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Lectionary

Jeremiah 32:1-3a, 6-15
1 Timothy 6:6-19

Psalm 91:1-6, 14-16
Luke 16:19-31

Prayer Focus

Bowman Court in RWB
Chester & Stoke-on-Trent District

Upper Thames Circuit
Sierra Leone Methodist Church

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

Tuesday 30 September	10.00am	Tuesday Morning Pop-In & Light Lunch - to include Longleaze Pre-School Harvest themed Craft Morning
Wednesday 1 October	2.15pm	Friendship Group - Work in Prisons
Friday 3 October	10.00am	Puddleducks
Sunday 5 October	10.30am	Worship Service, led by Pam Mullin

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

Pop-In are having a Harvest themed craft morning with the older children from Longleaze Pre-school. This will take place on **Tuesday 30 September 10.30am to 11.30am**. This will be followed by our usual lunch. Please join us - it will be a very special time. *Bev*

The funeral of **Peter Hayward** will be held on **Friday 3 October at 1pm**, at St Michael's Church in Brinkworth. Following the service, and whilst the family accompany the coffin, there will be teas and coffees served in the church and, once the family have returned, there will be refreshments in the Village Hall. *Stewards*

Church Work Day - *The Property & Finance Committee* are holding another work day to prepare our building for the winter season. Following the previous two successful property maintenance days the building is in a reasonable state of cleanliness and tidiness so we are only planning for the morning of **11 October from 9am**. There is a sign-up sheet in Hillside Hall - please add your name, even if you are only available for an hour. Refreshments will be available, and we are aiming to be finished no later than 1pm. Please consider helping as more hands will make the jobs much quicker and lighter for all. If you have identified any jobs that need to be done, or would be willing to help with completing the painting of the Wesley room, please speak to a member of the Property Team, (Roger, Nick, Gillian or Karen). Many thanks. *Property Team*

There will be a **Harvest Supper on Saturday 11 October at 5.30pm**. This will be a 'Bring & Share', with free entry, no need to book, just come along! Bring your own SOFT drinks - NO alcohol. There will be an opportunity to give towards our new **Children & Families Worker**. *Roger*

Harvest Sunday will be celebrated on **12 October**. Donations of dry foods can be brought which will then be given to **The Filling Station**. Financial donations will be given to **All We Can**, the Methodist charity. *Stewards*

If you have an item, please contact Mary on notices@rwbmc.co.uk by the preceding Tuesday evening