



Pew News

14th April 2019



Dates for your Diary

Wed 17th Apr **CAMEO Meeting**—Details inside
 Thurs 18th Apr **Maundy Thursday**—see inside for details
 Fri 19th Apr **Good Friday Vigil**, 12.00—3.00pm
 Sun 21st Apr **Easter Sunday**
 Wed 24th Apr **Soul Gym**, 1pm in the Refectory
 Wed 24th Apr **APCM**, 7pm in Church
 Sat 27th Apr **Plant & Cake Sale**, 10am
Teddy Bear's Picnic and Duck race, 2pm
 Sun 28th Apr. **Saints Day Breakfast**, 9.00am, Refectory (St George)
 Mon 29th Apr **Soul Gym**, 7.30pm in St Andrew's School
 Sun 5th May **Sunday Lunch**, 12.30pm
 Sun 5th May. **Mini Church**, 4.00pm
 Mon 13th May **Outlook**, 2.30pm in the Refectory
 Sun 19th May **Inclusive Church**, 10am@ Churchill Academy
 Sat 29th Jun **Village Fete**

Annual Church Meeting

Wednesday 24th April

7.00pm

In Church.

For the election of PCC members.

There will also be presentations about current and future projects

**PUBLIC MEETING
FOR CONGRESBURY
(organised by CRAG)**

Meet the candidates for
WARD COUNCILLOR!

April 23rd at 7.30 in
The Old School Rooms, Station Road,
Congresbury

Who will fight for the interests of the
village?

Find out before you vote!

Meeting to be chaired by local farmer,
Nick Green

"Building community together"

Every Friday in Term
Time

8.45 - 9.30am - Coffee,
Teas, Juice & Biscuits

Take time to stop and chat.

"Take 5" operates by donation rather
than by fixed charges. Everyone very
welcome!



Men's Mental Health and Wellbeing

Saturday 11 May, 9.30am – 12.00pm

The Church Hall, Westonzoyland,
Bridgwater, TA7 0LE)

Facilitators: James Fox-Robinson & Rev
Matt Thomson

Plant and Cake Sale

Saturday 27th April

10am—12 noon

In aid of Bibles for Schools

Today's Services - 14th April - Palm Sunday

8.00am	1662 Holy Communion
10.30am	Holy Communion. Service starts on Millennium Green
6.30pm	Café Communion

Mon 15th	7.45pm	Village Choir
	7.15pm	Meditation in the Refectory
Tues 16th	7.15pm	Meditation in Church
Wed. 17th	9.10am	Holy Communion
	7.15pm	Healing Communion & Meditation
	7.30pm	CAMEO
Thurs 18th	6.30pm	Maundy Thursday Service in Banwell Village Hall
Fri 19th	10.30am	Good Friday Service in Methodist Church
	12.00pm	Good Friday Vigil
Sat 20th	8.00pm	Service of Fire

Sunday 21st April - Easter Sunday

6.00am	Sunrise Service on Millennium Green
8.00am	1662 Holy Communion
10.30am	Holy Communion
3.00pm	Family Communion @ Puxton

Tues 23rd	11.00am	Funeral—Edgar Wheeler
Wed. 24th	9.10am	Holy Communion
	1.00pm	Soul Gym in the Refectory
	7.00pm	Annual Church Meeting
Thurs 25th	9.15am	Toddler Drop-In
Fri 26th	8.30am	Take 5
	10.00am	Friday Film Study Group
Sat 27th	10.00am	Plant & Cake Sale
	2.00pm	Teddy Bear's Picnic & Duck Race

Sunday 28th April - 2nd Sunday of Easter

8.00am	1662 Holy Communion
10.30am	Holy Communion.
6.30pm	Café Communion

Church Contact details - Website—www.newcreationchurches.org.uk

Tel: 01934 833126 e-mail: SAC-Admin@newcreationchurches.org.uk

See website for services in the other New Creation Churches.

“Giving in Kind”

We are very grateful for all the items that are given so generously to the church to If you notice that supplies are getting low (loo rolls, kitchen or cleaning supplies, etc.) please let Rosemary know.

