flowers: This week's flowers, have been sponsored by John White in memory of his wife, Mavis & arranged by Ann Eite.

Coffee: Coffee will be served by the 'Ladies Friendship Club'. Please stay and join us.

Midweek Service: Wednesday, 24th April

10.30am: Sue Hayden.

Sunday, 28th April

10.30am: Members of the Congregation using the Vine

Coffee: Coffee will be served by the 'Action for Children'. Please stay and join us.

Midweek Service: Wednesday, 1st May

10.30am: Jack McGinnigle.

Sunday, 5th May

10.30am: Yvette Morgan.

Coffee: Coffee will be served by Carolyn & Bill Humpherson. Please stay and join us.

Church News



Sutton Coldfield Wind Orchestra

A Movie Matinee - Film Music for All Ages!

Sunday 28th April, 2024 - from 3pm

Tickets are £10 for adults (FREE for under 16's)

Methodist Women in Britain

Birmingham District Spring Meeting

Saturday 27th April, 2024

10.30am - 3.30pm

Erdington Methodist Church

Wesley Road, Erdington, B23 6TX

Morning Speaker: A representative from
MHA Live at Home.

Please bring food for a 'bring and share'
lunch.

Afternoon Speaker: A representative from
Deep Griha.

Ladies Friendship Club

Tuesday 7th May

Jono Suffergettes.

Men's Fellowship

The next meeting, with speaker 'Tom Watts',
will take place on:

Friday 26th April, 2024

7.30pm in the Hillfield Room

All are welcome. John Rootham

The Messenger

May 2024

*The next edition of the 'Messenger' will be
published, ready for:*

Sunday 5th May.

*If you have anything to share with the
Church family for the next edition, please
can you get this to Sue as soon as
you can, and no later than:*

Wednesday 24th April.

Sue highlight's that:

"At the moment we have only 1 article!

*I know that there are lots of things
happening at the church - and, your
contributions and updates are as always
both welcomed and appreciated. ..."*

*Contributions can be emailed to
fomcmessenger@hotmail.com, or sent to
the office or given to Sue whenever you
see her. Thank you.*

**The floodlighting for the month of
April** - is sponsored by: Jenny Jeffries
in loving memory of 'Terry', also twin
sister 'Pauline' and both sets of
parents.



**Methodist Women
in Britain**

for women, for justice, for Christ

**MWiB:
Birmingham District
Spring Meeting**

On Saturday 27 April
At Erdington Methodist Church
Wesley Road, Erdington, B23 6TX
10.30-3.30

All Welcome including Men

Please bring food for "bring and share lunch" drinks will be provided .

In the morning there will be a speaker from
MHA Live at Home Scheme

In the afternoon there will be speakers
from Deep Griha a charity that helps to
feed older people in India

**SUTTON COLDFIELD WIND ORCHESTRA
PRESENTS**

A MOVIE MATINEE

FANTASTIC FILM MUSIC FOR ALL AGES

RAISING MONEY FOR SPECIAL OLYMPICS

SUNDAY 28TH APRIL 2024 - 3PM



FOUR OAKS METHODIST CHURCH

TICKETS: £10 ADULT; UNDER 16 FREE

AVAILABLE ON THE DOOR

FOR DETAILS CONTACT:

SCW.ORCHESTRA@GMAIL.COM

Special Olympics
Sutton Coldfield



Raffle and refreshments too!



ENJOY A GOOD READ?

You will be able to find copies of the latest CONNEXION MAGAZINE in the Church Office. Please take, read and learn what other churches are doing in their communities and think whether we, as a Church Family, may help our community in similar ways.

You can also 'click on', and download the latest issue, today!



The General Church Meeting 2024

This year's meeting, following the morning service, will take place on:

Sunday 12th May, 2024.

Leaders of all Church groups are asked to send through their brief 'summary of activities', please - to: Jacqueline, in the Church office.

fouroakschurch@outlook.com

It would be preferable if all 'written contributions' could arrive before Easter weekend - so that a 'GCM' booklet can be produced, ready for the meeting.

Thank You.

Carolyn Nicholl (FOMC Church Council Secretary)

News from the District

The Sutton Park Circuit have been asked, through the District, to share this invitation to the Mayoral Assembly organised by Citizens UK to those churches that are within the West Midlands Mayoral area.

