

Notices for Sunday 27 September

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 for worship today

10.30am

Morning Worship

Led by Mrs Joan Jackson

Organist	Clive or Adrienne Allen
Stewards	David Endicott & Jan Attard
Door Stewards	Hilary Morgan & Terry Millard
Junior Church	Katja Wilson & Lynda Hurrell
Bible Reader	David Endicott
AV Desk	Brendan Cox
Coffee	Ann Thornton & Mike Brooke

6pm

Evening Worship on Zoom

Led by Rev Gill Le Boutillier-Scott

Logon from 5.50pm. Zoom code available from the
Circuit Office: office.pbmc@gmail.com

Lectionary for this week

Exodus 17: 1-7

Psalm 78: 1-4, 12-16

Philippians 2: 1-13

Matthew 21: 23-32

Praying together with Churches Together in Broadstone

September's prayers have been prepared by St John the Baptist Church

We pray for anyone facing specific financial pressures at this time; we pray that these burdens may be lifted from their shoulders and that they may find a way forward toward financial independence. We pray that they reach out to the services that are there to help them. We pray for all those who work in Citizens' Advice bureaux and for any debt advisory services. Bring them strength in all that they do. Amen.

Our regular weekly events

Monday 10am -12 noon	Knit & Natter
Monday 7.30pm - 9.30pm	Church Badminton Group
Tuesday 8.15pm -10pm	Church Table Tennis Group
Thursday 10am -11.30am	Wendy House Toddler Group
Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri & Sat 10am - noon	Tea and coffee served

Church Council Meeting

Monday 28 September, 7.30pm in the Coffee Lounge

Circuit Meeting

Tuesday 29 September, 7.30pm at Swanage Methodist Church

There are vacancies for 3 more Broadstone reps, alongside the existing ones - Sylvia, Eddy and Judith. For more info, chat to Rev Karen or any of the above.

Harvest gifts for Sunday 4 October

During our Harvest Festival worship next Sunday morning, we would be pleased to receive gifts of non-perishable items for Corfe Mullen Food Bank. We'll also have Gift Envelopes for cash donations to the Methodist Church's relief and development charity, "All We Can". If you would prefer, you could donate to them online at <https://www.allwecan.org.uk/give/>

"Bring & share" buffet lunch after the service. Please add your name to the list on the noticeboard and indicate whether you're bringing a savoury or sweet contribution. Please leave food in either of the kitchens/fridges before the service.

Link to Hope's shoebox appeal

There are now some Link to Hope leaflets at reception, which specify the items needed. You may be filling a box yourself - but if not, we would appreciate donations of suitable items so we can make up some boxes at church. Please leave them in the Porch Room. We have plenty hats, scarves and gloves. If you would like some for your own box, please ask Terry or Di Skinner. Boxes need to be in church by **Sunday 25 October**. Thank you.

Fairtrade Fortnight

Monday 21 Sept – Sunday 4 October

The focus of this year's Fairtrade campaign is "Fair Pay". Everyone deserves to earn enough to care for their family and their future, yet millions of farmers and workers growing the products we rely on still struggle to earn a decent living. Fairtrade exists to help change that. When farmers and workers earn more, they are better able to invest in their families, education, healthcare, businesses and communities. Our Fairtrade posters on the noticeboard have more information. Or see the Fairtrade Foundation website - <https://www.fairtrade.net/uk-en.html>

Plea for help - Sunday door steward rota

Please see the new blank rota on the noticeboard covering October to December and sign up if you are willing to greet people at the door on a Sunday morning. We are looking for 2 people per Sunday. Thank you.

Plea for help - Coffee Lounge rota

The new rota (Oct-Dec) is proving difficult to fill so we need to try and recruit some more volunteers. Please spread the word - maybe you can think of a friend or family member who might be interested? If so, Nikki would be pleased to hear from them. A big thank you to all those already giving of their time (including picking up extra slots to help plug the gaps) which helps us continue to provide this service, which we know is highly valued in our local community.

Items for the Notices

Please inform Judith of any news or rota changes for the next notice-sheet by 7pm on **Tuesday 29 September**.

We hope you can join us for worship on Sunday 4 October

10.30am

Harvest Festival

Including the Sacrament of Holy Communion

Led by Rev Karen James

Music	Worship Band
Stewards	Rosemary Hill & Di Skinner
Door Stewards	TBC
Junior Church	Sylvia Kingston & Eddy Gould
Bible Reader	Marilyn Greenaway
AV Desk	Dave Rigby
Coffee	Judith Hewins & Jan Davis

Followed by a "bring & share" lunch in the Bradbury Hall

Please see sign-up sheet on noticeboard

**(Listen or read
anytime)**

**Circuit online worship at-home service
(audio & printable versions)**

Led by Deacon Gill Judge

Links to the audio and print versions are available on our own church website and also at www.poolebaymethodists.com.

Church contacts

Minister	Rev Karen James	✉ Please use Contact Form on website
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