



**GODALMING UNITED CHURCH**  
(Methodist & United Reformed)

## SERVICES FOR SUNDAY JUNE 4<sup>th</sup> 2017 and notices for the coming week

Some prayers from the Church of England for this election week.

Heavenly Father,  
source of all truth and wisdom  
who knows and loves the whole creation  
watch over our nation at election time  
that truth may prevail over distortion  
wisdom triumph over recklessness  
and the concerns of every person be heard.

Lord Jesus,  
who chose the way of the cross in the Garden of Gethsemane,  
help us to turn our backs on self interest and to support the policies that  
sustain the poor, the vulnerable and the frightened people of this world.

### ***PRAYER FOR THE WEEK***

God our Father, we pray for your church here and in every place. Grant as its  
hallmark, confidence in the never-failing presence and power of Jesus. Preserve  
and renew, day by day, the life of your people, so that we may all serve your purpose,  
whether in times of indifference or in times of danger.

We pray for our nation, divided and uncertain, that in our political choices we may  
each seek to put the good of all above any selfish advantage. Give us a spirit of  
mutual service and the courage to take the long view.

In the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Today's stewards are

Vestry Steward     John Davies  
Duty Steward     Sue Weighton

(stewards are the people to ask, if you need help before, during or after a service)

**9.00-10.15am *eMerge* (Fairtrade Sunday breakfast)**

Our CLOSED LOOP SYSTEM requires hearing aids to be switched to 'T'.  
Recordings of our services are available through the church website, or a CD copy can be provided on request – please ask a Steward.

The Church operates a system of covenanted, planned giving (details of which may be obtained from Nicola Garriock).

There is a children's area available at the rear of the Church which parents and their young children may use during the service.

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**9.00am HOLY COMMUNION** - led by Rev Paul Hulme  
Pianist: Wendy Bicknell

HYMNS (H&P) 295 Spirit of the living God  
(H&P) 280 Breath on me breath of God (2<sup>nd</sup> tune)

Lesson John Ch. 20 v. 19-23 (p.1090) read by Gwen Wheatman

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## **10.30am MORNING WORSHIP**

Led by	Rev Bryony Arnold
Organist:	Keith Nye
Hosts:	Mary and Robin Bellwood
Sound System:	Charles Steele
Projection steward:	Julie Rowling

Call to Worship and Introduction.

**Hymn (StF) 24**                      **Come, now is the time to worship**

Prayer

Response:

Spirit of life

**Fill our emptiness with your fullness**

Spirit of power

**Stir our hearts afresh**

Spirit of love

**Touch us, and through us, our neighbour**

Spirit of Creativity

**Enable and empower the gifts you have given**

Spirit of Eternity

**Draw us ever deeper into your Kingdom**

Weysiders time

**Hymn (StF) 40**

**Blessed be the name of the Lord**

Lessons:

Acts 2. 1-21 (p.1093) read by Margaret Ireland

John 7. 37-39 (p.1073) read by Sylvia Kelley

**Hymn (StF) 395**

**Spirit of the living God**

Sermon

Prayers of Intercession

Collection and dedication of the Offering (*congregation please stand*)

**Hymn (StF) 545**

**Be thou my vision**

Blessing

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Everyone is welcome to join us for coffee or tea or a drink  
of squash in the River Room after the service.

The flowers have been given by Audrey Corden in memory  
of her husband, Alan. Arranged by Wendy Weston.

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**The Wey Forward – Circuit magazine is available  
at the back of the church and in the foyer.**

**There will be a Church Meeting after the morning service on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> June.**

**Whitechapel Mission Collection of Men's Clothing and Non-perishable  
breakfast foods. 2nd July to 17th July 2017 at GUC.** Please check the leaflet in  
Span or the website to see the most urgently needed items. [www.whitechapel.org.uk](http://www.whitechapel.org.uk)  
Please bring items at the specified times in the leaflet.

**Cake Stall for Ophthalmic Project in Gambia - Wednesday 5th July  
3.30pm to 6.30pm at GUC.** If you can provide some small cakes for this,  
please let Janet Shaw know. Thank you.

**Appreciating Church** – Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> June 2.30pm – 5pm at  
Addlestone Methodist Church, 71 Station Road Addlestone, KT 15 2AR and  
**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> June** 2.30pm–5pm at **Cranleigh Methodist Church**, 188 High Street,  
Cranleigh, GU6 8RT. An afternoon of conversation and inspiration to help us  
explore the church's vision and mission in an appreciative way.

DIARY FOR THE WEEK UP TO SUNDAY 11<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2017

- Tues 6<sup>th</sup> 5.00pm Brownies (*Alison tel:422841*)
- Wed 7<sup>th</sup> 10.00am Godaltots (*Jacky tel: 423768*)  
8.00pm Meeting for Messy Church helpers (Chancel Room).  
Ring 414778 for more information.
- Thurs 8<sup>th</sup> 4.30pm Rainbows (*Julie tel:428701*)  
7.30pm Scouts (*Grahame tel: 01420 475773*)
- Fri 9<sup>th</sup> 10.30am–2.00pm Church open for private prayer  
12-1.30pm Lunches  
6.00pm Music Kids (*Barbara tel:421268*)
- Sat 10<sup>th</sup> **10.30am – 5.00pm Flower Festival**  
Refreshments available

**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> June - Church Anniversary and Flower Festival**

**10.30am Morning Worship – led by Rev John Walker  
followed by Bar-Be-Cue and entertainment**

**12noon – 4.00pm Flower Festival**

3.00pm Godalming Civic Service at the Wilfrid Noyce Centre.

**6.30pm Circuit Service at GUC In praise of preaching** – a gathering  
to support the 12 local preachers who will be receiving long  
service awards.

ADVANCE NOTICES

- Mon 12<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm Monday Bible Group meets (Chancel Room)
- Tues 13<sup>th</sup> 10.15 for 10.30am Bible study group ‘Who do you think you are?’
- Wed 14<sup>th</sup> 12.15 for 12.30pm Lunch Fellowship at the Jack Phillips, Godalming.  
All welcome
- Fri 16<sup>th</sup> 2.15 for 2.30pm **Qui** Sharing our faith within the context of daily life.  
All welcome. Contact Margaret Ireland.
- Sat 17<sup>th</sup> 3.00 – 5.00pm **Messy Church** – theme: Jesus’ calling of the four fishermen –  
the first disciples.

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