

Life @ Chester-le-Street Methodist Church

Sunday 14th April 2019 - Palm Sunday

Welcome to worship at Chester-le-Street Methodist Church.

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We are delighted to see you. If this is the first time you have visited us then please make yourselves known to the team on duty in the porch. If you have any particular needs, or wish to speak to a minister, please see one of the team on duty who will be wearing badges to identify them. Or please feel free to contact any of the ministry team.



A Quotation to think about as you prepare for worship

~ Ron Hutchcraft

When Jesus died on the cross, He was giving "all He had" to pay the price for all the wrong things you've ever done. In your heart, for just a moment, would you walk up that hill the Bible calls Skull Hill and stand quietly at the foot of that cross where the Son of God is pouring out His life for you. Look at Him dying for you! You are not worthless! But you'll never know how valuable you are until you give yourself to the One who died to buy you back. Which you could do right now, right where you are.

Today

10:00 am Morning Worship service led by Kathy Bevan

Refreshments will be served after the morning service by Mary Sanderson and Elizabeth Oswald

6:00 pm Evening Worship service led by Allen Humes

Refreshments will be served after the evening service by Dorothy Hedley and Dorothy Wroe

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| Vestry Stewards: | 10:00am: Marion Smith, Fred Johnson | 6:00pm: Miriam Proctor, Stephen Wroe |
| Door Stewards: | Dorothy Fowler, Anne Boden and Mary Haskett | |
| Readers: | 10:00am Val Gleason | 6:00pm Francis Phillips |
| Sound Technicians: | 10:00am Worship Band | 6:00pm Derick Lawson |
| PowerPoint: | 10:00am Robert Berry | 6:00pm Steve Sunderland |

Sunday 21st April - Easter Sunday

10:00 am Easter Celebration and Communion service led by Rev Liz Kent

Refreshments will be served after the morning service by Freda Raine and Lily Winn

6:00 pm Easter Celebration and Communion service led by Rev Liz Kent

Refreshments will be served after the evening service by Joan Davison and Cathy Wright

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| Vestry Stewards: | 10:00am: Brenda Wood, Robert Berry | 6:00pm: Doreen Hume, Dorothy Hedley |
| Door Stewards: | Barbara & Steve Sunderland and Trevor Blacklock | |
| Readers: | 10:00am David Gribben | 6:00pm Alan Smith |
| Sound Technicians: | 10:00am Worship Band | 6:00pm Keith Walton |
| PowerPoint: | 10:00am Robert Berry | 6:00pm Derick Lawson |

Please remember in your prayers the preachers from our church who are leading worship this week: The members of our Ministry Team; Linda Watkin, Ian Kent and Liz Kent

Midweek Activities

Monday 15th April

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| Pilates with Jana | 10:00 - 11:00am |
| Yoga with Jana | 11:00am - 12noon |
| Alzheimer's Society – "Singing for the Brain" | 1:30 - 3:30pm |
| Women's Fellowship – Joyce Hindmarsh | 2:00pm |
| Stop Smoking clinic * | 4:00 - 5:00pm |
| Denchi Kai Academy | 6:00 - 7:30pm |
| Public Rail Meeting | 6:00 - 8:00pm |
| Monday Housegroup at 27 Bede Court | 7:00pm |

Tuesday 16th April

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| Coffee Morning hosted by Perkinsville church | 9:00 - 11:30am |
| Thrive Yoga | 10:00 - 11:30am |

Wednesday 17th April

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| Slimming World group 1 | 5:30pm |
| Slimming World group 2 | 7:30pm |
| Churches Together service | 7:00pm |
| Ballroom Dancing | 7:30 - 8:30pm |

Thursday 18th April - Maundy Thursday

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| Slimming World group 1 | 3:30pm |
| Slimming World group 2 | 5:30pm |
| Slimming World group 3 | 7:30pm |
| Maundy Thursday service | 7:00pm |

Friday 19th April - Good Friday


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| Good Friday service | 3:00pm |
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Saturday 20th April

