# Heptonstall

## Methodist Church

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# June 2012 Spring Newsletter

# Looking back

The Chapel Anniversary and Gift Day in October raised £1373 - thanks to everyone for all your support.

The Christmas Fayre (formerly he Bazaar) changed its time as well as its title, starting at 11.00 instead of 3.00 and serving lunches instead of teas. This was obviously a good move, as we raised £762 (a big increase on the previous year). Thanks to all who came to help and support us.

The united Christmas Morning service was held in the chapel and was enjoyed by all. The united Good Friday service was in the chapel, followed by the usual distribution of hot cross buns, the Christian community in the village joining to share the message with the crowds of visitors.



### **Looking Forward**

#### Saturday 9th June

10-12noon Coffee Morning at the home of Mrs Jessie Breeze, 5 Southfield, Heptonstall. Proceeds for the chapel and for the Forget-Me-Not Trust

#### Sunday 17th June

10.45am Sunday School Anniversary and Gift Day: Preacher Rev Tony Buglass

The service will include the dedication of the seat given by Heptonstall Parish Council in memory of John and Margaret Hardwood who did so much for the council and the chapel Please bring any gifts to the service, or send them to Rev Tony Buglass or the treasurer Miss Margaret Morgan at 32, Slack Top, Heptonstall HX7 7HA.

#### Wednesday 17th June

8.00pm Ladies' Evening in the Sunday School. Speaker: Rev Tony Buglass "Clerical Confessions - some ministerial musings" (Ministry as you've never seen it before...)

#### Saturday 30th June

8.00pm in the chapel: Julie Felix in Concert Presented by the Hebden Bridge Arts Festival

#### Sunday 1st July

9.15am St Thomas' - Patronal Festival

#### **Sunday 23rd September**

10.45am - Village Harvest Festival in the Methodist Church.

A new middle east crisis erupted last night as Dubai Television was refused permission to broadcast 'The Flintstones'. A spokesman for the channel said 'A claim was made that people in Dubai would not understand the humour, but we know for a fact that people in Abu Dhabi Do.'

If you think the graveyard is looking good, you are welcome to come and join the Tuesday Trimmers any Tuesday.

The same applies if you don't think it's looking good...

#### Gift Aid

I authorise Heptonstall Methodist Church to recover income tax on the enclosed gift and confirm that I pay UK Income/Capital gains Tax at least equal to the amount of tax being reclaimed in the relevant tax year.

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