## Notices

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> May 2021 – check with David Bills Men's Breakfast 10.00am

Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> May 2021 – Local Arrangement 10.30am

On line services continue at 6.30pm on Sunday Evenings.

See card on Notice Board from Carole Welding thanking the church for the support she has received following Cedric's death. READ Acts 2.1-21

The Holy Spirit fills the disciples as they are gathered in an upper room in Jerusalem on the day of Jewish Pentecost festival. The Spirit empowers the disciples to proclaim the gospel for all those assembled in Jerusalem to hear, even though they spoke many languages. Peter assures the crowd that this is a fulfilment of a prophecy from Joel.

A note on the passage. The writer of Acts paints a vivid picture of this outpouring of God's Spirit, with echoes of the Sinai story where God is seen and heard as wind and fire. There is a clear indication of both diversity and unity as the Spirit rests on 'each of them' who are there to celebrate the feast of Pentecost together, and those from many nations hear the message in their own language. Peter's reference to Joel's prophecy also reminds his hearers that the Spirit is for all people.



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## Ask yourself:

What do you see in this picture? When have you experienced the power of the Holy Spirit?



## Wesley Methodist Church

Minister: Revd. Josephine Soon 01384 821854 Link for on line worship

https://www.valeofstour.org.uk/virtual-church/live/vosworship

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Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2021

10.30am

Welcome to

Mr Kevin Dunn



Take 10 minutes every day this week for some quiet breathing prayers. If time is limited, set an alarm so that you don't keep checking the time! Find a quiet place to sit comfortably. Breathe slowly in and out, as deeply as you can. At first, focus purely on your breathing. Once you have a rhythm going, pray in silence as you breathe in: 'Spirit of the living God'; and as you breath out: 'Fall afresh on me' (or other suitable words).