



PEASEDOWN ST JOHN
METHODIST CHURCH
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Notices for May

Sunday 3rd May

9:30am Breakfast

10:30am Messy Church led by Rev David Winstanley

Sunday 10th May

10:30am Harbour

10:30am Morning Worship with Holy Communion led by Rev David Winstanley

Sunday 17th May

10:30am Harbour

10:30am Morning Worship led by Rev Philip Turner

Sunday 24th May

10:30am Harbour

10:30am Pentecost & Aldersgate Sunday Service led by Rev Julian Albrow

Sunday 31st May

10:30am Harbour

10:30am Morning Worship led by Rev John Hayes

Welcome



Whether you are new to the church, a regular worshipper or just visiting, please come and join us for refreshments in the dining room after the service. If you would like prayer, then please come to the front of the church at the end of the service.

Spring Prayer Walk & Afternoon Tea – Monday 4th May, 2:30pm – 5pm



A Walk with a Purpose – Monday 4th May – Come on a mini-pilgrimage through our beautiful countryside. Meet at church at 2:30pm and we will walk for about one and a half hours (about 2 miles) with some stops for reflection and prayer. We will return to church for a bring and share tea at about 4:15pm. If you can't do the walk, then come and have tea anyway.

Christian Aid Week – 10th to 16th May



Sunday 10th May is the start of Christian Aid Week, a fund-raising week for some of the poorest communities across the world. If you would like to donate, please use either the envelopes, to be handed in with the usual collection, or the collection pots.

Donations can also be made via the card reader.

Find us on **Facebook**, search for “Peasedown St. John Methodist Church”
or “Peasedown Methodist Children and Family Worker”

Find service recordings on our **YouTube** page, search for “Peasedown Methodist Church”

General Church Meeting – Sunday 10th May



This year's GCM will take place during morning worship on Sunday 10th May. At this meeting we elect the Church Council and the Church Stewards for the coming year, please prayerfully consider putting your name forward for the Church Council and speak to David or one of the Stewards about the role of Church Steward. Nomination forms for both Church Council and Church Stewards will be displayed on the notice board in the dining room.

Church Council Meeting – Wednesday 20th May



The next Church Council Meeting will be on Wednesday 20th May at 7:30pm. If you are an elected Church Officer or Church Council representative, then please make every effort to attend this important meeting.

Hill House Weekend – Friday 26th to Sunday 28th June



Our church family weekend away will be in June this year and we'll be staying at Hill House, near Bridgwater. It's a chance to talk, discover more about God, relax by the swimming pool, eat great food and worship together as a family. The weekend will be led by our minister Rev David Winstanley and there will be special groups and activities for the children.

All ages are welcome. The costs for the weekend, including all meals are:

Children: £15 to cover the cost of food, accommodation is free

Adults: £105pp for an en-suite room in the annex or £85pp in the main house with a shared bathroom. Both prices include all food for the weekend.

Please see Niki de Silva to book your place or for more information.

Eco Tip – No Mow May



Why not save some time and help the environment by taking a break from mowing your lawn in May? This will let wildflowers grow and bloom, providing pollen, nectar and shelter for insects and other wildlife. If you don't want to let your whole lawn grow, then just leave part of it.

Building Hope in a Hurt Creation – Saturday 6th June, 10am – 3pm



CAFE BANES are holding a Conference on Saturday 6th June at St Lukes Church, Wellsway Bath. There will be a keynote talk from Simon Topping, a variety of workshops on aspects of care for creation, and a number of exhibitions from groups working in the area of environmental care.

Please see the EcoChurch noticeboard for more details. Come, share and learn more.

The event is free, but donations are requested towards the costs.


It would help with the planning if you could let Ian Souter know if you are intending to come.

