

UPCOMING SERVICES at The Eldwick Church ...			
Date	Time	Service	Led by
Sunday 22 March	10.30 am	Mothering Sunday Family Worship	Rev Susan Greenhart
Sunday 29 March	10.30	Mission & Outreach Service: Rewind	The Rewind Team
Wednesday 1 April	2.00 pm	Pause to Pray	
Palm Sunday 5 April	9.15 am	Holy Communion	Rev David McAloon
	10.30 am	Family Worship	The Friday B house group
Maundy Thursday 9 April	7.00 pm	Holy Communion	Rev Peter Mayo-Smith
Good Friday 10 April	10.00 am	Reflective Service f/b Walk of Witness to Bingley for an open air Churches Together Service	Rev Peter Mayo-Smith
Easter Day 12 April	7.00 am	Holy Communion on Baildon Moor	Rev Peter Mayo-Smith
	10.30 am	Family Communion	Rev Peter Mayo-Smith

The Aire Valley Singers are in concert with the Grove Singers for Maunday's "Olivet to Calvary" on Monday 23rd March at 7.30 pm at Woodhouse Grove School Chapel. There will also be a selection of music suitable for Lent and Passiontide. Tickets from <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/woodhousegrove-school>

Bradford Festival Choral Society invites you to **Bach's St Matthew Passion** on 28th March at 7pm at Price Hall, Bradford Grammar School. Tickets: <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/bfcs> Tickets are **FREE** for under 30s and those on a low income. Or £15 each, £12 per ticket for groups of 5 or more. Tickets also available on the door, but advanced booking is recommended.

Leeds Methodist Mission has sent us an update. "Our focus going forward is activism and contemplation and the relationship between the two. We hope to create spaces that bring social justice but also sanctuary and contemplation. Join us for '**Climate Change: heartache and hope**' an ecumenical service at 6.30 pm on Monday, 30th March, at St. George's Church, Great George St, Leeds. Doors open at 6pm and service begins at 6.30pm.



Worshipping, Working & Growing Together

Sunday 15 March 2020
The Third Sunday of Lent

9.15 am Holy Communion led by Rev Peter Mayo-Smith

10.30 am Morning Worship led by David Clark

This week:

Monday: 7.00 pm Start Course session 4

Tuesday: 10.00 am Church Café

Wednesday: 2.00 pm Pause to Pray

Thursday: 10.00 am Church Café & 7.00 pm Church Fellowship

Saturday: 3.30 pm Messy Church

Sunday: 10.30 Mothering Sunday Family Worship

We pray for Norma Feather and her pastoral group: Margaret Hartley & Pat Coote.

We ask God's healing for Liz Aves, Mollie Brumfitt, Anne Hurst, Kate Lomas, the Marsden family & Joe Tyler.

We pray for our work with children and especially for those children being baptised in our churches this month.

Next Sunday is our **Mothering Sunday Family Worship**. We will be welcoming Eldwick Primary School Choir to join with us and sing.

Coronavirus Update (COVID-19) Please see the separate insert for an update

Goldies March date cancelled Following a decision made nationally by the Goldies Charity, the Goldies session at TEC in March is cancelled. It may be that the April Goldies will also be cancelled, and we await further advice. The Charity says, "those who attend Goldies daytime Sing&Smile sessions are older people who are vulnerable in this current situation. Our first responsibility is to care for their wellbeing"

Eldwick Church Fellowship meets Thursday 19 March 7.00pm in the Neville Room. The speaker is Wendy Utley, talking about the work of the Downs Syndrome Support Group based in Bingley. All are welcome. There will be a small charge for visitors.

Church Garden The management of the Church garden has changed in the last year. The grass and all

borders except the Memorial Garden (South Border) are managed by John Smith. The Memorial Garden is tended by Margaret Wadsworth and the bed in the car park is tended by Julie Smith. The Easter garden with the tomb has been rebuilt. If anyone has any comments to pass on or wishes to donate a plant or bulbs, please speak to Margaret or Jeanette. Thank you.

Sunday Club Anita Armstrong is taking over the Sunday Club leadership with immediate effect. Grateful thanks to Anita for stepping up and also to Eileen Mayo-Smith for her all her hard work in the last few years.

Message from Christians Against Poverty (CAP)

Thank you for sending in the money you raised through your Pancake Party. It will make an incredible difference to families living under the weight of poverty across the UK. When you're having fun and eating lots of pancakes, it might not seem like you're making a significant impact, but you really are.

Bingley Food Bank Shortages this week: tinned Potatoes, tinned meat, tinned custard, sugar, tea, coffee, cereals, biscuits and tinned fruit.

A note from Emma I would like to say a massive thank you to everyone who has supported me so far both financially and prayerfully for my trip to Malaysia in August. As of this week, it is still going ahead, and so we are organising a Malaysian-themed fundraising evening on Saturday 28th March 5-8pm at St Peter's, Shipley. There will be food, quizzes, activities, an auction of promises and presentations from our youth, as well as a Mission talk from Sheila Leech. This is on a pay as you feel basis. Please see me or the flyers for further info and to sign up if you would like to attend as numbers are required for catering.

Diary Date The Christian Aid lunch will be held at TEC on Saturday 16th May. Please make a note of the date if you would be willing to help! Thanks, Jenny Dunn

There is a new youth group for young people aged 14 -18 years, led by Jon Lees. They are meeting during the service on the third Sunday of each month (until July). The dates going forward are Mar 15th, Apr 19th, May 17th, June 21st & Jul 19th.

House Group meetings

Tuesday 17 March 7.30 pm

Wednesday (daytime group) as arranged

Wednesday (evening group) 18 March 7.30 pm at the Taylor's

Thursday 19 March at 7.30 pm at the Oldfields.

Friday A group 20 March 10.00 am venue tbc, please check.

Friday B group meet next on 26 March 7.00 pm for a Palm Sunday Rehearsal in Church.

Prayer Diary: Please continue to pray for the development of our vision and plans to make best use of the new accommodation and facilities.

Our Premises Manager is Julie Smith on 07591 430501. Email juliesmithwyn@outlook.com

We are on Facebook @TheEldwickChurch & **Twitter** @EldwickChurch. **Remember to check out our website.** <https://eldwickchurch.org.uk/>

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