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| Coffee Morning hosted by the Women's Fellowship | 9:00 - 11:30am |
| Slimming World group 1 | 8:00am |
| Slimming World group 2 | 10:00am |
| Slimming World group 3 | 12:00noon |
| Food Cycle | 6:00 - 9:00pm |
| N. A. Meeting * | 7:30 - 9:00pm |

Please send items for the next Notices to
Duncan Hindmarsh by 7:30pm on Tuesday. Thanks.

 djs.hindmarsh@gmail.com (preferred)

 0191 3889713

HOLY WEEK EVENTS

Wednesday 17th April

7:00pm Churches Together Holy Week Service.
This will be held at this church. All are
welcome, but please note the starting time.

Maundy Thursday 18th April

7:00pm Maundy Thursday service here at the
Methodist church.

Good Friday 19th April

10:00am Stations of the Cross service at
St. Cuthbert's Roman Catholic Church.

11:00am Walk of Witness. This will commence in
Ropery Lane outside St Cuthbert's Roman
Catholic Church to walk up Ropery Lane and
down Front Street for a service, hopefully
somewhere near the Market Square, at around
11:25am. You are very welcome to join us for
all or part of this walk, or simply at the service.
This is a great witness in the town.

3:00pm Good Friday service here at the
Methodist church.

Thank you to our church family for their generous
support and donations towards a gift this coming
Easter for children who attend groups
on our premises.

It is very much appreciated.

Thank you, the Church Stewards.



Worship Night with Graham Kendrick
Keep the Banner Flying High
Thursday 2nd May at 7:30pm

Dunston Family Church,
Dunston Activity Centre, Gateshead, NE11 9SS

If you would like to go please contact
Brian Straughan (☎ 3661488) who will
arrange purchase and distribution of
tickets, which are £12.

**GRAHAM
KENDRICK**

With the exception of items marked * all activities
on these Notices are open to all
and everyone is welcome.

If you are interested in a particular activity, please contact
the office for further information or visit our website

www.cornerstonescentre.co.uk

Office contact details

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If you would like to use it the guest Wi-Fi at Cornerstones is CMC Guest (A1A2A3A4A5).

C.H.A.M.P.

- Change, Heal and Always be Mentally Prepared -

This community learning course looks into awareness of mental health through increasing self-awareness, awareness of stress, anxiety, depression and looking into positive coping strategies. Learners can use this personally or as a starting block for a new career in Mental Health or well-being.

The course is 15 hours long and will be on 2nd, 9th and 16th May from 9:30am - 2:30pm. You will be eligible if you are a County Durham resident, over the age of 19 and willing to dedicate your time to learning.



IMPACT
NORTHEAST
People helping people

This course is designed for any learner that wants to raise their awareness of mental health and the problems that can cause mental ill-health and develop coping strategies. Or you may want to start a new career path. Course Content: Self awareness, awareness of stress, awareness of anxiety, awareness of depression, positive coping strategies.

For further information contact: IMPACT NORTH EAST on 0191 3670105 or

email: training@impactnortheast.co.uk

website: www.impactnortheast.co.uk

Family History Course

Starting on 23rd April from 12:30 - 2:30pm for 10 weeks.

This course is designed to introduce learners to the skills required and resources available to research their family history.

Contact Deb Divanis for more details

ddivanis@cornerstonescentre.co.uk



The monthly prayer meeting for children and families work in the church will be held on Wednesday 17th April at 10:00am in the Aidan Room.

I'd love to see you there but if you're not able to come, but would like to pray for this part of the life of the church, please email me at cfw.cornerstones@gmail.com and I can email you the monthly prayer update, or you can pick up a copy from the porch.



Gain an ITQ L2 Certificate at Cornerstones.

This course will be run by the Adult Learning and Skills Service. Wednesdays 9:30am - 12:00pm for 11 weeks from 24th April. Book your place on 03000 266 115 or alss@durham.gov.uk