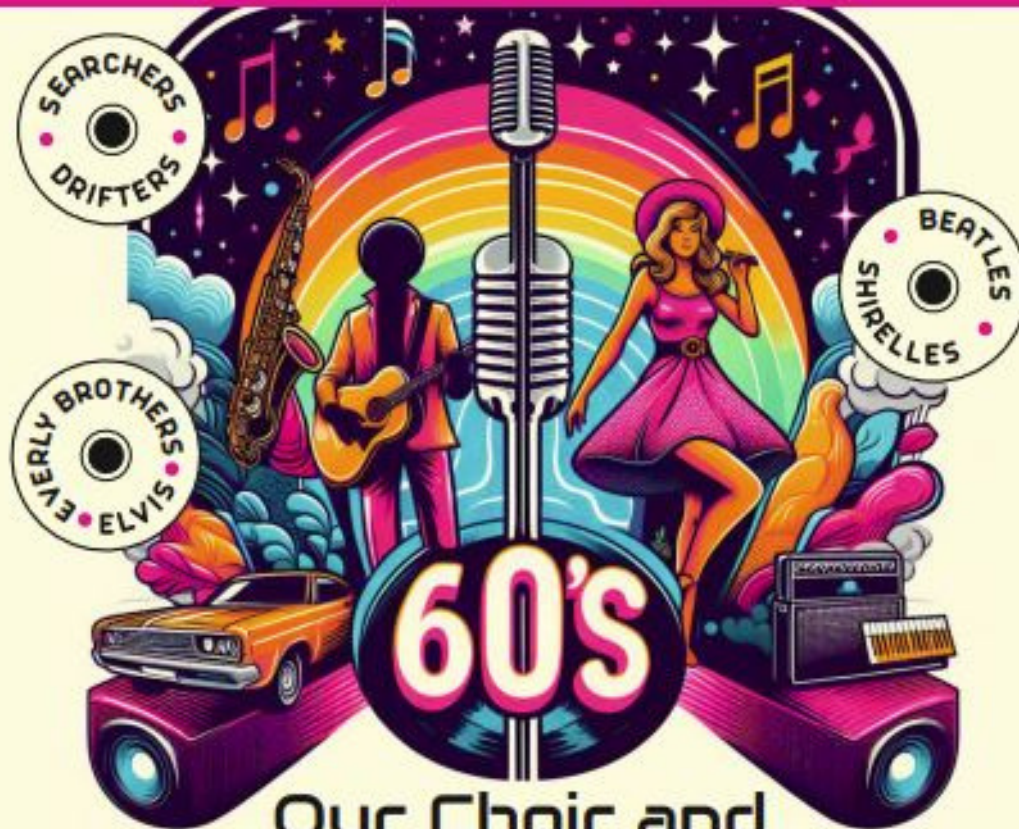
The Citizens UK Mayoral Assembly, takes place on:

25th April at 6pm in the Birmingham University Great Hall.

To book your place, please click on the link below (or copy & paste -or, type it into your browser).

<https://actionnetwork.org/events/25april2024>

Sing-along event



Our Choir and No Direction

Join us and singalong with favourites from the 1960's

Saturday 27th April ~ 7.30pm

at Four Oaks Methodist Church, 155 Lichfield Road,
Sutton Coldfield B74 2UU

Tickets £10 including light refreshments (under 12's free)

For tickets email: fouroakschurch@outlook.com
or telephone **0121 308 7425**

Proceeds in aid of Birmingham Children's Hospital

GDPR inspection

(Ian Bosman)

I should like to make you aware that: the GDPR inspection needs to be completed, by each church, **by the end of May 2024 at the latest.**

Please consider the personal data you hold and store for others, regardless of their membership status.

It is important that your contact lists are up-to-date and do not include past members.

You are also asked to certify that all the items (see below) have been carried, out

Click on the link, for further details: <https://forms.gle/RhtiMwRJARtaBphVA>.

Please note that this is an opt in consent and cannot be taken any other way.

Please also note that the church must have issued a privacy notice, informing data subjects how their data will be processed and ensure they have informed consent for it. Subjects have the right to access any personal data the church stores about them, via the submission of a 'Subject Access Request' (SAR).

Personal data can be held on a secure computer - or, as a paper file kept in a locked drawer, neither of which can be accessed by an individual away from the workplace.

If you have any questions, please email: fouroaksproperty@gmail.com

Reply clicking the checks with Yes. Please sign and date your reply.

- Check 2** – Data Cleansing: Have you destroyed any privacy information that is no longer required?
- Check 3** – Managing Trustees' Privacy Notice: Have you read the current "Managing Trustees' Privacy Notice" and is the most up to date version easily available to those whose personal information you hold?
- Check 4** – Accuracy: Is all the contact information you hold still correct?
- Check 5** – Consents: Do you have all the consents in place that you need and are these up to date?
- Check 6** – Records: Is the Church body's 'Processor Record' up to date?
- Check 7** – Security: Is all the personal information you hold secure?

Weekly Activities

Monday Fellowship - 2.00pm

Monday 4.45 pm Rainbows

Monday 6.00 pm Brownies

Monday 7.00 pm Cubs

Monday 7.30 pm Guides

Tuesday 6.00 pm Beavers

Thursday 7.30 pm Scouts

Friday 8.00pm FOCUS Explorer Scouts

Thursday 9.30am - 11.30am Baby & Toddlers

Friday (the last of the month) 7.30 pm Men's Fellowship Group

Saturday Morning Drop In - 10.00am - 12 Noon

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Office open: Tuesday & Wednesday 10.30am - 1.30pm & Friday 9.00am - 12.00pm.

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