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23rd July 2023

SUNDAY SERVICE LED BY LOCAL ARRANGEMENT AT 10.30 A. M.

WELCOMING VERY SOON our new minister, Audrey Browne who joins NMC in September 2023. Let us keep her in prayers as she prepares to join the church family & serve Northwood and the surrounding areas.

2nd SUNDAY IN AUGUST – VISITING MINISTER: 13.8.23 - Rev. Alison Walker Lunch is being served in Oasis after the service. Please contact Daphne Bird or Karen Lane to reserve your place (by Wednesday 9th August) and notify them of any special dietary requirements. There will be a 'sign-up' sheet in the Church Vestibule from July 30th.

AN INVITE Our former Minister, Rev Dr Dave Dickinson, currently Superintendent Minister at Trinity Church, Cheam Road, Sutton SM1 1DZ, is holding his last service there before retiring on **30 July 2023**. He has been in touch to say that his Church have asked him to put out an invitation to his last service before retiring. **Morning worship is at 10.30am** followed by a 'farewell' at 11.30am. His Church would like some idea of numbers for anyone wanting to and able to attend, so suggest you let them know at <u>trinitychurchsutton@gmail.com</u> or phone their office number 0208 643 6884.

FOOD BANK The next delivery will be Friday August 4th. Thank you to all who give their continued and generous support. The Office reminds us supplies can dwindle during August but demand increases with children on school holidays needing a good deal of nourishment each day.

LITTLE ACORNS Doors open on **Mondays** (term time only, **EXCLUDING Bank Holidays**) at **9.30am** for toddlers, young children, parents, carers, grandparents & guardians. For more information contact Julia or Daphne.

REVIVAL PRAYER GROUP Wednesdays at 5pm in person - in the Family Room - a chance to come & pray for the church. A chance for brief worship, prayer and fellowship. All Welcome.

A **PRAYER** Heavenly Father, thank you for the opportunity to have a new start. Too many times, I have strayed from my relationship with you. In times of distress and worry, I chose to try and handle things on my own. Moments of frustration, anger, and sadness have flooded my body. In those conflicting times, I chose to stay away from you. I neglected to seek your help. Father, forgive me. You are the way, the truth, and the light. I ask you once again to guide me on the path to a new start in life. Please cover me with your love, protection, and mercy. Please allow me to show your love to others as I begin a new day. Thank You, Father, for your love and forgiveness. Thank You for searching and finding me again. (Deuteronomy 31:8) Thank You for never leaving me alone. In Your Name, **Amen.**

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