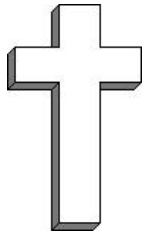


## Broad Street Methodist Church welcomes you to Worship Sunday 22nd April



*We warmly welcome visitors to our service today.  
Please sign the visitors' book at the rear of the Church before you leave.*

Church Stewards today are: Lynn Roberts / Jess East

### **Loop System**

Our Church is fitted with an induction loop for the hard of hearing. To fully benefit from this facility, please turn your hearing aid to the appropriate setting.

### **Weekly Events**

#### **Sunday 22nd April**

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| 9:00 am  | Café worship led by Nicky and Trish.           |
| 10:30 am | Morning Service led by Miss Pat Gooding.       |
| 10:30 am | Junior Church.                                 |
|          | Coffee after the service.                      |
| 5:00 pm  | Prayer space in Coffee Lounge.                 |
| 6:00 pm  | Evening Service led by Rev Frances Ballantyne. |
|          | Held at Broad Street Methodist Church.         |

#### **Tuesday 24th April**

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| 10:00 am – 12:00 pm | Tuesday Morning Coffee.   |
| 10:45 am – 11:00 am | Shoppers Service led by Jenny Elston.                                 |
| 7:30 pm             | 'and they were together' Acts 2v42-47. Led by Rev Frances Ballantyne. |

#### **Wednesday 25th April**

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| 10:00 am | 'and they were together' Acts 2v42-47. Led by Rev Frances Ballantyne. |
| 2:00 pm  | Four Seasons.   |

#### **Thursday 26th April**

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| 9:00 am | Prayer Meeting at the home of Pat Gooding.                   |
| 7:00 pm | Church Council Meeting at St Thomas's Road Methodist Church. |

#### **Friday 27th April**

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| 10:00 am – 12:00 pm | Knit and Natter (at St. Thomas's Road). |
| 7:30 pm             | Gateway Club.                           |

#### **Sunday 29th April**

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| 9:00 am  | Informal Service led by Emma Bennett; Speaker is Steve Weatherley-Barton. |
|          | Coffee after the service.   |
| 10:30 am | Morning Service led by Rev Keith Rowbottom.                               |
| 10:30 am | Junior Church.  |
|          | Coffee after the service.   |
| 5:00 pm  | Prayer space in Coffee Lounge.  |
| 6:00 pm  | Evening Easter Offering Service.  |
|          | Held at Bicker Methodist Church.  |

### **Sunday Rotas**

#### **Flowers**

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| 29 Apr | Grace Sudderby |
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#### **Church Stewards**

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| 29 Apr | Alan Moden / Heather Howman |
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#### **Welcome Stewards**

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| 29 Apr | Norma East / Jess East |
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#### **Sunday Morning Coffee**

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| 29 Apr | Pat Gooding / Peter Caress / Ann Caress |
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## News

### Study Group

'and they were together' Acts 2v42-47. A four week exploration of the Early Church as we have come together united in worship and fellowship in Broad Street Coffee lounge. Evening or morning follow the same weekly study. Come when you can, no booking necessary. Tea / coffee, cake or biscuits. Lasts about 1 hour.

Dates; Tues 24th April, 1st, 8th May. 7.30pm

Dates; Wed 25th April, 2nd & 9th May. 10am

### Weekly Prayer Meeting

Prayer meeting, Thursday at 9am at the home of Pat Gooding.

### Knitting Group

The knitting group will continue at St Thomas Rd; every Friday morning from 10 am to 12 noon. Why not come along and join us for a time of fellowship, tea / coffee and biscuits. You do not have to knit, but we always have wool and needles available if you want to!! Yvonne Achurch

### Songs of Praise

10.30 May 6th, please sign up on poster for us to sing your favourite hymn. Be quick, first 8 will be sung. Deadline April 29th. Rev Frances with Patrick playing.

### Prayer Chain

Pat Barnett organises a prayer chain within Broad Street, so obviously with explicit consent, please notify her of any prayer requests within circuit churches and wider afield. If you want to become involved, please let Pat know (714723)

### Church Council Meeting

Calling all the previous St Thomas' church council members to come to St Thomas' on Thursday 26th April 7pm for a Church Council meeting, as required in this period of transition. Rev Frances.

### Spring Fayre

Many thanks to all who contributed in any way to ensure the success of our annual Spring Fayre. A few extra sales of plants after the event brought a final total of £766.15 for Church funds.

### Dates for your Diary

Please take a copy of the new card showing events planned for the remainder of this year at Broad Street. There have been some changes so please destroy the old one.

### Volunteers required!

1. Spring Clean and Tidy Up on Saturday 28th April 2018 starting at 9.30 a.m. We need to carry out some general maintenance, tidying up and cleaning of our premises. Please come along and help us!

2. We still need volunteers to put out the black bin bags on either Wednesday afternoon/evening or early Thursday ready for collection on Thursday Morning. We could arrange a rota if we have a number of volunteers. Please consider helping us do this.

3. We still need a volunteer to paint the large wooden kitchen trolley so that it better reflects the renovated kitchen. It takes a lot of time and effort to maintain our premises and prevent problems building up over time. As much help as possible is needed to do this. If you can help with any of the above tasks then please speak to David Baldwin.

### Britain's Biggest Breakfast

Thank you to all who supported me raising money for Cancer Research UK, either by donating raffle prizes, attending on one day or giving donations, I raised an amazing amount of £512.50. Thank you so much. Helen Shields.

### All Groups

Please can all notices be in the box in the main entrance by the evening of Thursday 26th April, or they can be sent by email to [robert.bester@btopenworld.com](mailto:robert.bester@btopenworld.com)

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