

## **Ruislip Manor Methodist Church**

### Sunday 26th April 2020

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'The royal administrators, prefects, satraps, advisers and governors have all agreed that the king should issue an edict and enforce the decree that anyone who prays to any god or human being during the next thirty days, except to you, Your Majesty, shall be thrown into the lions' den. ... So King Darius put the decree in writing.

Now when Daniel learned that the decree had been published, he went home to his upstairs room where the windows opened toward Jerusalem. Three times a day he got down on his knees and prayed, giving thanks to his God, just as he had done before.' (Daniel 6:7-10)

God's people had been taken into exile in Babylon so Daniel could not pray in the Temple in Jerusalem, but he continued to pray in exile – opening his window to face Jerusalem. Though he was on his own he joined with the prayers of the people wherever they were. Now we too are separated from each other physically, but when we pray in our homes we are doing what countless Jews and Christians have done before us. Wherever we are, whenever we pray, when we speak and think of Christ, there he is in the midst of us. We join our prayers with all those who pray in their homes and communities and around the world.

<u>Spring Harvest's Easter Conference</u> has a number of interesting videos to watch on YouTube. Do a google search for *'Spring Harvest Home programme'*, look for an interesting title then Copy and Paste it into the YouTube search.

Eg Self-care and Caring for Those in Caring Roles & Managing Your Money in a Time of Crisis - John Kirkby from Christians Against Poverty

#### **Prayer Requests**

Please pray for the people affected by the mass killings in Nova Scotia, Canada.

Please continue to pray for :-

Ken B. who is in hospital with a chest infection

Susan's cousin Brian who has mental health issues and is suffering with isolation.

Babs and family. Babs husband died yesterday and it was agonising seeing the family all standing with distance between them not able to give hugs and comfort each other.

Beryl and Family as Beryl's brother, Malcolm, passed away recently.

All those who have contracted Coronavirus and thank God for all who have survived.

Roger and Sheila. Roger's brother in law died recently, he died after contracting coronavirus .Please pray for Roger's sister and family.

Bob and June.

The residents and staff at MHA Kenbrook in Wembley , and all care home residents and their families and carers.

Prayers and Blessings to all at Ruislip Manor and beyond - stay safe.

This week we pray for the people who live in Dulverton Road and Filey Waye.

We also pray for everyone at Pinner Methodist Church.

We wish many happy returns to all who celebrate a birthday in April.

Please send prayer requests to prayerrequests@rmmc.org.uk

#### Live-streamed services

Methodist Central Hall Westminster Sundays 11.00 www.youtube.com/mchwevents

<u>Wesley's Chapel London</u> who will live-stream from the chapel (the Minister lives on the premises) Sundays 11am also Monday to Saturday morning prayers 10am www.youtube.com/channel/UCUAUqhmhevz5sqhh72LIMxA

**Swan Bank Methodist Church** in Burslem, this worship will be studio based – with strict distancing

rules being followed Sundays 10:30

www.youtube.com/user/SwanBank and www.facebook.com/swanbank/

#### Sthie ('At home')

To join in a very different worship experience, try Sthie ('At home') from the Isle of Man (see image of Peel Hill, right, by Andy Fishburne). Join in live on Sundays by joining a Facebook group. For details

see <a href="https://www.andyfishburne.com/2020/03/15/sthie-at-home-online-worship/">www.andyfishburne.com/2020/03/15/sthie-at-home-online-worship/</a> You can watch previous live-streamed videos at <a href="https://www.youtube.com/andyfishburne">www.youtube.com/andyfishburne</a>



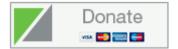
#### Worship from home service sheet for Sunday 26 April

Note: Wesley's Chapel does not include the hymn words in their on line services. If you would like to borrow a copy of Singing the Faith (and indeed Mission Priase, Hymns and Psalms and the Methodist Worship Book) from the church please help yourself if you are a key holder. (Please fill in the sheet by the hymnbook rack). If you are not a key holder Jess has offered to get it delivered locally bookings@rmmc.org.uk

# Regular and one off donations to the church during this time when we are unable to meet together for worship.

Many contribute by standing order each month. If you would like to do the same please email <a href="mailto:treasurer@rmmc.org.uk">treasurer@rmmc.org.uk</a> for the bank account details (or use the information in the news sheet of 5th April) One off donations can also be made to this bank account.

In addition we can now take credit and debit card online payments.



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