

## Notices for Sunday 12 January 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 to worship

**10.30am**

#### **Covenant Service with Holy Communion**

Led by Rev Karen James

Organist	Clive Allen
Stewards	David Endicott & Barbara Talbot
Door Stewards	Marilyn & John Greenaway
Junior Church	Lynda Hurrell & Audrey Hugill
Bible Reader	Anne Le Poidevin
AV Desk	Dave Rigby
Coffee	Judith Hewins & Jan Davis

**6pm**

#### **Evening Worship on Zoom**

Led by Deacon Gill Judge

Logon from 5.50pm. Zoom code available from the Circuit Office:  
[office.pbmc@gmail.com](mailto:office.pbmc@gmail.com)

### Lectionary readings for this week

Isaiah 43:1-7

Psalm 29

Acts 8:14-17

Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

## **Churches Together in Broadstone – Praying Together**

*(January's prayers were prepared by St Anthony of Padua Church)*

We pray for the unemployed and those in financial difficulty in Broadstone.

We pray that they will not despair and will have faith, hope and love in Christ.

### **Action for Children**

Our fundraising for Action for Children over the Christmas period raised the grand total of £352. Breakdown as follows: £240 from donations received at the Carols and Cakes morning, £85 in Retiring Collection at our evening Carol Service and £27 in the "Christmas Card" collecting tin (given in lieu of writing multiple cards). Thank you to everyone who made a donation.

### **Family & pastoral news**

We remember in our prayers John Childs and his family following the recent death of Katherine. The funeral will be held at The Barn, Harbour View at 11am on Tuesday 21 January.

### **Our regular weekly events**

Monday 10am - 12 noon	Knit & Natter
Monday 7.30 - 9.30pm	Church Badminton Group
Thursday 10 - 11.30am	Wendy House Toddler Group
Thursday 3.15 - 4.30pm	Thirsty Thursday (After-School Group)
Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri, Sat 10am-12noon	Coffee Lounge open

## **Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, 18-25 January**

- **Café Breakfast Church for Christian Unity**

**Saturday 18 January, 10am – 11am at St John's Parish Hall, Broadstone**

Marking the start of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, a time of worship, chat, crafts, fun and a simple breakfast. All welcome.

- **Unity Service at Broadstone URC**

**Thursday 23 January. 11am refreshments; Service starts 11.15 / 11.30am**  
Again, all are welcome.

## Looking further ahead

### **Afternoon Tea for Volunteers**

**Saturday 25 January, 2pm - 4pm**

We are organising an Afternoon Tea in the Bradbury Hall for all those who help out in a voluntary role for Broadstone Methodist Church, in whatever capacity. If you would like to attend, please sign up on the list on the noticeboard in the coffee lounge, and please also let us know if you can make or donate a cake. *Thank you. Terry Millard and Di Skinner.*

### **Café Church**

**Sunday 9 February at 4pm**

Our speaker will be Professor John Evans, on "The Environment and Eco-Church". (Please *note the earlier start time in the winter months.*)

### **Sunday Lunch**

**Sunday 16 February at 12.30pm**

After the Church anniversary lunch it was suggested that we hold another meal before too long, as many of our friends really value meeting together for food and fellowship. The next Sunday lunch will be on 16th February after the morning service, at about 12.30pm. If you would like to come, please sign on the list in the coffee lounge and indicate if you have any special dietary requirements.

### **Next noticesheet**

If you have any announcements, news items or rota swaps to be included in next week's Notices (29 December), please advise Judith Hewins by 7pm on **Tuesday 14 January.**

***We hope you can join us for worship next Sunday  
19 January 2025***

**10.30am**

**Morning Worship**

Led by Deacon Gill Judge

*Service includes the Baptism of Felicity*

Organist	Elizabeth Rundle
Stewards	Mike Brooke & Di Skinner
Door Stewards	Jackie Evans & Carol Keyte
Junior Church	Sylvia Kingston & Roger Jackson
Bible Reader	Marilyn Greenaway
AV Desk	Roseanne Field
Coffee	Kay Endicott & Robert Maguire

**(Listen or read  
anytime)**

**Worship at Home: audio & printed service**

Led by Dr Julian Tawn

Links to the audio and print versions are available on our own church website and on the Circuit website:

[www.poolebaymethodists.org.uk](http://www.poolebaymethodists.org.uk)

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