We are always happy to receive loo rolls, printer paper (A4, 80gm), DL envelopes and second class stamps - and none of these have a sell-by date!

Again, thank you for your help.

At the moment we are in need of biscuits for the coffee bar and loo paper Thank you!

Gift Aid

If you wish to Gift Aid any one-off donations to the Church and you are a UK tax payer, there are yellow envelopes available in the pews. For regular giving via envelopes or standing order, please contact Martin West via the Church Office. This enables the Church to recover 25 pence for every pound given. Thank you.

Gluten Free wafers and non-alcoholic wine are available for communion. Please speak to a warden if required.

Pastoral Care. Barbara Pearce is the pastoral care co-ordinator for St. Andrew’s Church. Contact via the Church Office on 01934 833126

“Drop In” coffee mornings: 0—90plus

Every Tuesday 9.30 am—12 noon
In the Methodist Hall
Everyone Welcome!

Midweek: Shared silence - Monday 8.30am in the Prayer Room
Daily Prayer - Tuesday, 9am and Fridays 7.45am in term time, else 9.00am

Big Church Day Out

May 25—26

Wiston House, West Sussex -



For full details of this fun weekend please see bigchurch-dayout.com. If you wish to book your place(s) online you can take advantage of the New Creation group booking discount. Use the unique group booking link: <http://bcdo.group/2019/new-creation-churches> Please note the fee for camping is *extra*. Please talk to Siobhan in Banwell Church Office if you would like help to pay for camping for your young people. siobhan.armstrong@newcreationchurches.org.uk or 01934 822858

Opportunities for personal prayer - for any issue

* Wed evening Healing Communion 1st and 3rd Wednesday, 7.15pm

* After every 10.30am Sunday service in the Merle Chapel.

At both services, people are available to pray with you confidentially

* **A Prayer Request Book** is available in the Merle Chapel for anyone to use.

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CAMEO

Wed 17th April

7.30pm

“Chocolate and Flowers on Fridays”

Life as an Estate Agent

with Debbie Fortune

In the Refectory

£1 per person

All Welcome

MONTHLY UNITED PRAYER

AT CONGRESBURY METHODIST

CHURCH

NEXT MEETING

TUESDAY 2nd APRIL

11.30 QUIET PRAYER

12.30 OPEN PRAYER

Encircled in Care

is a Pastoral Care course held in Churchill Methodist Church for everyone and anyone.

9.30– 11.15am

Next Sessions

27th April Domestic Abuse

(Ruth Thomas)

11th May Children, Young People and

Pastoral Care (Jo Horwood)

15th June Across the Generations

Ageing and spirituality; dementia

(Rev Julie Sims.)

Language Workshops

Meet in the Refectory on Saturday mornings from 10.00 to 11.30am.

If you would like to give it a go, or contact the Church Office for more details.

Prayer before Sunday 10.30 Service

Starting at 10 am, we pray for a while about the service and anything that might be relevant, and then have a while of waiting on the Lord and seeing if He has anything to say to us.

The prayer time will finish at 10.25 in time to start the service at 10.30.

If you feel that you would like to be part of this, then please come along on Sunday at 10, or join us when you can.

Duck Race and Teddy Bear’s Picnic

Saturday 27th April

From

2.00pm

Duck race 2.30pm

On the Millennium Green

Bring a picnic

Activities and Games

Fun for all the Family

Maundy Thursday - 18th April 2019

You are invited to join us on Maundy Thursday evening.

This year we will be marking Maundy Thursday slightly differently.

We will gather with the ‘disciples’ (the youth groups) in the ‘Upper Room’ (Banwell Village Hall) at 6.30pm.

The evening will start by a simple meal, followed by the traditional foot or hand washing for those who wish. We will then partake in a short Communion before the lights are dimmed and the ‘disciples’ leave for the Garden of Gethsemane as we sing a hymn.

The youth groups will re-enact the events in the Garden up to Jesus’ arrest. The ‘disciples’ will then leave and the lights will be extinguished as we sit in a silent vigil before saying the Lord’s Prayer and leave quietly.