

Notices for Sunday 3 August 2025

Our Mission

As part of the worldwide Christian church, to preach the Christian message, provide facilities for Christian worship and to serve the needs of the community.

Welcome. We are pleased you are joining us in worship today.

10.30am Morning Worship

Led by Deacon Gill Judge

Organist David Hopkins

Stewards Rosemary Hill & Di Skinner

Door Stewards Judith Hewins & Anne Le Poidevin

Bible Reader Hilary Morgan AV Desk Dave Rigby

Coffee Ann Thornton & Sylvia Kingston

6pm Evening Worship on Zoom

Led by Rev Sarah Knebel

Logon from 5.50pm. Zoom code available from the Circuit

Office:office.pbmc@gmail.com

Lectionary readings for this week

Hosea 11:1-11 Psalm 107:1-9, 43

Colossians 3:1-11 Luke 12:13-21

Praying together this week ~ Churches Together in Broadstone (August's prayers have been prepared for us by St Anthony's RC Church) We pray that all families in Broadstone during this holiday period may enjoy a closer bond.

Summer changes to our usual activities

Junior Church does not run during August. The children who attend on Sunday mornings are valued members of our congregation and they are welcome to remain in the Sanctuary throughout the service if they would like to. Or if they prefer, we can provide pens and paper for them in the coffee lounge.

Church Badminton Group, Knit & Natter, Wendy House and Thirsty Thursday are also taking a break throughout August.

This week ~

Coffee Lounge

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday 10am -12noon

Funeral Service for Miss Jeanne Butt Monday 4 August at 11.30am

Jeanne's funeral service will be held at St. Michael's Church, Hamworthy, BH15 4HR. Refreshments will be served after the service in the church hall, and everyone is welcome to attend.

Stepping Stones Drop-In

Friday 8 August 2.30pm – 4pm

Afternoon meetings are held in our coffee lounge on the second Friday in every month, to support people with memory loss and their carers, and older people who live by themselves. This time, come and enjoy a cream tea plus plenty of chat and the usual activities.

Focus group meeting for our work with children & young families Monday 11 August, 7.30pm in Coffee Lounge (or Sanctuary)

We invite all those who currently help with our children's activities, plus **anyone else** who has an interest in this, to come and join a discussion to help us formulate a plan for the future. Rev Karen will chair this.

Church Garden Party for VJ Day

Sunday 17 August, 2pm - 4pm

Please join us for an afternoon tea, with cakes, garden games and a quiz, to mark the 80th anniversary of VJ Day (15 August). If you plan to attend, please sign up on the list on the noticeboard in the coffee lounge. This will help the catering team plan for the day.



PIVOT ~ final call for articles

This is a final call for articles for our autumn issue of Pivot. Please let us have your articles and photos, ideally as digital files, by today **Sunday 3 August** or let us know if you would like our assistance in putting your ideas together. We plan to publish this issue on **Sunday 7 September**.

Thank you. Annette Brooke, David Spracklen and Brian Tucknott.

BCP bus subsidies consultation

Residents in BCP are being asked to give their opinions regarding particular parts of the local bus service that are currently subsidised by the council. You can take part in the survey online at:

https://haveyoursay.bcpcouncil.gov.uk/bus-subsidies-2025

If you don't have Internet access and haven't received a paper copy of the survey, there is one spare copy on our reception desk with a prepaid envelope. You are welcome to take and use this if you're keen to send in your views.

Next noticesheet

Please contact Judith Hewins with any news or rota swaps by 7pm on **Tuesday 5 August**.

We hope you can join us for worship on Sunday 10 August

10.30am Morning Worship

Led by Mr Clive Allen

Organist Adrienne Allen

Stewards Mike Brooke & Jan Attard
Door Stewards Terry Millard & Eddy Gould

Bible Reader Anne Le Poidevin AV Desk Roseanne Field

Coffee Judith Hewins & Jan Davis

(Listen or read anytime)

Worship at Home (audio & printable version)

Led by Rev Sarah Knebel

Links to the audio and print versions are available on our own church website and on the Circuit website: www.poolebaymethodists.org.uk

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