



# The Methodist Church

Bishopston, Horfield, Shirehampton Methodist Churches & St Peter's, Pilning.

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## Sunday 10 March 2024

### WORSHIP DETAILS for 10 March (Mothering Sunday)

Horfield at 10.00 conducted by Rev. M. Slocombe, all age worship with Holy Communion

Bishopston at 10.30 conducted by H. Wilson

Shirehampton at 11.00 Local Arrangement with all age worship

St Peter's, Pilning at 10.00 conducted by D. North

### OTHER WORSHIP DETAILS for 10 March and the week

Please refer to your preferred TV and radio guide for details of broadcast worship.

You will also find an online service of Morning Prayer to cover each day of the week, available from first thing each Monday at <https://westburyparkchurch.org.uk/worship-service>

### WORSHIP DETAILS for 17 March

Horfield at 10.00 Local Arrangement

Bishopston at 10.30 conducted by C. Stones

Shirehampton at 11.00 conducted by Rev. M. Slocombe

St Peter's, Pilning at 10.00 Anglican Morning Prayer

GENERAL NOTICES. While we are covering Eurfron, please send items for the notices to Maureen Hyde by Tuesday, [secretary@horfieldmethodist.org.uk](mailto:secretary@horfieldmethodist.org.uk) or 0117 962 2881

Horfield and Bishopston. An important part of our discipleship is to pray for our community and one another. This week you are asked to pray for the following and their families: - Annamma & William Nagilla, Carol Nelson, Linnette Nelson, Richard & Indira Norton, George Otoo, Rachel Owen, Rosemary & Terry Palmer.

### Lent Lunches

Collecting donations for Christian Aid, there will light lunches available on the Saturdays in Lent. Please support each church.

The dates are as follows:

Saturday 9 March from 12.30 to 2.30 at Bishopston Methodist

Saturday 23 March from 12.30 to 2.00 at St Mary's and St James Anglican Church, Lockleaze.

Soup and a roll will be provided at Holy Trinity, Horfield on the Saturdays not hosted by other churches.

### Lent Study Group

All are invited to come and explore the theme of salvation this Lent at Horfield at 7.00.

Friday 8 March - Who can be saved?

Friday 15 March - What do we have to do to be saved? Friday 22

March - How are we saved?

Each session stands alone so please come along even if you have missed earlier discussion sessions.

Messy Church, Horfield on Saturday 9 March

Seeing is believing

We are exploring how the first people to go to the tomb must have felt. It was where Jesus' body had been placed after his death on the cross. Did they believe, or did they need to see to believe?

Activities include:

- Create your own insect out of twigs and leaves
- Enjoy making a card cross to help you think about Jesus and what an amazing person he is
- Make your own stone to roll away from the tomb
- Can you think about searching for Jesus in your life as you search for letters in the grass?
- Make a yummy butterfly snack
- Help create a secret tunnel to pass on messages - working together as a team makes things so much easier.

We will be sharing a time of celebration followed by a meal. We look forward to seeing you all.

Dates for your Diary

Messy Church – Horfield on Saturday 9 March from 11.00 to 1.00

Lent Lunch at Bishopston – Saturday 9 March from 12.30 to 2.00

Children & Young People Group Meeting – Horfield on Wednesday 20 March at 7.30

Worship Consultation meeting – Horfield on Thursday 21 March at 7.30

Requiem performed by the Festival Choir Monday 25 March at St Peter's at 7.30

Maundy Thursday communion services at Shirehampton at 3pm and Bishopston at 7.30

Good Friday reflection at Horfield 10.00

Eco Group Meeting – Horfield on Thursday 4 April at 7.30 on Zoom

Eco coffee morning fund raiser – Horfield on Saturday 27 April