## CHURCH NOTICES - SUNDAY 15th JUNE 2025

Good morning, and a very warm welcome to St Anne's United Reformed Church – especially any visitors worshipping with us this morning. Tea and coffee will be served in the hall following worship, and everyone is welcome.

Sad news this morning – Jack Pickles passed away yesterday. Please keep his wife Maureen, and their family, in your prayers.

As you can see, Joyce Phair is not reading the notices this morning. She had her operation on Tuesday. It has been a hard week for her, and she has felt really supported and encouraged by all your prayers and good wishes. Rev Jim has been able to visit her while she was in hospital. Joyce came home late on Friday. As you can imagine she is tired. She loves visitors, but please could you ring her mobile first. Joyce and Chris celebrate their Ruby Wedding today, and Avril has done a beautiful flower arrangement in church. Unfortunately they were only able to see photographs of it. Please keep them both in your prayers.

A few advance notices:-

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> June the Thursday Club Afternoon Picnic will take place in the hall at 2pm. The cost is £10, and the last day for payment to Heather is the 19<sup>th</sup> June.

Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> June is the fundraising concert by the Encore Ladies Choir, in church between 2 and 4pm, followed by refreshments in the hall. Tickets are £6, and are available from Avril and Sheila.

This week we have:-

Starfishes on Monday from 9:30 to 11:30;

Thursday the Shoppers Service at 10am, which will be led by Rev Jim Williams. Coffee follows at 10:30, and choir practice at 11:00.

Messy Church on Friday starts at 3:30pm. New volunteers are always welcome, and we meet at 2:30.

Our service next Sunday will be led by our minister, Rev Jim, and we will have the pleasure of welcoming Pauline Whittingham into membership of our church family. Following our worship, Rev Jim will be conducting a short service in the Garden of Remembrance when the ashes of Pauline's late husband, Terry, will be interred.

This morning's worship will be led by Peter Melvin. Peter is an Elder at St Anne's. Peter, you are very welcome and we look forward to your message.