## Wesley Notices

Monday  $22^{nd}$  April – 7.30pm - Brierley Hill Choral Society

Tuesday  $23^{rd}$  April – 10am – 12 noon Daisy Craft

2.00pm - Tea and Natter at Amblecote Wordsley

Wednesday 24th April – 10am – 12 noon Daisy Craft

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April – 1.45pm Mount Pleasant School tea for parents

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April – 1.30pm - Friday Discussion Group

Saturday 27th April – 10.30am EDI training at Kingswinford

Sunday 28th April - 10.30am – **No service at WESLEY** joining with Amblecote Wordsley. Rev Alan Combes Holy Communion

4.00pm At Amblecote Wordsley - Headlight

Monday 29<sup>th</sup> April–7.30pm - Brierley Hill Choral Society

Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> April–10am – 12 noon Daisy Craft

2.00pm - Tea and Natter at Amblecote Wordsley

Wednesday 1st May- 10am - 12 noon Daisy Craft

7.30pm – Les Oiseaux

7.00pm at AW - Wesley & AW representatives meeting

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> May - Church being used as Polling Station

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May– 1.30pm - Friday Discussion Group

Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> May – 10.30am Coffee Morning

2.00pm – 5.00pm – Concertina Group

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> May – 10.30am Mr Martyn Filsak – Chapel Anniversary

Collection last week: - £124

## Acts 4:5-12 How we use our power and influence.

Peter and John had caused upset by preaching about Jesus' resurrection, and are being interrogated by the Council of Jerusalem. Asked by what power they are acting, Peter speaks about Jesus' death and resurrection. After discussing the situation, and knowing full well who Peter and John were, they order them to cease speaking and teaching in the name of Jesus. But Peter and John said they had to speak about what they had seen and heard. Not really knowing what to do, and wary of making things worse, the Council let them go

## First impressions.

- What circles do you move in? What power and influence do you have?
- Can you think of a time when doing something small has had a big impact?
- What small action could you take this week that might make a positive ripple in your community?



Pray



A prayer of thanksgiving. We give thanks, O God, that on your firm foundation we can build our lives, live our lives, find purpose and meaning, stability and peace. We give thanks that with you as our rock, our cornerstone, we can navigate the tussles and troubles of the world, not avoiding them, but making sense of them and doing all we can to make lives better. We give thanks that our faith in you steadies us when we are surrounded by false truths, greedy ways, or power–grabbing leaders who have no thought for anyone but themselves. For your promises and firm foundation, we give thanks. Amen.



Find some current newspapers or spend a few moments looking at news headlines on your phone. Think about the people in the news who have power and influence. Who uses it for good? And who misuses it?

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Diary Date:- Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> May 7.30pm, New Venture, Martyn Filsak leading a Prayer Meeting, all are welcome



## Wesley Methodist Church

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Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> April 2024

10.30am

Welcome to

Mr Andy Haynes