

Salisbury Methodist Church
Notices for this week – March 17th 2024

Sunday 17th - Lent week 5

- 8.00 Holy Communion service led by Revd Dr Mark Cheetham
9.00 Church Family Breakfast – All Welcome
10.30 Streamed service led by Revd Dr Mark Cheetham

Monday 18th

- 5.30 – 7.30 The Listening Place

Tuesday 19th

- 10.00 a.m. Toddlers
2.00 – 4.00 Get Connected
2.15p.m. Sarum Fellowship – Lent course Week 5

Wednesday 20th

- 10.00 -12.00 Coffee in the welcome area & Fairtrade
10.00 -12.00 The Listening Place
10.30 a.m. Belletones
6.00 p.m. Beavers
6.30 p.m. Cubs
7.30 p.m. Scouts

Thursday 21st

- 2.30 CAMEO in the Hall – All welcome
6.00 p.m. Rainbows
6.30 p.m. Brownies

Friday 22nd

- 10.00 a.m. Toddlers
6.30 p.m. Guides & Rangers

Saturday 23rd

- 10.00 -12.00 The Listening Place
10.00 – 12.00 Coffee Bar & The Food Bank
10.00 - 2.00 Easter Extravaganza – All welcome

Sunday 24th – Palm Sunday

- 8.00 Holy Communion service led by Revd Judy Davies
9.00 Church Family Breakfast – All Welcome
10.30 Streamed service led by Revd Jane Taylor

The funeral service for Madeleine Bailey will take place on Monday 25th March at 2pm at SMC. We continue to hold her family and friends in our prayers.

Candlelight Peace Vigils for a permanent ceasefire now in Gaza, Israel and the West bank will continue weekly on Saturdays outside the Library from 5.15 to 5.45. - see poster in Welcome Area.

Get Connected: The next drop-in session is on Tuesday 19th March, 2.00pm – 4.00pm in the Welcome Area. If you need friendly help with your phone, tablet, or laptop, do come along.

Easter Eggstravaganza on Saturday 23rd March 10.00 to 12.00 Tea, coffee & cake. Lunches 12.00 to 13.30. Tombola, games & raffle. See the young people's Eggcellent egg schemes. All welcome. In aid of Church Funds. **“Donations of cakes will be welcome for this event.** Please drop them off at SMC on the morning of Friday (22nd) or early on the day.

A singing group is gathering to help lead the music at our Good Friday and Easter Morning services. If you could be a part of at least one of those, there will be an essential rehearsal on Wednesday 27th March at 8pm in the Sanctuary. All are invited and all are welcome. If you're then able to sing in both services, that would be marvellous. but even if it's just one, you're still needed. Ask Jonathan for any more information.

Let Justice Roll – Easter Offering for the World Church Fund envelopes are now available at church during Lent. Bookmarks will be giving information about the theme which will be followed at the Dedication service in May.

'SMC is hosting the National Methodist Youth Brass Band from 12th -14th April. There will be a concert on the Saturday night and they will be leading the worship on Sunday morning. They will be staying on the premises and we need to provide some meals.

We will need some volunteers to assist with welcoming and looking after our guests. If you can offer some time to help please see Christy-Anna or Fi.'

Lent Lectures 2024 All the lectures are available on the Cathedral website and all of course very applicable to 2024... **Last lecture -18th March, Just Economics** By Revd Dr Kenneth Padley, Canon Treasurer, Salisbury Cathedral

Maundy Thursday

7.30pm United service at St Thomas's Church

Good Friday

9.30am Hot Cross Bun Breakfast for all the Church family
10.30am Good Friday Service led by Revd Dr Mark Cheetham