

GROVE METHODIST CHURCH

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BULLETIN



6th APRIL 2014

Minister: Rev'd Alistair Jones

Today's music is supplied by: Mitzi & The Orchestra.
5th SUNDAY IN LENT.

This week and into next.....

Mon 7 th	10:00 am	Lent Group at the home of Carole and Philip Abel, 8 Hall Park Drive.
Mon 7 th	12:00 pm	Luncheon Club in the Main Hall.
Mon 7 th	1:30 pm	Women's Fellowship Meeting in the Small Hall. Speaker: Mrs Jocelyn Brooks 'Holy Week',
Mon 7 th	7:30 pm	Worship Consultation Meeting in the Parlour.
Tues 8 th	9:00 am	Prayer Meeting in the Quiet Room
Tues 8 th	10:00-11:30	Tuesday Coffee Morning in the Small Hall.
Tues 8 th	7:30 pm	LENT Group at the home of Margaret Bosomworth, 34 Knoll Wood Park.
Wed 9 th	2:00 pm	Line Dancing in the Main Hall.
Thu 10 th	11:00 am	Lent Group meeting at the home of Mrs Anne Blackburn, 63 West End Lane.
Sat 12 th	10:00-12:00	Shoppers Coffee Morning at Central.



13 th April	10:30 am	Palm Sunday Service
13 th April	6:00 pm	United Service at Central
14 th -16 th April	7:30-8:00 pm	Short meditative services at Grove Church.
17 th April	7:30 pm	Maundy Thursday Service.
18 th April GOOD FRIDAY	11:30 am 12:00 noon 7:30 pm	Walk of Witness from St Mary's, Broadgate Lane. Service on the Green followed by soup and hot cross buns at the Grove. (Proceeds from lunch to be given to Mission Aviation Fellowship). Good Friday musical service at the Grove.

EASTER

20 th April	6:00 am	Dawn Service in Hall Park (Led by Revd A Jones) Followed by a light breakfast at The Grove.
Easter Day	10:30 am 6:00 pm	Easter Morning Service (& Dressing of the cross). United Service of Holy Communion.

10:30 am Parade/All Age Service led by the Revd Alistair Jones.

Introit
Dressing the Lenten Cross.
Hammer & Nails: Choir Members.
 Reader: Matthew 27: 32-38(P999)
 Reader: Lord have mercy.
 All: Christ have mercy.
 HYMN: StF 594 "Lord Jesus Christ"
 Prayers of Thanks and Praise
 The Lord's Prayer
 HYMN: StF 164 "Your words to me"
 Family News
 J Team leave.
 Offertory & Dedication
 Reading: Mark 12: 28 – 34 (P978)
 Scripture & Holiness
 HYMN: StF 504 "May the mind"
 Knowing why we are who we are
 Prayers for the World
 Reading: Romans 8: 6 – 11 (P134)
 Vested interests & false traditions
 HYMN: StF 545 "Be thou my vision"
 Blessing
 The National Anthem
 Will the congregation please remain standing while the flags and bearers leave the Church.

6:00 pm Evening Service led by the Revd Godfrey Nicholson.

Call to Worship
 HYMN: HP 439 "I'll praise my Maker while I've breath"
 Prayer
 The Lord's Prayer
 Reading:
 Deuteronomy 15: 12-18 (P194)
 HYMN: HP 258 "Jesu, Thou joy of loving hearts"
 Reading:
 Matthew 20:17-34 (P988)
 HYMN: HP 805 "Thy faithfulness, Lord, each moment we find"
 Sermon: A Ransom for Many
 HYMN: HP 217 "Arise, my soul, arise"
 Intercessions
 Offering
 HYMN: HP 463 "Ti
 glory"
 Blessing





FAMILY NEWS: Please remember friends who would value your prayers.

Stan Ramsden, Mary Hart, Nancy Mathers, Chris Shagouri, Ros Revell, Margaret Reasbeck, Christine Wilson, Kathleen Taylor, Margaret Simmons, John Ashby, Florence Bonfield and Tony Emmott.



A very big thank you to the Grove Church family for all your love and concern during my recent stay in hospital. Your cards, flowers, gifts, telephone calls and visits have been so much appreciated. Nurse Brian is very strict, but with his TLC, I hope to be back at church in the very near future.
Wendy Hartley

Easter Offering

The Easter Offering is organised by ladies in our church who belong to "Methodist Women in Britain", formerly known as Women's Network. Please give generously to this appeal which supports the World Mission Fund, working to provide necessary resources so that God's love may be shared in practical ways throughout the world.

Envelopes will be available on Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday.

The ladies thank you for your generous and sacrificial giving, your prayerful support and interest.

Extraordinary Meeting of the Church Council

As notified at the last Church Council, a short extraordinary meeting of Church Council will be held at 10.00am on Sunday 20th April in the Centre Activity Room to receive the draft Annual Report and Pre-School documentation amended in the light of Methodist requirements.

NEXT SUNDAY 13th APRIL (Palm Sunday).

- 10:15 :Crèche up to 4 years in the Activity Room.**
- 10:20 :J. Team in the Small Hall.**
- 10:30 :Morning Worship at the Grove led by Mrs Margaret Tate.**
- 6:00 :Evening Service at Central led by the Revd Alistair Jones.**
- 7:30 :Studio Dance SNYG in the Activity Room.**



Also Today.....

- 09:00 –Holy Communion at the Grove led by the Revd Alistair Jones.**
- 10:15 –Crèche for all children up to 4 years in the Activity Room.**
- 10:20 –J- team in the Small Hall (4-12 years)**
- 10.30 –Parade/All Age Service at the Grove led by The Revd Alistair Jones.**
- 6:00 –Evening Service at the Grove led by The Revd Godfrey Nicholson.**
- After Morning Service Coffee will be served in the Main Hall today by members of the Tuesday Brownies.**
- 7:30 –Studio Dance SNYG today in the Activity Room.**

Your Stewards for today are:-David Buckley & John Bussey.
You were welcomed at the door by:-
Representatives from the Tots & Tykes Group.
Flowers were provided by:
Mrs K Pearson & Mrs B Hodgson & Mrs a Stokes.



GOOD FRIDAY LUNCH APRIL 18TH 2014

Once again the Grove is to host the lunch after the Walk of Witness on Good Friday morning. The kitchen is fully staffed but Jean and Trevor Fox would appreciate offers of help in the Large Hall. Volunteers are needed to set up, serve and clear everything away afterwards. If you can help for all or part of the morning please contact them on 2583568. All proceeds from the lunch are to be given to MAF. Thank you.

Items for the bulletin should be posted through the Parlour door or telephoned to Sharon Firth on 0113 2582742 OR E-mailed to sharon.firth@ntlworld.com **by 5pm on Wednesdays**



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Off duty Sat from 12.00 noon and all day Sunday. Would any group wishing to remove items of equipment from the premises please contact Alan in the first instance.