



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

## SERVICE FOR SUNDAY MARCH 11<sup>th</sup> 2018 and notices for the coming week

This is the first week that video of our morning service will be broadcast over the internet – at the same time the service is taking place, and available to watch for the next week. Those with internet access (on smartphone, tablet, computer or SmartTV) will be able to access the service through the website [www.thesundayservice.org](http://www.thesundayservice.org).

We are also looking into downloading all or parts of the service to a laptop or tablet to show to those without internet access when they are visited. Members of the congregation won't be included in the video, and children participating in the service (e.g. Music Kids) will only be included if parental consent has been given. Further information and consent forms are available from stewards or at the back of the church. If you have questions or concerns, please contact me.

*Richard August*

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

Jesus, who predicted that Peter would deny him, forgive us when don't hear or respond when others ask us about you. We pray that you will give us courage to proclaim the gospel by bringing comfort to the suffering, hope to the struggling and overwhelmed, justice for those whose voices are suppressed by violence or disdain. Amen

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

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Our CLOSED LOOP SYSTEM requires hearing aids to be switched to the telephone or T programme. 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.

Today's stewards are

Vestry Steward Alan Steele

Duty Steward Sue Weighton

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

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## **10.30am MORNING WORSHIP**

Led by	Rev Dr Claire Potter
Music:	Candela
Hosts:	Mary and Robin Bellwood
Sound System:	Richard August
Projection steward:	Julie Rowling

Welcome and notices

Call to worship

Hymn (StF) 94      **To God be the glory**

Prayer of adoration

Prayer of confession

Bidding: 'Loving God'      Response: '**Forgive us**'

At the end : Bidding: 'We belong to God'

Response: '**Thanks be to God. Amen**'

Conversation with Weysiders

Hymn (StF) 440      **Amazing Grace - how sweet the sound -**

Weysiders blessing and departure

Reading

Luke 15: 11-32 (p.1049) read by Margaret and John Goatley

Hymn (StF) 443      Come, let us sing of a wonderful love  
verse 1 (*seated*)

Introduction (*3 images to go on screen during this section*)

Hymn 443      Come, let us sing of a wonderful love  
verse 2 (*seated*)

Sermon section 1

Hymn 443      Come, let us sing of a wonderful love  
verse 3 (*seated*)



Those who knew the Chidgey family will be saddened to learn of the death of Kate Chidgey on 21<sup>st</sup> February.

**GUC Lenten Appeal - Rohingya Refugee Crisis.** Lenten letters are available in the Foyer and gifts will be dedicated on Easter Sunday.

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DIARY FOR THE WEEK UP TO SUNDAY 18<sup>th</sup> MARCH 2018

- Mon 12<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm Monday evening Lent group meets
- Tues 13<sup>th</sup> 5.00pm Brownies (*Alison tel:422841*)
- Wed 14<sup>th</sup> 10.00am Godaltots (*Jacky tel: 423768*)  
12.15 for 12.30pm Lunch Fellowship at the Jack Phillips.
- Thurs 15<sup>th</sup> 12.15 for 12.30pm Lent Reflections at St. Mary's, Guildford,  
followed by a bread and soup lunch  
4.30pm Rainbows (*Julie tel:428701*)  
7.30pm Scouts (*Grahame tel: 01420 475773*)
- Fri 16<sup>th</sup> 10.30am–2.00pm Church open for private prayer  
12-1.30pm Lunches  
2.15 for 2.30pm QUI discussion group meets in the River Room  
6.00pm Music Kids (*Barbara tel: 421268*)
- Sat 17<sup>th</sup> 10am - 4pm **Vocations' Day** will be held at Chislehurst Methodist Church, Chislehurst, Kent, BR7 5LX. Cost £12 – lunch included.  
Bookings can be made at: [www.vocationsdaymarch2018.eventbrite.co.uk](http://www.vocationsdaymarch2018.eventbrite.co.uk)  
*See poster in the foyer.*

**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> March**

- 9.00-10.15am eMerge – Fairtrade Sunday breakfast**  
**10.30am Morning Worship with Holy Communion**  
**- led by Rev Harvey Richardson**

ADVANCE NOTICES

- Sat 24<sup>th</sup> 8.30am Churches Together Ecumenical Prayer Breakfast at Godalming United Church  
3.00 – 5.00pm **MESSY CHURCH** - Family Easter Activities at GUC

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ABOUT THE CHURCH PLEASE CONTACT:**

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