



Zion Methodist Church Notices Sunday 13 April 2025



Sunday 13 April: 10.30am

- ✝ Worship led by Rev Dr Val Ogden
- ✝ 6th Sunday in Lent; Palm Sunday
- ✝ Charity collection: Centrepoint Outreach

Sunday 20 April: 10.30am

- ✝ Worship led by Rev Julie Doddrell
- ✝ Easter Sunday
- ✝ Holy Communion

Lent Liturgy – Palm Sunday: Soul Songs

Give us this day our daily bread that lets our hearts sing...

That we can express our loves, our likes, our hates, our fears, the depths of our joys, our sorrows, our hopes, our dreams.

Give us this day our daily bread that lets our hearts sing...

That we can live and be ourselves knowing you hear our songs, that we can sing out our hearts desire.

Give us this day our daily bread that lets our hearts sing...

As you know the songs of our souls, the depths of our being, may those others who hear them through us see you.

O Lord our God, on this Lenten journey, **let us sing and shout and proclaim your way, your Word. Amen.**



Plant Sale at Centenary: Sunday 13 April, 12 noon to 3pm

Plants, seeds, magazines, refreshments. Proceeds to Centenary Methodist Church. All welcome.

Boston Methodist Circuit Holy Week and Easter Services

- ✝ Monday 14 April, 2.45pm: Holy Week Stations and Prayer Walk – Kirton Village; meet at the Chapel, refreshments 4pm
- ✝ Tuesday 15 April, 7pm: Soul Food: Feeling well fed? Hospital Bridge; worship and sharing to look back at our Lenten journey 2025
- ✝ Wednesday 16 April, 10am: Holy Week online (Zoom) service with Rev Julie Doddrell
- ✝ Maundy Thursday 17 April, 7pm: Reflective service with the ministry of Footwashing – Zion
- ✝ Good Friday, 18 April
 - ✝ 10am: Worship at Centenary with the Reading of the Passion
 - ✝ 10.45am: Ecumenical Walk of Witness – Boston Town Centre
 - ✝ 2pm: Holy Week Stations and Prayer Walk – Gipsy Bridge Village; followed by reflective service at the Chapel at 3pm with hot cross buns

- ✚ 7.30pm: Swineshead Sacred Service – Swineshead
 - ✚ Saturday, 19 April, 10.30am: Family-friendly Easter journey – Kirton
 - ✚ Easter Sunday 20 April:
 - ✚ 6am: Sunrise Service – Centenary garden; hot drinks and breakfast baps
 - ✚ 10.30am: Easter morning services at Centenary, Kirton, Swineshead and Zion
 - ✚ 2.30pm Easter service at Gipsy Bridge
 - ✚ 6pm: Easter service at Hospital Bridge
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A journey through Holy Week: from Monday 14 April

Join the President and Vice-President as they travel through Holy Week and share a short video reflection. Each video will be available from 7am every day starting on Holy Monday. Watch the whole playlist, as each video becomes available.

<https://www.methodist.org.uk/faith/easter-2025/a-journey-through-holy-week/>

An Easter Message from the President of the Conference

<https://www.methodist.org.uk/faith/easter-2025/an-easter-message-from-the-president-of-the-conference/>

Table Top Sale at Centenary: Saturday 26 April, 10am to 2pm

Grab a bargain at Two Bridges Methodist Mission Table Top Sale at Centenary Methodist Church. Having a spring clear out? Sell your stuff and make some money! Free entry. Tea/Coffee and Refreshments available. Tables available (pre-book only) £5 contact Lynn on 07896 128727 / email nnylthorn@gmail.com

Circuit Meeting at Centenary: Tuesday 29 April, 7pm

The next meeting will be on Tuesday 29 April at 7pm in person at Centenary.

Pastoral Visitor Safeguarding Training: Saturday 10 May, 9.30am

This has been rescheduled for Saturday 10 May, 9.30am to 1pm at Swineshead Methodist Church. If you wish to book, please contact the circuit office or email centenarymeth@gmail.com.

RoadHog News: April 2025

Historically, Spring brings more young people aboard the Bus. Please pray that the Team will be able to deal with the increase in numbers and that there will be correspondingly increasing numbers of good and meaningful conversations with the young people.

We give thanks that the Bus has passed its MOT with no advisories, so it's good to go for the next twelve months – Praise God!!

The latest newsletter includes an update from Jenny Stock, one of the longest serving Members of roadHoG – from a Team Leaders Perspective. We give thanks for all team members and all who support the project.

<https://roadhogbus.org.uk/support-us/newsletter/>

Myanmar earthquake

The Disasters Emergency Committee (DEC) has launched an appeal to help with the relief effort. Christian Aid (of which the Methodist Church was a founding partner) is one of the 15 leading aid charities that make up the DEC.

<https://www.methodist.org.uk/about/news/earthquake-in-myanmar-the-methodist-church-responds-and-supports-christian-aid-appeal/>

Weekly activities at Zion		
Mondays	10am-12pm	Knit & Knatter
	2pm-3pm	Zumba dance class
	7.15pm	Badminton (Sep-Apr)
Tuesdays	6pm-7.15pm	Beavers and Cubs
	7pm-9pm	Scouts
	7.30pm	'The Way' Fellowship Group (1 st and 3 rd Tue)
Wednesdays	9.45am	Boston Community Health Walk
	5pm-6pm	Rainbows
	6pm-7.15pm	Brownies
	7pm	Short Mat Bowls (Sep-May)
	7.15pm-8.45pm	Guides
Thursdays	9.30am-11.30am	Coffee Morning
	12.30pm	Community Lunch (3 rd Thu; booking required)
Fridays	10am	Trinity Badminton Group
	2pm-4pm	Come & Meet Each Other (CAMEO) – table top games, puzzles