



Congresbury Methodist Church News

Weeks beginning 10th March 2024

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LENT 4

Church Services & Events for March 2024

**Sunday 10th 11.00am Morning
Worship led by the Worship Leaders**

**Thursday 14th 1.30pm Bible LENT Study
meeting at 'Caldetas' - Mary's house**

**Sunday 17th 11.00am Morning
Worship and Holy Communion led by
Rev. Meg Slingo**

**Tuesday 19th 2.00pm Church Council
meeting in our church. Everyone is
welcome**

**Sunday 24th 11.00am Morning
Worship led by Rev Peter Davis
Good Friday 29th 10.30am United
Service with St Andrews in our church
followed by the
Walk of Witness**

Easter Day 31st 6.30am

**Dawn/Sunrise Service with St
Andrews on the Millennium Green
followed by hot cross buns and
refreshments in the Methodist Hall
Easter Day 31st 11.00am Morning
Worship led by Eric Small**

Thursdays at 1.30pm

**Bible LENT Study
meetings at 'Caldetas' - Mary's house**

The calling of the Methodist Church is to
respond to the Gospel of God's love in
Christ and to live it's discipleship in
worship and mission

*There is a very warm
welcome to everyone
worshipping our Lord in this
place. After morning
worship there is
refreshments and an
opportunity to have a chat.*



**Iris is in the BRI where she
remains receiving treatment**

**Please continue to pray for her
and Dave at this most difficult
time that they will receive the
Lord's comfort and strength and
know His peace.**

CHURCH COUNCIL IMPORTANT!

**Please note we are holding our
Church Council meeting on
Tuesday 19th 2.00pm and NOT
on Thursday 21st as first
agreed. This will be held in our
Church.**



children of all ages as well as in some cases, looking after their elderly relatives. Special prayers for those who have extra burdens put upon them during difficult times. We ask these things the Name of Jesus. AMEN

PRAYER. God our Father, in your unfailing love and goodness, hear us as we bring to you our prayers for the world and for all people. In this period of Lent we come to you aware of our unreadiness for the enormity of the Easter message, that Christ suffered and died for us and was yet raised in glorious victory. Grant us healing in our souls Lord, and in the souls of all who search for meaning in their lives.

Also, Lord, we give you thanks for all mothers everywhere for the love and guidance of their

My Thoughts for this Week

We are now coming into spring! The daffodils are coming out along the roadside as one drives in and out of Weston! In our gardens other flowers are coming into bloom as well.

It encourages our hopes to rise! Soon the warm bright weather will be with us again, as we have hoped for, through the past cold dark months of winter!

It isn't only bright weather that we hope for! There is also the hope that Jesus has given us when he in (Matthew 6. V28 - 31) referred to the wild flowers and told us not to worry about tomorrow, it will have enough worries of its own!

Now that we are in Lent and Easter is coming when we can celebrate all that Jesus has done for us on the Cross, rising from the Tomb and then ascending into heaven at Whitsun.

I am reading once more "Pilgrims Progress" and finding encouragement to live life to the full. I trust in this time of Lent we can find a similar worthwhile activity!

Ken Hill [LP]

Christianity Explored. Friends, you are invited to Churchill every Tuesday evening, we will be running a course Christianity Explored, looking at the Gospel of Mark. The evening will begin on the 2nd of April with refreshments from 7pm. This is open to everyone, those of you who attend worship regularly but also family and friends who may well be interested in Christianity and or seeking faith? Over the next seven or eight weeks we will be engaging with the question Who is Jesus? What did he achieve? How should we respond? Each week there is a short video for us to watch and times for reflection and sharing. Each person will be given a copy of the Gospel of Mark and your own Handbook. The first evening is looking at Good News. What makes Christianity Good News? Please can you let Ken Young or myself know if you would like to come along and be part of the fellowship. My contact details 01934 852 314. Kens contact details 01934 852 686 We look forward to sharing with you. Thank you for your prayers for this study.
Meg and Ken

Thought For The Week

The best and most beautiful things in this world cannot be seen or even heard, but must be felt with the heart." - Helen Keller