

Week Commencing 14th April 2019

RUISLIP MANOR METHODIST CHURCH



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Minister:
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We give you a very warm welcome and pray that you will find fellowship and friendship here. Please join us for a cup of tea or coffee and biscuits after the morning service and if you are a newcomer please make yourself known to one of us. For the under 3's there are toys in the Creche room 4 – where parents can listen to the service while their children play. Visiting children over 3 years old are very welcome to join in the Discoverers activities.

Service on Sunday 14th April

Revd. Roger Dunlop at 10.45am
Palm Sunday, All Age Worship Preaching Series
Stewards: Ken Merrifield, Valerie Pope

Service on Easter Sunday 21st April

Revd. Roger Dunlop at 8.45am
Easter Breakfast & Communion
Dr Joy Barrow at 10.45am

Stewards: Andrew Bracey, Iola Dias

Service on Sunday 28th April

Revd. Roger Dunlop at 10.45am
Communion

Stewards: Janet Fairclough, Sheila Lee

Service on Sunday 5th May

Revd. Andrew Pottage at 10.45am

Stewards: Nola Stammer, Roger Davis

Lent 2019 Preaching Series

'Why did Jesus die?'-Images of God's saving love:

March 10 'Pictures of God's friendship'

March 17 'The Temple-Atonement'

March 24 'The Law Court-Justification'

March 31 'The Home-Reconciliations'

April 7 'The Market Place-Redemption'

April 14 Palm Sunday

Today's Lenten Image is a Heart
'Why did Jesus die?'

EVENTS FOR THE WEEK: 14th

Wednesday 17th

10.30am-Midweek Communion Ruislip room1

Friday 19th

9.00- 11.00am Torrington Toddlers no meeting

EVENTS FOR THE WEEK: 21st April

Tuesday 23rd

10.00am- Craft Group in the coffee lounge

Friday 26th

9.00- 11.00am Torrington Toddlers in the hall

EVENTS FOR THE WEEK: 28th April

Tuesday 30th

8.00pm- Social Evening in the hall

Friday 3rd May

9.00- 11.00am Torrington Toddlers in the hall

EVENTS FOR THE WEEK: 5th May

Thursday 9th

8.00pm- Journeys at Ruislip

Friday 10th

9.00- 11.00am Torrington Toddlers in the hall

Farewell Service Today

The Farewell Service for the Revd Nick Skelding is on Sunday 14th April at 6pm at Christchurch. There will be an afternoon tea at 4.30pm. Everyone is welcome.

Thank You

A big thank you to everyone who helped and supported the Christian Aid coffee morning on Saturday 6th April. The total raised including donations and the Sunday refreshments was £185.45

ITEMS for the newsletter w/c **21st April 2019**, should be given to Janet Miles, by **MONDAY**, by hand, by email to janet.miles35@gmail.com or put in the folder by the vestry door.

Christian Aid Week 12 - 18 May

There will be no house to house collection at our church for Christian Aid week. Envelopes will be given out on Sunday 12th May. This year Christian Aid week will go towards improving childbirth in countries where many women die in childbirth. We have 2 events planned for Christian Aid week. A coffee morning on Saturday 11th May and a Quiz Evening on Saturday 18th May.



Tickets £5 from Val Graham (or buy on the door)
Come as an individual or bring a team of up to 8 people.

Bring your own nibbles & soft drinks, tea, coffee, and cake will be served.

If anyone is able to help by donating raffle prizes or cakes please could you let Val Graham know.

30th Holocaust Commemoration Pinner Synagogue HA5 5HU Wednesday 1st May 8-10pm

Guest speakers:

HE Prof Arkady Rzegocki, Ambassador of the Republic of Poland

Lili Stern Pohlmann, Child Survivor of the Lwow Ghetto

All welcome. Free entry.

Service Times

As you came in to Church today you will have been given a questionnaire about the possible change of time of the morning service – as you will be aware the Circuit has less Ministers and Local Preachers to fill appointments and if we changed our time of service it would open up the possibility for Preachers to take more than one service on a Sunday morning – this would help considerably in covering services, without increasing Local Arrangements. We would be grateful if you could complete the form and put it in the box in the vestibule before you go home. Any queries please speak to one of the stewards.

United Service

All are welcome to the United Good Friday Service at St. Martin's Church on Friday 19th April at 11.00am, the preacher will be our own minister Rev. Roger Dunlop.

General Church Meeting

The General Church Meeting will be held following the morning service Sunday 28th April. At this meeting, the Stewards for the forthcoming year will be appointed. In addition, we will appoint Church Council members. If you wish to nominate someone to be a Church Council member, please obtain their permission and complete a nomination slip (in the vestibule) and give to one of the Stewards prior to the meeting.



Once again, we are supporting Whitechapel at Easter, in their efforts to serve the men and women who are caught in the cycles of poverty, hopelessness and dependencies of many kinds. There are lists on the notice board and on the table in the vestibule of the most urgent needs in toiletries, food and clothing. If you wish to make a donation there are envelopes on the vestibule table for this and if you are a tax payer this can be Gift Aided. For more information please see Roger Davis.

Greenbelt

Greenbelt Festival is a festival of arts, faith and justice held annually in England since 1974. It runs over the August bank holiday weekend, this year: Friday 23rd – Monday 26th August 2019.

And takes place in the beautiful, landscaped grounds of [Boughton Estate](#), three miles from Kettering town centre.

Day visitors are welcome, most people camp and quite a few stay in accommodation nearby.

It is a wonderful event that I would highly recommend. If you are interested in finding out more or indeed in attending this year please contact me. Roger Dunlop

Prayer Chain & Book: 01895 638627 or email pedaptur@btinternet.com

For hall & room bookings: bookings@rmmc.org.uk