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Our Mission Statement

Our purpose is to worship God, to care for those in need, to encourage others to come to faith in Jesus Christ, and to share His love in our community and the world around us.

Our Leadership Team

Rev'd Stephen Robinson, Lesley Butterfield, Linda Matthews, Mark Price, Judith Bell, Manny Fordham, Jan Gaunt, Chris McMahon, Claire Milgate-Whitcher

Minister

Rev'd Stephen Robinson is on sabbatical until 15th July

Contact Steward

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Safeguarding

safeguarding@watersidemethodist.org

Pastoral Care

If you are in need of a visit or a phone call, please contact Jenny Howse our Pastoral Lead by emailing thehowsefamily@googlemail.com or phoning 023 8084 8495



If you would like someone to pray with, please speak to one of the prayer partners or to the duty steward after the service

Your prayer partner is Manny Fordham or Linda Matthews

If you have an urgent prayer request then please contact Linda Matthews by phoning or texting 07879 863592 or emailing lindamatpop@sky.com



Your request will be circulated to members of the church who have committed to pray.

Welcome to Morning Worship

Sunday 14th April 2024

11am at Chapel Lane

led by Steve Judd

Readings : Psalm 4 : 6 - 8
Acts 3 : 12 - 19
Luke 24 : 36b - 48

Church Diary

Monday 15th

Ladies Keep Fit – 7.00pm Chapel Lane

Tuesday 16th

Monthly prayer meeting – 7.30pm Soul Cafe

Wednesday 17th

Waterside Methodist Fellowship – Age Concern

Thursday 18th

10.00am - 12.30pm Soul Cafe
7.30pm Lesley's Homegroup

Saturday 20th

10.00am - 12.30pm Soul Cafe

Sunday 21st

Morning Service – led by Rev'd Penny Thorne (with holy communion)



Rev'd Stephen Robinson's sabbatical starts Monday 15th April and continues until Sunday 14th July 2024 inclusive.

Details of the arrangements to cover Stephen's absence are available at the back of church.



Our next monthly prayer meeting is on **Tuesday 16th April** from 7.30pm at Soul Cafe

Join us as we come before our God to hear from Him and to lay before Him all our concerns, and as we consider the future of our church and its buildings

For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. Then you will call on me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you. Jeremiah 29: 11-12

Waterside Methodist Church Fellowship

Dibden Purlieu Church Hall 10.30pm - 12.00pm

Wednesday 17th April Age Concern

AGE
Concern
NEW FOREST

A message from Betty Clibbon

Betty recently send us a card in which she said:
 I just wanted to drop a note to say "Thank you" so very much for the lovely photos. I shall have many Happy memories of the Methodist Church in Fawley. It's taking a time to take in all the changes. My girls have worked so hard to make the move happen to look after me, sadly I could no longer manage living on my own. If I am in the area, I will look to stop by to join Sunday Worship and say Hi to you all
 Kindest regards, Betty

Waterside Foodbank



Items most needed

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|---------------------|----------------|
| Coffee 100g | Sugar 500g |
| Biscuits | Milk powder |
| UHT Milk | Custard |
| Tinned fruit | Tinned soup |
| Toilet Rolls | Instant mash |
| Sponge Pudding | Washing liquid |
| Washing up liquid | Washing powder |
| Shampoo/Conditioner | |

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 waterside.foodbank.org.uk Tel: 07768 713329



Events at Soul Cafe



Art Group Exhibition :
 Thursday 2nd May 7pm



Breathing Space :
 Sunday 5th May 7pm

EASY LIKE SUNDAY MORNING BRUNCH

SOUL CAFE
 10AM SUNDAY 21st APRIL
 RELAX - REFLECT - RECHARGE



Sunday Morning Brunch : Sunday 21st April 10am

Volunteers for Synod Hosting Saturday 20th April SJR

On 20th April, the Southampton Circuit is hosting District Synod, welcoming folk for fellowship and business at St James Road Church from 9am to 5pm.

Volunteers are needed for:

Stewarding: Please email the SJR team at contact@stjamesroad.co.uk if you are able to help.

Catering: Please contact Liz Woodman at elizabethwoodman@uwclub.net to help make refreshments and/or to make cakes and scones.



ISH AND IRENE'S TESTIMONY CONCERT

WHEN THE ROAD IS ROUGH AND STEEP

DATE: 20th April TIME: 7pm VENUE: St Andrew's

WHERE ISHMAEL AND IRENE BRING THEIR BOOK 'OUR CANCER JOURNEY' TO LIFE
 AN HONEST AND UPLIFTING TIME OF STORIES AND SONGS TO ENCOURAGE ANYONE GOING THROUGH DIFFICULT TIMES

ADMISSION FREE



God loves you unconditionally, no strings attached. That's the good news.

Discover a new way of life

<https://www.methodist.org.uk/faith/a-methodist-way-of-life/>



Dementia Awareness 'Refresher'

This presentation aims to provide some basic information and to refresh our awareness of the impact of dementia. It will place the subject in a Christian context. Training will be provided by the Christian charity Embracing Age.

DATE: Tuesday 30th April 2024 TIME: 10.30am – 12.00 noon
 VENUE: Hedge End Methodist Church – in the hall at the rear of church
 COST: Free (donations if you wish)

BOOKING: Please contact Maria Fraser - mbi.fraser@gmail.com or 07818484932 (phone or text) by 23rd April

Embracing Age is a Christian charity working towards a world where older people are valued, connected and full of hope, by combatting loneliness, mobilising volunteers, equipping churches and speaking out.



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 Send an email to info@watersidemethodist.org



If you have an item to be included, please let Manny know by Thursday evening by phoning 023 8089 0804 or emailing sm_fordham@msn.com