Services

Date	3 rd May	10 th May	17 th May	24 th May	31 st May
Time	10:30am	10:30am	10:30am	10:30am	10:30am
Notes	Messy Breakfast Church	Holy Communion		Pentecost & Aldersgate Sunday	
Preacher	Rev David Winstanley	Rev David Winstanley	Rev Philip Turner	Rev Julian Albrow	Rev John Hayes
Harbour	-	Karen Smith	Julie Winstanley	Jill Souter	Julie Winstanley
Steward	Elaine Hillier	Ali Wright	Francis Day	Ali Wright	Francis Day
Keyboard	Ruth Reeve	Ruth Reeve	Ruth Reeve	Jackie Cross	TBC
Tech	Nick Martin & Ian Sims	Nick Martin & Ian Sims	Nick Martin & Ian Sims	Nick Martin & Ian Sims	Francis Day & Tom Scott
Early Worship Songs	Richard Parry	Francis Day	Karen Smith	Francis Day	Jill Souter
Flowers	Karen Davies	Kathy Butler	Lizzie Souter	Malcolm Parry	Clare Midgley
Welcomers	Anne Button & Linda Day	Caroline Winn & Derek Edgell	Derek Button & Fliss Taylor	Rob & Ann Dunford	Derek Edgell & Linda Day
Counters	Jim Midgley & Sarah Lewis	Nick Martin & Ali Wright	Marilyn Martin & Karen Smith	Anna Sims & Clare Midgley	Jim Midgley & Francis Day

Next Notices

Please let Nick have anything for the next notices by **Thursday 28th May**

Birthdays		Anniversaries
	2nd Evie Chun, 3rd Joanne Fee, 5th Heather Solly, 10th Sally Pritchett, 16th Elaine Hillier & Catherine Edgell, 17th Rosemary Rowe & Derek Button, 29th Marilyn Martin	6th Janis & Martin Scott 11th Chris & Geoff Pulsford 12th Sarah & Adrian Brown 15th Catherine & Ron Edgell 30th Ruth & Colin Farrant

May Diary Dates		
Friday	1 st	9am Prayer Breakfast @ 3 Bloomfield Terrace 12pm Foodbank 1pm Lunch Club
Saturday	2 nd	6pm Strictly Worship
Sunday	3 rd	9:30am Breakfast 10:30am Messy Church led by Rev David Winstanley
Monday	4 th	2:30pm Spring Prayer Walk followed by afternoon tea (see above)
Tuesday	5 th	7:30pm Tuesday Evening Bible Study @ 20 Underleaf Way
Wednesday	6 th	10am Seeds Baby & Toddler Group
Thursday	7 th	11am Meet The Neighbours 6pm Lighthouse & Lagoon
Friday	8 th	12pm Foodbank
Saturday	9 th	No events
Sunday	10 th	10:30am Morning Worship with Holy Communion led by Rev David Winstanley 10:30am Harbour
Monday	11 th	7:30pm Monday Evening House Group @ 27 Underknoll 7:30pm Christian Living Group @ 20 Underleaf Way 8pm Monday Evening Bible Study @ 3 Bloomfield Terrace
Tuesday	12 th	7:30pm Tuesday Evening Bible Study @ 20 Underleaf Way
Wednesday	13 th	10am Seeds Baby & Toddler Group
Thursday	14 th	11am Meet The Neighbours 2pm Thursday Afternoon Bible Study @ Church 6pm Lighthouse & Lagoon
Friday	15 th	9am Prayer Breakfast @ 3 Bloomfield Terrace 12pm Foodbank
Saturday	16 th	9:30am Street Communion
Sunday	17 th	10:30am Morning Worship led by Rev Philip Turner 10:30am Harbour
Monday	18 th	7:30pm Monday Evening House Group @ 27 Underknoll
Tuesday	19 th	7:30pm Tuesday Evening Bible Study @ 20 Underleaf Way
Wednesday	20 th	10am Seeds Baby & Toddler Group
Thursday	21 st	11am Meet The Neighbours 6pm Lighthouse & Lagoon
Friday	22 nd	12pm Foodbank
Saturday	23 rd	10am Repair Café
Sunday	24 th	10:30am Pentecost & Aldersgate Sunday Service led by Rev Julian Albrow 10:30am Harbour
Monday	25 th	7:30pm Monday Evening House Group @ 27 Underknoll 7:30pm Christian Living Group @ 20 Underleaf Way
Tuesday	26 th	7:30pm Tuesday Evening Bible Study @ 20 Underleaf Way
Wednesday	27 th	No events
Thursday	28 th	11am Meet The Neighbours
Friday	29 th	9am Prayer Breakfast @ 3 Bloomfield Terrace 12pm Foodbank
Saturday	30 th	No events
Sunday	31 st	10:30am Morning Worship led by Rev John Hayes 10:30am Harbour