

St Helier Methodist Centre

April 13th, 2025

All Ages, All Nations, All Stages of Faith

Palm Sunday



We extend a warm welcome to those who are here for the first time, do stay for coffee following the service so that we can get to know you better.

This mornings 10.30am Communion service will be led by Keith. Don't forget that you're invited to prayers before the service in the Little chapel from 10:00am onwards.

This week we will remember in prayer St Mark's Anglican church, Peter Clayton.

Rotas for April 20th

Flowers	Leah	Meet & Greet	Jane
Sound	Martin	Vision	Lucas
Coffee/Tea	Hazel & Val		
Welcome	Martin	Vestry	Ajay
Helper	Nell		

Meetings for April

Tue 15th **Stewards Meeting** **7:30pm**

It is with great sadness we heard of our dear Enid's passing on Monday morning. Enid was a much loved and respected member of our church community. Our thoughts and prayers are with her family. Rest in Peace & Rise in Glory, through Christ our Lord.

- 1) Good Friday, the services being held on Good Friday (18th April) will be as follows:**
 - Reflective service in the Church at 10:30am
 - Messy, all age service in the hall starting with crafts at 10am
- 2) Sunrise Easter Service, a short service will take place on Sunday 20th April at 6am which will be led by Rev Peter to praise the risen Lord in the first light of Easter Day. The service will be held off the loop road opposite Les Fontaine Tavern, La Route du Nord, St.John. All welcome.**
- 3) Sunday School & Youth groups, there will not be any Sunday school on Sunday 13th April, but Youth will continue as normal. On Sunday 20th April, there will not be any Sunday school or Youth. Please check your individual WhatsApp groups for any updates. Thanks, Sally & Ellen**
- 4) Fellowship, there is no Thursday fellowship being held on Thursday 17th April**

5) Celebrating 250 years of Methodism in Jersey

Saturday 26th April:

- Question Time – 12pm to 1pm at the Town Church Hall

Sunday 27th April:

- History walk – 10:30am in St Helier
- 250th Anniversary Celebration service – 3pm at SHMC

Dear Church Family,

This week we enter Holy Week

Sunday morning will be filled with Hosanas and praise before we move towards the events that mark the arrest and crucifixion. This year there will be a very special service on Maundy Thursday called the Service of Shadows. It begins with communion led by Rev. Peter at 7 pm in the fellowship hall at Ebenezer Methodist Church. The Service of Shadows follows in the sanctuary at 8 pm. This service involves a dramatic reading of the passion. People can come to one or both services that evening. We should be finished by 9 pm.

Good Friday services will be led by Rev Dawn at 10:30 here at The Methodist Centre. The children and youth service will begin in the fellowship hall at 10 am. This service will be co- led by myself, Ellen and Lorraine.

Of course, Easter Sunday at 10:30 will be a joyous occasion when our Hosanas become Alleluias to mark the victory of Christ's resurrection. I am grateful that Martin will lead this service on Easter morning.

My prayer is that each service will provide the church family and friends with meaningful opportunities to reflect on the meaning of this important time.

Blessings, Rev Keith

Order of Service

Call to worship

Hymn 263

Hosanna

Prayer

Hymn 264

Make way

Reading

Luke 19:28-40

Sermon

Prayer of the people

Offertory hymn 277

My song is love unknown

Holy Communion

Hymn 287

When I survey the wondrous cross

Blessing



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