



The Methodist Church

Horfield Methodist Church

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We are part of the Bristol and South Gloucestershire Circuit (www.bsgc.org.uk)
a family of churches serving communities across the local area.

We hope to welcome all
serve the community
spread God's love

Sunday 19th April 2026

WORSHIP DETAILS for 19th April

Horfield at 10:00. Revd Emmanuel Jacob

Bishopston at 10.30 Local Arrangement Easter Offering

Lectionary readings. Acts 2: 14a, 36-41, Psalm 116: 1-4, 12-19, 1 Peter 1:17-23, Luke 24: 13-35

WORSHIP DETAILS for 26th April

Horfield at 10:30 conducted by Martin Slocombe - Our Annual Church Meeting

Bishopston at 10.30 at Horfield

Whole Church

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: Kim Adams, Marion Andrews, Richard Angell and Margaret Angell-Alpass, Nii Annam, Cherry Arnal, Shehzad Ashiq, Audrey and David Bainbridge, Ann Baverstock.

Funeral for Pauline Lush will be at HMC Wednesday 29th April at 11am. We continue to hold Pauline and her family in our prayers.

Annual General Church Meeting on Sunday 26th April during our morning service, we will be holding our Annual General Church Meeting. This is an opportunity for all to discuss the life of our church, and to ask any questions that you may have. It is also the time when we appoint church stewards, and members of the congregation to represent everyone on the church council. If you could be a church steward, or would be willing to represent the wider congregation on the church council, then please let Revd Martin know, no later than Friday 24th April 2026. We will also be discussing the reallocation of ministers in the Circuit, and our preferred pattern of worship in light of the reducing number of ministers and local preachers. We hope you will all come and share in conversation during this service.

The Spring Fayre will be held on **16 May**. If you are able to help with setting up on the Friday afternoon or on the day please email bookings@horfieldmethodist.org.uk
Any offers of goods or cakes to sell on the day would be most welcome.

Please keep visiting our **Facebook page** at <http://www.facebook.com/share/16H4iPxiiX/>

An appeal from Turnaround We are currently seeking volunteers. The work can be demanding, but also very rewarding as we strive to give people new opportunities to turn their lives around.

If you would like to find out more or apply, then please email us at manager@turnaround.org.uk or education@turnaround.org.uk for an application form and come and join our excellent team of staff and volunteers.

DATES for your DIARY

21st, 28th April and 5th May - at 7.30pm Circuit Bible Study, 'Collossians' at Zion United Church, Frampton Cotterell. (see poster on last page)

26th April - Whole Church General Meeting, 10:30 at Horfield (refreshments will be served from 10am)

30th April - Pastoral Contacts meeting, 7:30 at Horfield

2nd May - Bishopston Property Group

9th May - 4Cs (Coffee, Chat, Cake and Crafts), 10.30- 12 at Bishopston

9th May - Messy Church, 11-1 at Horfield

16th May - Spring Fayre, at Horfield

19th May - Leadership Team, 7:00 at Horfield

20th May - Horfield Property & Finance, 7.00

31st May - Circuit Assembly 11am - 3pm at The Witherwood Centre (see poster on the last page)

NB Change of email and deadline for notice submissions

All submissions for the notices should be sent to: mail@horfieldmethodist.org.uk by MONDAY for inclusion the following Sunday. Details of future events should be supplied with at least 12 days' notice.

Let us know how things have gone - some positive stories.

CIRCUIT
BIBLE STUDY
COLOSSIANS

Going deeper in faith and discipleship

Led by Rev Prof Teddy Kalongo

14th, 21st, 28th April &
5th May at 7.30pm

Zion United Church,
Frampton Cotterell, BS36 2HY
or watch online:

youtube.com - search Zion Remote

- 1st Week - Christian Discipleship
- 2nd Week - Identity in Christ
- 3rd Week - The Shaping of Our Communal Life
- 4th Week - Living the New Life in Christ

All Welcome!



For all ages

CIRCUIT
ASSEMBLY

*"Taste and see that
the Lord is good"*

Psalm 34:8

SUNDAY, 31ST MAY

11:00am - 3:00pm

come for coffee from 10:30am

at The Withywood Centre
Queen's Road, BS13 8QA

- Worship, Activities and Conversation
- Sharing Good News stories around the Circuit
- Inspiring, uplifting, encouraging event
- Lunch Provided

There are 75 parking spaces. Please share cars where possible, and if you need transport, let us know when you register and we will organise it.

The Withywood Centre is on the 75 bus route.

Questions? Would like to book?

Contact Inga communications@bsgc.org.uk

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Book your place on
Eventbrite using QR-code
till 30th April

