

Sunday Club - April

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Sunday 22 April

10.30 am - Revd David Jenkins
3.00 pm - Circuit Service at Emmanuel

Stewards today

*Vestry Stewards: Brenda & Jenny
Door steward: Cynthia : Coffee: David & Eileen
AV: Ida Sound: : David/Ella/John
Music: Carolyn : Readers: Les & Eunice
Sunday Club : Brenda and Eileen*

**The next Church Fellowship Meal will be
on Thursday 19th April at the Toby Carvery.
Meet at 12-15 pm. All are welcome.**

“THE WEEK”

Have you remembered the dates? 15th to 22nd April 2018!!!
On Saturday 21st April there will be an opportunity for local preachers, worship leaders, lay workers, children and youth workers to meet together around the subject of All Age Worship and also help plan the Circuit Service for Sunday 22nd April. We are looking for folk who have a particular interest/experience in AAW and would be willing to meet to help plan workshops for that day. If you are one of those folk or have folk within your congregations that would be interested please contact Maria so that we can begin gathering together and planning.
Please email: maria.howard@methodist.org.uk or telephone 0118 958 3445 to leave your details. More details to follow.

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Open to God, walking with Jesus, serving His world

Sunday 15 April

10.30 am - Revd Jenny Dowding

3.00 pm - Circuit Service at St Andrews, Basingstoke

Welcome to Church today

The flowers today are from Eunice & Les to celebrate their
Wedding Anniversary

Fair trade tea and coffee served after the service

What's on this Week

Monday 2.00 pm - Art Group

Tues 10.00 am Babies & Toddler Group

Wed. 10.00 am - Prayer meeting

10.30 am - Coffee Companions

Coffee Host - Brenda

Dates for your Diaries

Methodist Women in Britain Reading Roadshow on Tuesday **1 May** at Emmanuel Methodist Church, Reading RG30 1EE.
Further details to follow.

Saturday 1st September, 3pm at Trinity Basingstoke, welcome service for Rev Audrey Browne. Please save the date, further details closer to the time.

PLEASE CHECK THE NOTICE BOARD REGULARLY AS THERE ARE POSTERS WITH INFORMATION AND EVENTS

GOOD NEWS

We are delighted to let you know we have been given a most generous gift from The Reading Lions Club.

They have funded a life saving Defibrillator.

This will be placed in the welcome area, ready and available to be used in an emergency. We wish to record our thanks to The Lions, and also to John Rowe from the Art Group who guided and helped us in making this application for funding.

Praise the Lord

We have been able to book some instructional training for the Defibrillator. We have Ian Jones from South Central Ambulance Service coming to give us guidance and training on Thursday 10 May at 7pm We hope as many of you as possible will be able to come along. It doesn't mean you will have to do the actual training in an emergency, but the more people who are aware could be very helpful.

Thanks to Eunice who has instigated the donation of this and the training.

Make a note in your diaries of the date

Future – next steps

The PMC steering team need an hour of your time please to help with the next document we are going to write – The Vision for Embodiment. Thank you to all who voted for a preferred time at the Church Council on Monday evening. The time that was overwhelmingly the favourite was after a Sunday morning service, so we have decided on **Sunday 20 May at Gosbrook Road**. We ask you to be there at 12.15 to start at 12.30 for a maximum of an hour. Light refreshments will be provided. This is particularly for the Church Leadership i.e. The Church Council but everyone who is interested will be very welcome.

In your Personal Prayers - please continue to pray for:

The Week

Kathleen

Louise

Joyce Haines

Churches in our Circuit:

Silchester : St. Andrew's

Tadley Common : Tadley Main Road

Tilehurst : Trinity Basingstoke

Trinity, Lower Earley

Did you take a pledge card?

Has it made a difference?

Were you surprised by any responses?

The hope was that if everyone did something a little bit more than they usually do our neighbourhoods might become a bit more friendly and loneliness might be reduced.

We would like to know how it's going before we spread it more widely into the community.