

Dates for the Diary

Dates:

Tues 3rd, 7.30pm – Circuit Meeting (via Zoom)
Wed 4th, 2pm – Coffee Shop 20th Anniversary
Thurs 5th, 2pm – CAMEO “Family Treasures” Barbara Phoenix. Please bring along your own family treasure and share the story.
Thurs 5th, 7:30pm, start of Healing & Wholeness course (see below).
Fri 6th, 7.30pm – World Day of Prayer service at Church
Wed 11th, 8pm – Stewards Meeting
Thurs April 2nd, 7.30pm – Maundy Thursday Service at St. Martins

Events:

Coffee Shop 20th Anniversary – Wednesday 4th March at 2pm. There will be cakes, music and entertainment for all ages.

World Day of Prayer - Please come along to the World Day of Prayer service, this year held at our church on Friday 6th March at 7.30pm. Jacqi Guy will be the speaker. We will be providing refreshments for everyone after the service. Please let me know if you are able to bake something for this, or if you are willing to be a welcomer at the service.
Thank you, Jane Rhodes.

Easter Flowers - Thank you to those who are knitting/crocheting flowers for Easter. Please put them in the box in the Wesley Hall no later than Sunday 22nd March so they can be tagged before commissioning on 29th March. This year the flowers will be scattered in Woolston Park on Easter Sunday morning. If you are able to help with the scattering, please meet in the car park at Woolston Park at 8.30am on 5th April. You are very welcome to then have breakfast at church at 9.00am.

Action for Children – please hand in your boxes to the stewards as soon as possible for emptying.

Healing and Wholeness – Thursday 4th March, 7:30pm, is the start of a four-week Lent course on Healing and Wholeness, led by Rev'd Pat Brown. It is united with St Martin's and will be held there. It concludes on Thursday 25th March. All are invited to attend.

Fairtrade - The next Fairtrade stall will be held on Sunday 22nd March.

Developing Digital Platforms – A circuit training day at Padgate, Saturday 28th March, 10:30am-12noon. Use of digital platforms in a church for communication and invitations to events.



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Our vision...

To give more and more people the opportunities, support and skills to journey with Christ by being an active, caring, valued and respected part of the local community.

Minister – Revd. Pat Brown (07825416991)

Stewards –
Trevor Rhodes (822557)
Jane Roberts
Carol Livesey-Booth
Ruth Bowden
Jacqi Guy
Sue Jackson
Samuel Bowden

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Rotas for March

Date	Stewards	Welcomer	Coffee	Flowers	Preacher
Mar 1 st	Jacqi & Trevor	Pam	Sue, Richard & Sheila	Marj Rowland & Lilian Lewis	Rev'd Kathy Selby**
Mar 8 th	Jacqi & Trevor	Jen	Junior Church	<i>Available</i>	Rev. Pat Brown (All age)
Mar 15 th	Sue & Jane	Maria	Christine, Lesley & Carol	<i>Available</i>	Worship Leaders* (Mothering Sunday)
Mar 22 nd	Ruth & Jane	Mary	Ruth & Sian	Louise Telfer	Judith McNicholas
Mar 29 th	Samuel & Ruth	Andrew	Louise & Celia	Yvonne & Dave Asprey	Trevor Rhodes (Palm Sunday, Zoom service with St. Martins)

*Live stream to Twitch TV ** Livestream Circuit YouTube & Twitch TV

Date	Coffee Shop
Mar 4 th	Ray & Win (20 th Birthday Celebration)
Mar 11 th	Louise, Sue & Liz
Mar 18 th	Christine, Dee
Mar 25 th	Janice, Janet G, Janet M
Apr 1 st	Stella, Pam (Holy Week)

Weekly Meetings / Bookings

Sunday	10:30am 5 - 7:30pm	Sunday Worship and Junior Church Romanian Church
Monday	10am-12noon 5 - 6pm 6:15 - 7:15pm 7:30 - 9pm	Bruche Childminding Group (1 st Mon of the month) Rainbows Brownies Guides and Rangers
Tuesday	7 - 9am 11:30am -12:30pm 1 - 2pm 4 - 7pm	Cleaning church building Fitness Class Pilates 3rsTuition
Wednesday	10 - 12noon 2 - 4pm 6:30 - 8pm	Embroiderers (1 st Wed of the month) Corner Coffee Shop Ringers
Thursday	1 - 3pm 2 - 4pm 4:30 - 8pm	Deeper (via Zoom) C.A.M.E.O. (1 st Thurs of the month) Slimming World
Friday	7 - 10:30am	Slimming World
Saturday	9.30 - 12noon 7:30 - 9.30pm	Linus (2 nd Saturday of the month) Saturday Club