Broadstone Methodist Church
the church in the community

Notices for Sunday 1 November

All Saints Day

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 with Holy Communion**

Led by Rev Paul Arnold

Organist	Clive Allen
Stewards	Rosemary Hill & Di Skinner
Door Stewards	Judith Hewins & Hilary Morgan
Junior Church	Katja Wilson & Lynda Hurrell
Bible Reader	Hilary Morgan
AV Desk	Brendan Cox
Coffee	Ann Thornton & Sylvia Kingston

(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 church website and also at www.poolebaymethodists.

Lectionary for this week

Revelation 7: 9-17	Psalm 34: 1-10, 22
1 John 3: 1-3	Matthew 5: 1-12

Churches Together in Broadstone – praying together this week

November's prayers have been prepared by Broadstone URC

God of peace, in a world that can feel troubled and divided help us to be people who bring calm, kindness and understanding. Fill our hearts with your peace and help us to share it with others. 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

Also this week ~

Leadership Team Meeting
Monday 2 November, 7.30pm, David Jones Room

Keeping us up to date

It has become apparent that an increasing number of people have replaced their landline with a mobile phone. In order to keep our records up to date we would be grateful if you could let Marilyn and John know if you no longer use your landline number.

Call for articles for the winter issue

The editorial team is working on the next issue of Pivot which will focus on a Christmas/winter theme. We would particularly like photos relating to the season, e.g. manger/nativity scenes, Christmas trees, winter landscapes, to fill the 2 centre pages. Also a winter/Christmas recipe, as well as articles, reflections, prayers, poems etc. All are needed by **15 November**, so please contact one of the team named below if you have anything we could include. Thank you.
Mike Brooke, Anne Le Poidevin, John Hartigan, Lynda Hurrell.

November dates for your diary

Armistice Day Act of Remembrance
Wednesday 11 November
Please gather outside at 10.45am, on our front patio, in readiness for the Two Minutes' Silence at 11am. "We will remember them."

Coffee Lounge specials
Saturday 14 November, 10am - 12noon
Bacon rolls and toasted teacakes alongside our usual hot drinks.

Forest Holme Hospice Christmas Fair
Saturday 21 November, 10am - 12.30pm, Bradbury Hall
Crafts, jewellery, cakes, Christmas decorations and more. Free entry.

Church Anniversary Service and Lunch
Sunday 22 November, 10.30am
We will be welcoming Rev Sarah Knebel to lead our morning worship. A cooked lunch will be served upstairs afterwards. All welcome. Please look out for a sign-up sheet on the notice-board soon.

Broadstone Christmas Lights Switch-on
Saturday 28 November, early evening (time tbc)
Light refreshments will be served in our Coffee Lounge in support of this local community event when we see the switching on of the Christmas lights along the Broadway and on the Christmas tree in our church garden.

Before this, on Friday **27 November**, we'll be putting up our Christmas trees indoors and outside. Mike will be seeking volunteers to help him erect the trees, and we also need a small team to be responsible for decorating the indoor tree. Please let him know if you can help with either.

Items for next week's Notices

Please inform Judith Hewins of any news or rota changes for the next notice-sheet by 7pm on **Tuesday 3 November.**

We hope you can join us for worship on Remembrance Sunday, 8 November 2026

10.30am **Remembrance Service**

Led by Mr Eifron Hopper

Pianist	Christine Maguire
Stewards	Mike Brooke & John Hartigan
Door Stewards	Shirley Jupp & Pauline Meakin
Junior Church	Lynda Hurrell & Marilyn Greenaway
Bible Reader	John Hartigan
AV Desk	Roseanne Field
Coffee	Judith Hewins & Jan Davis

6pm **Remembrance Service on Zoom**

Led by Rev Sarah Knebel

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

Church contacts

Minister	Rev Karen James	✉ Please use Contact Form on website
Senior Steward	Mike Brooke	Tel. 01202 600696 (Church Office)
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