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Lectionary

Jeremiah 1:4-10
Hebrews 12:18-29

Psalm 71:1-6
Luke 13:10-17

Prayer Focus

Bincknoll Lane in RWB
Birmingham District

Highworth Methodist Church in our Circuit
Puerto Rico Methodist Church

Please pray for the week's activities and those taking part:

Tuesday 26 August	10.00am	Tuesday Morning Pop-In & Light Lunch
Wednesday 27 August	9.30am	Walking Group
Saturday 30 August	4.00pm	Circuit Welcome Service for Rev. Ian Mead - see below
Sunday 31 August	10.30am	Worship Service - Stewards Service

Flowers - this week the flowers have been arranged by Pam Boole. If you know of anyone who might benefit from our flowers, please inform either Pam or a steward. This may be due to illness, bereavement, or maybe having something to celebrate. *Mary*

EXCITING NEWS! - at the last Church Council meeting it was agreed that the church would proceed with the appointment of its very own part-time Children and Families Worker.

The post-holder will be employed and managed by our church with a ministry emphasis on our church and town but with opportunities to minister elsewhere in our Circuit. Applications for grant funding from the Circuit and District are in the process of being made.

This is a very significant project with good progress having been made but much still to be done and much detail yet to be agreed. Stephen and Robin are steering it forward and members' prayer support is crucial.

There will be opportunities for members to be actively involved once the appointment has been made; and members will be able to financially support the project. Details to follow!

The full support of the church membership, in terms of encouragement, practical involvement, prayer support and finance, will be absolutely key to the success of this project, the final appointment and its subsequent outworking. *Stephen & Robin*

Circuit Service - Saturday 30 August at 4pm at Highworth Methodist Church, to welcome Rev. Ian Mead to our Circuit. Please join us. *Stewards*