

St Helier Methodist Centre

January 21st, 2024

All Ages, All Nations, All Stages of Faith

WELCOME



There won't be a service at St Helier Methodist Centre this Sunday, instead we are joining our friends at either Georgetown, St.Martin, Bethlehem or St Aubin.

Our Children's group will continue at the Centre with a Mini-Messy and the Youth group.

Rotas for January 28th

Flowers	Leiden	Meet & Greet Tony H
Sound	Jan	Vision Malcolm
Coffee/Tea	Youth Group	
Welcome	Stewards	Vestry Francis
Helper	Tony H	

This Week at the Centre

Mon 22nd	Rascals - Toddlers aged 2+	10-12pm
Tue 23rd	Rascals – New-born under 6 months	10-12pm
Wed 24th	Rascals – Crawlers aged 1+	10-12pm
	Bible Group	6:30-8pm
	Music in Action rehearsals	5-10pm
Thu 25th	Café Teas/Coffee	10:30-1pm
	Thursday Fellowship	11am
	Lunch – Soup	12pm
	Music in Action rehearsals	6-10pm
Fri 26th	Move More Jersey	9:45–11:15
	Café Open for teas and coffees	
	Music in Action rehearsals	6-10pm
Sat 27th	Music in Action – JCO concert	7:30pm

- 1) Beetle Drive, being held at St. Helier Methodist Centre on Saturday 10th February, 6:30pm for a 7pm start. Come and join in the fun, all welcome, all donations will go to Kairos. Speak to David V for details.**
- 2) Esperado, Janet and Stephen Thorne will be providing an update on the work of Esperado on Sunday 28th January. A cake and book sale will be held following the Service.**

3) Bethlehem's Supper and Cinema, on Saturday 20 January, Bethlehem are showing 'A Man Called Otto'. Supper at 6.00pm, film at 7.30pm. To book your place contact: Dianne on 07797 747621 or diannehuddlestone@gmail.com

4) Sing the Messiah? Would you like to Come and Sing Messiah on Saturday 3 February, 6.00pm at the St Helier Methodist Centre? Presented by the Jersey Music Association (under Francis Murton), they would like to bring singers from across the island to perform together to launch 2024 in a positive way and hope that different groups across the island would like to get involved with this project too.

If you would like to be involved, please register on <https://forms.gle/V7HYVvC3CdsUaAoR9> and turn up at the first rehearsal on Friday 19 January. When you register, they will send a confirmation email with more detailed information.

- **Friday 19 January 7.00-9.00pm** at Jersey College for Girls - Evening rehearsal for singers
- **Saturday 3 February 1.00-3.00pm** at St Helier Methodist Centre - Afternoon rehearsal for singers
- **Saturday 3 February 6.00pm** at St Helier Methodist Centre - Evening performance
- **Conductor:** John Bowley (Head of Music, Jersey College for Girls)
- **Organist:** Francis Murton (Director of Music, Victoria College)
- **Soloists:** local singers and teachers, including Imogen Nicholls, Gitte-Maj Donoghue, Michael Wynne, William Millow
- **Music:** Watkins Shaw/Prout editions preferred; some copies would be available to hire

Cost: There is a charge of £10 each for singer taking part.
Payment will be taken at the rehearsal. You may have friends and family who would like to come to hear the performance, tickets available through www.ticketsource.co.uk/jma

This week we will remember in prayer the Salvation Army Jersey, Lieuts Alice and Richard Nunn.

God of mystery and imagination,
help us to see you in both the unexpected and the familiar,
for surely you are present in all things.
The stranger who, from nowhere, stops to help; the beloved friend who speaks a word of comfort; the stone when lifted reveals the life beneath; the child who marvels at such a world of tiny beings,
unnoticed and essential – all these display the wonders of your love, ever present if not always known.
In these times of uncertainty and doubt, enable us to lift our eyes to heaven.
Remembering the stars are always there but that it takes the darkness to reveal them. Amen.
Sheryl Anderson, District Chair, Liverpool District



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