

Notices for Sunday 16 November 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 for worship today.

10.30am

Morning Worship

Led by Rev Chris Moreton

Organist	David Spracklen
Stewards	Jan Attard & Sylvia Kingston
Door Stewards	Judith Hewins & (TBC)
Junior Church	Katja Wilson & Roger Jackson
Bible Reader	Gloria Dennigan
AV Desk	Brendan Cox
Coffee	Jean Haines & Pauline Meakin

**(Listen or read
anytime)**

Worship-at-home: audio & printed service

Led by Rev Karen James

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

Lectionary for today

Isaiah 65:17-25

2 Thessalonians 3:6-13

Canticle: Isaiah 12:1-6

Luke 21:5-19

Churches Together in Broadstone ~ praying together

(November's prayers have been prepared by Rev Karen.)

"Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth: break forth into joyous song and sing praises." Psalm 98:4

A prayer from St Augustine of Hippo (354-430)

Grant us, O Lord, purity of heart and strength of purpose, that no passion may hinder us from knowing your will, and no weakness from doing it. In your light we may see light clearly, and in your service find perfect freedom, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Family & pastoral news

We send our sincere condolences to Terry, Eddy and all their family, following the death of Terry's mum Betty on Tuesday 11 November. Our thoughts and prayers are with them at this sad time.

Pivot Christmas Issue – last chance to submit an article

Our Christmas issue, due out on 6 December, will focus on family traditions and celebrations of Christmas. If you have special memories of Christmas from years ago or if there is something which brings home to you or your family every year the spirit of Christmas, please write a short piece about it (with a photo if possible) and send it to David or Mike by the end of today, Sunday 16 November.

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-12noon

Coffee Lounge open

Church Anniversary: Sunday 23 November

We look forward to welcoming Rev Rachel Bending (Chair of the Southampton District) to lead our Anniversary Service. Lunch will be served afterwards in the Bradbury Hall, followed by a talk and discussion with Rachel. If you plan to stay for lunch, please sign up on the list on the noticeboard in the Coffee Lounge.

PAT testing: Thursday 27 November

If you have any electrical item at home that you bring in for use on our premises, it must be included in our annual testing of church equipment. Please drop it off at the church office the day before, or speak to John Greenway or Nikki as soon as possible.

Local churches' events

➤ St John's Christmas Fayre - Saturday 22 November, 10am - 1pm

Lots of stalls including Christmas crafts and eco gifts/crafts, plus children's craft activities, a display about the value of holly and ivy for wildlife, refreshments and an appearance by Santa at 11am.

➤ St Anthony's Christmas Fair - Saturday 29 November

2pm - 4pm and 5.45pm - 7pm, with Mass in between.

Some stalls with an eco-theme will include pre-loved gifts, homemade jam, re-used Christmas wrapping paper and crafts from re-used materials.

Next Notices

Please contact Judith Hewins with rota swaps, news and events by 7pm on **Tuesday 18 November.**

***We invite you to join us for worship on
Sunday 23 November***

10.30am

Church Anniversary Morning Worship

Led by Rev Rachel Bending

Organist	David Spracklen
Stewards	David Endicott & Sylvia Kingston
Door Stewards	(TBC)
Junior Church	Eddy Gould & Judith Hewins
Bible Reader	Marilyn Greenaway
AV Desk	Dave Rigby
Coffee	Audrey & Derek Hugill

6pm

Evening Worship on Zoom

Led by Rev Karen James

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

Church contacts

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