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Burn Park Methodist Church

Burn Park Road, Sunderland, SR2 7JH

Sunday 25th March 2018.



Good morning and welcome to Burn Park Church. Our United worship this morning at **10:30 a.m.** will be led by Rev. Rosemary Nash; we look forward to the message he brings to us. An especially warm welcome goes to any friends who are with us for the first time, whilst we remember in our prayers, those friends who are unable to join our fellowship today. Please stay to share in fellowship over a cup of tea or coffee in the dining area afterwards: donations from which will go into Church Funds. This evening at **6 p.m.** at Cleadon there is a Circuit Service led by Rev. Joe Daley. All are welcome.



To receive a clear transmission, please switch to 'T' on your Phonic aid.



If you are Blind or Partially sighted, please ask, and we may have hymn words in Braille or Large print for you to use.



We can accommodate wheelchairs in all rooms within the building.

Collect for Palm Sunday:

God of all-redeeming grace, in your great love you gave your only Son to die for the sins of the whole world. Help us by your Holy Spirit to worship you with reverence, and to enter with joy into the celebration of those mighty acts whereby you bring us life and immortality; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**



If you know of any specific prayer requests, please speak to one of the stewards before worship so that your prayer may be included in the service.

Before worship, we speak to God.



During worship, let God speak to you.

After worship, speak to each other.

Next Sunday: On **Easter Day, Sunday 1st April**, we will celebrate at Burn Park with early Communion at **9 a.m.** led by Rev. Rosemary Nash, followed by Easter Breakfast, then our worship will be later than normal, at **11:15 a.m.**, led by Mrs. Suzy Wake, with music led by a worship band.



Evening Worship around our Sunderland Circuit: regular venues are:

Castletown 6 p.m.

Ewesley Road 6 p.m.

East Boldon 6 p.m. (*1st & 3rd in month*)

Roker 6 p.m.

High Southwick 6 p.m.

New Silksworth 6 p.m.

St. John's 6.30 p.m.

Whitburn 6 p.m.

Don't forget "Sunday Night Extra" from 7:30 – 9 p.m. at Fulwell on the 2nd Sunday of each month.

Methodist Prayer from Twitter:

Prayer for our church

God of love, we pray for this church where your love has been known for many years. We pray that we will welcome everyone in Jesus' name and that, as your love pours in, it will overflow to our neighbours. May each person come to know that they are loved by you and to love you in return. May all grow in faith as we learn and pray together, and may our faith be seen in action.



Amen

Vision Team, Lindley Methodist Church, Huddersfield

Other Notices:

✠ Sadly, we must report that Mrs. Sarah Hardy passed away last week. Our thoughts and prayers are with her family and friends. Her funeral will be held on **Tuesday 27th March at 3:30 p.m.** at Sunderland Crematorium, followed by a wake at The Chesters.

The Easter coffee morning raised £105 for church funds. Thanks to everyone who supported it. Congratulations to the winner of the Easter bonnet competition.

Holy Week and Easter Weekend around our 3 Churches:

The Lent journey concludes this week, as we have been exploring some of the themes John Ortberg raises in his book "If you want to walk on water, you have to get out of the boat."

LENT

Week 5: Waiting on God. Monday 26th March, 10 a.m. at Humbledon *Please note change of time; **6 p.m.** at Ewesley Road; or **Tuesday, 1:30 p.m.** at Burn Park. Please bring your bible with you.

On **Maundy Thursday (29th March)**, there will be a United Communion service at Ewesley Road at **7 p.m.**, led by Rev. Rosemary Nash. All are welcome.



On **Good Friday (30th March)**, there will be a United Service at Humbledon at **11 a.m.**, led by Mr. Ian Andrew. All are welcome.

In the afternoon, in the hall here at Burn Park, a Labyrinth will be set up. Anyone is welcome to come and browse the multi-media prayer stations at their leisure any time between **1:30 p.m.** and **5:30 p.m.**



Easter Breakfast

We will be having breakfast on **Easter Sunday** as normal after the Communion Service. If you are coming for breakfast would

you please put your name and choice of breakfast on the list on the notice board.

JIGSAWATHON at Roker Methodist Church, from **11 a.m.** on **Good Friday** till **10 a.m.** on **Easter Sunday** (even through the night): we have a 13,200 piece jigsaw of Da Vinci's Last Supper. Refreshments available. £1 for ½ hour of jigsaw.



The Circuit **Easter Sunday (April 1st)** Sunrise service will be at **6:30 a.m.** on Tunstall Hill and will be led by Rev. Kathryn Stephens.



 Sunderland Methodist Circuit is looking for a Circuit Administrator. 20 hours per week working flexibly in consultation with the Circuit Superintendent to suit the Circuit and the individual. Commencing June 2018. Salary £9880 per annum (£9.50 and hour) For an application pack contact Sue Wilson on 07986239470 or email andsuew@ntlworld.com Closing date for applications **13th April 2018 – 12 noon**. Interviews 2nd May.

 Tickets are now available for Park Productions' pantomime, Aladdin, which will take place here at Burn Park on **Thursday 12th – Saturday 14th April** (7:15 p.m. on Thursday & Friday, 3:30 p.m. on Saturday). Tickets are £5 for adults, £3 for under 16s, or £15 for a family ticket (2A & 2Ch), and can be bought from Kathleen or any member of the cast.



Advance Notice: the date of the General Church Meeting will be **Sunday 6th May**.

♪ “SING” at Ewesley Road Methodist Church is looking for an Assistant/Deputy Accompanist for their music theatre group which meets on Wednesdays, from 5 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Required initially once a month, this would ideally suit a young person (although experienced adults also welcome) at about Grade V+ standard and would receive a small remuneration. Contact June on 07546584196. You may be aware that a Circuit Outing was planned to go to Harrogate this June. As our Circuit Administrator resigned at the end of last year, there is no-one to organise this. Unless a volunteer is willing to take on organising the trip, this Outing will be cancelled. If you are willing and able to take on this challenge, please contact the Superintendent minister, Rev. Michael Holland.

James 1:12 (NIV)

Blessed is the one who perseveres under trial because, having stood the test, that person will receive the crown of life that the Lord has promised to those who love him.

BURN PARK CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

Burn Park Methodist Church exists to worship God,
and make the Love of Jesus known,
in our welcome, outreach, and care for all.

Minister: Rev. Rosemary Nash: Tel: 0191 5652221

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Regular Events at this Church:

Sunday

10.30 a.m.

Morning Worship & Sunday Club

6.00 p.m.

Churches Together Drop-In for
Homeless people

Tuesday

11.00 a.m. - 1.30 p.m.

Lunch Club

1.30 p.m. - 3.00 p.m. (1st & 3rd weeks in the month only)

Women Together

7.30 p.m. - 9.00 p.m.

Park Productions

Thursday

10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Coffee@Burn Park

1.00 p.m. - 3.45 p.m.

Stroke Club

6.00 p.m. - 8.00 p.m.

Beavers, Cubs, & Scouts

Friday

9.30 a.m. - 11.00 a.m.

Toddlers Group

7 p.m.

Young Asian Voices

Saturday

10.00 a.m. - 12 noon

Coffee Mornings (3rd week of month)

Don't forget to check the **Notice Board** for new Posters.

To book rooms for an event, please contact Melvyn Morgan on tel: 5251930.

If you have any notices to be published, please contact Suzy or Phil Wake
at Church, Tel: **5226257**, by e-mail on WaSus654@aol.com,
or at 119, Tunstall Rd, by 9 p.m. Thursday.

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