

Sunday 31 July 2022

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 to worship this week, whether you are joining us in church or worshipping in your home.

10.30am

Morning Worship

Led by Deacon Gill Judge

The service includes the Baptism of Bethany

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| Pianist | Christine Maguire |
| Stewards | David Endicott & Barbara Talbot |
| Door Stewards | Leila Mears & Jean Haines |
| Junior Church | Sylvia Kingston & Judith Hewins |
| Bible Reader | Anne Le Poidevin |
| AV Desk | Dave Rigby |
| Coffee | Di Skinner & Leila Mears |

4pm

“20/20/20” - Church for every generation

Led by Deacon Gill Judge

At our bi-monthly intergenerational service we will continue to explore “Holy Habits”, this time the holy habit of Scripture reading.

6pm

Zoom Evening Worship

Led by Rev Betto Viana

Audio Worship: Poole Bay Circuit is not recording audio services over the coming month. These will resume on 4 September. Worship sheets for home use will, however, continue to be provided by our Circuit Ministers and will be available on the Circuit website and on our own Church website - and delivered, as usual, to those with no internet access.

Churches Together in Broadstone ~ Praying together this week

(July prayer intentions were prepared by Deacon Gill on behalf of Broadstone Methodists)

Living God, we pray for your church around the world and in this place. We long to see your kingdom come, and we ask that you use us to be your hands and feet and voice, wherever there is need or isolation or grief. We pray you will help us to be good stewards of your creation, good listeners where people are struggling, and good companions where people are searching for you.

Lord Jesus, come into our world afresh and turn longing and loneliness into belonging and fellowship. Amen.

Regular weekly events during the summer

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| Monday 10am – 12 noon | Knit & Natter |
| Monday 7.30pm – 9.30pm | Church Badminton Group |
| Mon, Weds, Fri & Sat. 10am -12 noon | Tea and coffee served in the Coffee Lounge |

Worship Consultation

Wednesday 3 August, 7.30pm in the Coffee Lounge

We will be discussing our worship plans for the period October to December. This is an open meeting and we would welcome any church member who would like to contribute.

Thursday Afternoon Group (TAG)

A reminder that the TAG meeting originally planned for 4 August has been cancelled. We will meet again as normal on Thursday 1 September.

Family and pastoral news

- We send our congratulations and best wishes to Joan T. who will be celebrating her 90th birthday next Sunday.
- We offer our condolences to the family of our friend Margaret Shave, who has died recently. At the time of writing, we don't have any details about her funeral, except that it is being handled by Tappers Funeral Directors.

Church flowers

On behalf of the church congregation and coffee lounge visitors, I would like to say a big thank you to Hazel Rodenhurst who has continued to keep the Sanctuary flower pedestal going throughout the Covid pandemic. Also to Marilyn McLocklin, who has been putting fresh flowers on the coffee lounge tables since we were able to reopen. We are all so grateful, so a big **THANK YOU** to you both.

Audrey Hugill, Flower Rota Coordinator.

Pivot call for articles

The next issue of the Pivot magazine will be published in September. Articles need to be submitted by Weds 24 August please, to either Annette Brooke or David Spracklen. David and Annette are happy to be contacted, should you wish to discuss your ideas with them first.

We hope you can join us for worship next Sunday 7 August

10.30am **Morning Worship with Holy Communion**

Led by Rev Karen James

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| Organist | David Spracklen |
| Stewards | Joan Jackson & Jan Attard |
| Door Stewards | David & Jacky Evans |
| Bible Reader | Marilyn Greenaway |
| AV Desk | Roseanne Field |
| Coffee | Jean Haines & Pauline Meakin |

(No Junior Church in August)

6pm **Zoom Evening Worship - to be confirmed**

Next Sunday's notices

Please send news items and rota changes to Judith Hewins by 7pm on Tuesday 2 August.

Church contacts

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| Ministers | Rev Karen James; Deacon Gill Judge (See Key Contacts on our website) | |
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