

SUNDAY 7th April

8.00am Revd Christopher Jones (*Holy Communion*)
9.00am *Church Family Breakfast*
10.30am Mrs Valerie Liversidge
6.00pm Revd David Hookins (*Café Style Worship*)

The Coffee Bar is open - Monday to Saturday from 10am to 12 noon.

Silent Contemplation for Lent meditation sessions will take place from 9.30 – 10am on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday.

MONDAY 8th April

7.30pm Lent Study Group

TUESDAY 9th April

2.15pm Lent Study Group
7.30pm Worship Consultation Meeting

WEDNESDAY 10th April

10.00am Midweek Prayers
10.30am Belletones
2.00pm Art Group

THURSDAY 11th April

6.15pm Brownies

SUNDAY 14th April

8.00am Revd Tom Grant (*Holy Communion*)
9.00am *Church Family Breakfast*
10.30am Revd David Hookins
4.00pm *Little Blessings*
6.00pm Revd David Hookins
Three Churches United Service at URC



SALISBURY METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, 7th April 2019

Welcome to worship

Prayer for 10 minutes, 10.15 - 10.25am in Room 1, to pray for those taking part in the service. Do come and join us when you can.

Large print hymn books and sheets are available.
Loop system for those with hearing aids.

Small children are welcome to join our supervised crèche in Room 1. Toys are available in the welcome area for parents who wish to play with their children whilst listening to the service.

The candle prior to worship is a sign that we should keep a prayerful silence.

After morning service, please join us for refreshments in the Hall and visit the *Fairtrade* stall. *The 'Good News Book'* is available for use.

Mary Castles

The service of thanksgiving for Mary's life will be on Wednesday, 24th April at 2.30pm at SMc.

Cyclone Appeal

There will be a retiring collection today for the Disasters Emergency Committee appeal, for help to be sent to those suffering the effects of the cyclone that devastated parts of Africa. The basket is by the door in the welcome area, and Gift Aid forms and envelopes are available. If you would like to write a cheque, please make it payable to 'DEC Cyclone Appeal'. Thank you.

Easter Offering 2019

Envelopes and explanatory bookmarks are available in church from today. Following a tradition started 135 years ago, you are invited to make a donation at Easter time to the Methodist Church World Mission Fund.

This money is used to support our Mission Partners and the work they are doing across the world. Cheques should be made payable to the 'Methodist Church World Mission Fund' please. Further details are in the April Newsletter. Liz Chick

Monday, 8th April, 7.30pm & Tuesday, 9th April, 2.15pm – Lent Study Group Session 4:

In Room 1. Led by Revd David Hookins.

Tuesday, 9th April, 1pm – Soup Lunch & Lenten Talk

At St Thomas's Church.

Tuesday, 9th April, 7.30pm – Worship Consultation Meeting

All are welcome.

Wednesday, 10th April, 2 - 4.30pm – Movies with a Message

At Salisbury URC Hall. Week 5: *Christopher Robin*

A working-class family man, Christopher Robin, encounters his childhood friend Winnie-the-Pooh, who helps him to rediscover the joys of life. Starring Ewan McGregor. PG

Palm Sunday, 14th April – WANTED!

Several enthusiastic, noisy adults to support the children in a procession on Palm Sunday. Palm substitutes will be provided. Please see Paul Butler.

Palm Sunday, 14th April, 3pm – New Sarum Singers present Vivaldi's Gloria and excerpts from Handel's Messiah Part 2

At Bemerton Methodist Church. Free admission and parking. Retiring collection in aid of Salisbury District Hospital Stars Appeal.

Tuesday, 16th April, 8pm – Singers' Rehearsal for Easter Morning

All ages and stages very welcome to join this one-off group preparing to lead the singing on Easter morning. Any questions to Jonathan Robinson (music@salisburymethodist.org.uk).

Good Friday, 19th April, 7.30-8.30pm – Remember Me Today

At SMc.

Six characters involved in the first Good Friday reflect on their part in the events in a moving dramatised presentation.

Sunday, 5th May, 10.30am – Christian Aid Service

This will be a local arrangement. Paul Butler is recruiting a group to be involved in preparing and presenting the service. Please speak to him if you would like to be involved.

Are you / were you a midwife? The focus of Christian Aid Week this year is on childbirth and in particular the high risks that mothers run in Sierra Leone because of limited medical facilities. I would very much like to have the input of someone (or several people!) with direct experience involved in the Christian Aid service. Please speak to Paul Butler

Fairtrade Shop

The Real Easter Eggs (delicious luxury chocolate, plastic free and cheaper than in the supermarket!) are now available, along with a good selection of Easter cards and the new spring range of general greetings cards. Do come along and pick up a bargain.

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