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Burn Park Methodist Church

Burn Park Road, Sunderland, SR2 7JH

Sunday 8th March 2020.

Lent

Good morning and welcome to Burn Park Church. Our worship this morning, at **10:30 a.m.**, will be a Local Arrangements we look forward to the fellowship we will share as we worship today. 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.



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 the Second Sunday of Lent:

Christ, Son of the living God, who for a season laid aside the divine glory and learned obedience through suffering: teach us in all our afflictions to raise our eyes to the place of your mercy and to find in you our peace and deliverance. We make our prayer in your name.

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 **Sunday 15th March**, worship here at Burn Park at **10:30 a.m.** will be led by Rev Robert Kasema. All are welcome.



Evening Worship around our Sunderland Circuit: regular venues are:

Ewesley Road 6 p.m. East Boldon 6 p.m. (1st & 3rd in month)
Roker 6 p.m. (1st in month) High Southwick 6 p.m.
New Silksworth 6 p.m. Whitburn 6 p.m. (1st & 3rd in month)
St. John's 6.30 p.m.

Don't forget "Sunday Night Extra" from 6 – 8 p.m. at Fulwell on the 2nd Sunday of each month. Check with the Circuit Plan to see whether services are taking place.

Methodist Prayer from methodist.org.uk:

Blessed be God, who has promised humanity the gift of divinity, mortals the hope of eternal life and sinners the glory of resurrection.

Amen

Augustine of Hippo (354-430)



Other Notices:



The Lent course, led by Rev Rosemary Nash; "Where do the Lost Things Go?", continues at Ewesley Road tonight; **Sunday 8th March, Sunday 22nd March and Sunday 5th April at 6 p.m.** each time. All are welcome.

Margaret Metcalfe would appreciate some small donations towards the flowers for the Church. Thank you.



Park Productions' pantomime "Dick Whittington" is on **Thursday 12th March and Friday 13th March at 7:15 p.m.**, and **Saturday 14th March at 3:30 p.m.** See Kathleen to book your seats before they sell out!

Saturday afternoon is now SOLD OUT but there are plenty of tickets left for Thursday and Friday evening at the moment. Book in advance to avoid disappointment!

On **Saturday 14th March, from 10:30 – 12:30**

p.m., Methodist Evangelicals Together are holding "Chosen people, Royal Priesthood" at Brunswick Methodist Church. See poster for more details.



East Boldon Methodist Church are holding an Irish Night on **Saturday 14th March at 4 p.m.** Entertainment by David, Irish food; admission £5

On **Saturday 21st March**, Wearside Youth for Christ will be hosting a 12 hour danceathon to raise money for the primary project. The team will be dancing to various different dance styles and themes throughout the day and would love for you to be involved by either donating in order to dance for a period of time or just sponsoring us to do it. The evening will



finish with a 2 hour ceilidh and we would love for as many people as possible to come to this event. The event will take place at Bethany City Church, Bede Tower Burdon road. We are dancing **from 8:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.** More information: wearsideyfc.co.uk

High Southwick Sisterhood and Brotherhood Anniversary Weekend begins on **Sunday 22nd March** with services led by Deacon John Hill at **10:45 a.m.** and Rev M Holland at **6 p.m.** The Rally will take place on **Monday 23rd March** at **2 p.m.**, with the speaker being Mrs Kathleen Carter (National President) and the soloist Mrs Susan Smith; refreshments will follow.

PeerTalk, a national charity offering support to people facing depression, anxiety, is recruiting volunteer facilitators for its new peer support group which will run weekly in Sunderland from May. Full training on **28th March** and ongoing support is offered. Please contact enquiries@peertalk.org.uk for further information or see www.peertalk.org.uk/index.php/volunteer



Holy Week

During Holy Week there will be events happening in our three churches; so far, the dates we have are: a Seder Meal at Ewesley Road at **6:30 p.m.** on **Maundy Thursday, 9th April**; here at Burn Park on **Good Friday, 10th April**, we will have a Prayer Labyrinth and a service of reflection at **3:15 p.m.**; and on **Easter Day, Sunday 12th April**, we will have breakfast here at **8:45 a.m.** followed by morning worship at Ewesley Road at **10:30 a.m.** More details coming soon!

Psalm 139:23-24 (NIV)

Search me, God, and know my heart; test me and know my anxious thoughts. See if there is any offensive way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting.



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.

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Regular Events at this Church:

Sunday

10:30 a.m.	Morning Worship & Sunday Club
11 a.m.	Mustard Seed Church
1 p.m. - 3 p.m.	Deeper Life Church Worship
6 p.m.	Churches Together Drop-In for Homeless people

Monday

10 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.	Drop-in Lunch
1:30 - 3:30 p.m.	Ladybirds (1 st Monday of month)

Tuesday

11 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.	Lunch Club
6 p.m. - 8 p.m.	Deeper Life Church Bible Study
7:30 p.m. - 9 p.m.	Park Productions

Thursday

10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	Coffee@Burn Park
1 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.	Stroke Club
2 p.m.	Bible Study (3 rd week of month)
6 p.m. - 8 p.m.	Beavers, Cubs, & Scouts

Friday

9:30 a.m. - 11 a.m.	Toddlers Group
4 p.m. - 9 p.m.	Ballet Classes

Saturday

10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	Coffee Mornings (3 rd week of month)
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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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