



# Peasedown St John Methodist Church

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## Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> September

**10:30am** Covenant Service with Holy Communion led by Rev David Winstanley

**10:30am** The Harbour

## Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> September

**10:30am** Morning Worship led by Rev David Winstanley

**10:30am** The Harbour

### Alpha – Starting Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> September – 12:30pm

From Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> September we will be running a Church Alpha, which is open to the whole church congregation. We will share in a lunch of soup and bread, followed by a video to watch and a time of discussion. There are still places available, so please see Anna if you are interested in coming along.

### Children, Young People & Families

On **Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> September** from **10am – 12pm** we will be having a time to support and pray for the children, young people and family work that happens at church. There will be a cake sale to raise funds and prayer stations which focus on children, young people and families. Please come along and support this important work which is a vital part of the ministry of this church. If you are able to contribute a cake, then please let Katie or Clare know.

Our groups for children, young people and families are now restarting after the summer holidays. If you would like more information or know someone who might like to join in, then please speak to Julie.

**Seeds Baby & Toddler Group**, every Wednesday from 14<sup>th</sup> September, 10am – 11:30am

**Lighthouse**, group for primary school children in key stage 2, every Thursday from 15<sup>th</sup> September, 6pm – 7pm

**Lagoon**, new group for secondary school children in key stage 3, every Thursday from 22<sup>nd</sup> September, 6pm – 7pm

### Strictly Worship – Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> September, 7pm

Thought you had missed Strictly Worship in September? Well good news, you haven't because it's a week later this month!

### JMA

Please can all JMA collectors return their boxes to Nick for counting as soon as possible.

### Harvest

This year we will be supporting the Somer Valley Foodbank again this year. There will be a Harvest supper and games on **Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> September** and a Harvest Service on **Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> September**. More details in the next notices.

### Regular Giving Collection Envelopes

Like many churches, we operate an envelope scheme for regular giving. The scheme provides an envelope for each week of the year so that you can put collection aside even on the weeks that you are unable to attend. If you are interested in joining the scheme, then please see Marilyn.

### Gift Aid

Gift Aid allows the church to reclaim 25% back from the government on monetary donations made by anyone who is a UK tax payer. If you are a tax payer and would be happy for the church to claim Gift Aid on your donations, or if you are registered for Gift Aid and your tax status has changed, then please see Marilyn.

**GREEN TIPS****Week Commencing Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> September**

Single-use plastics are a major factor in polluting the environment and harming wildlife. Look out for the unnecessary use of single-use plastic when shopping and let the companies who sell them know by completing and sending one of the complaint cards that are available in the entrance foyer.

**Week Commencing Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> September**

We've had a wonderfully warm and sunny summer but our green spaces and gardens are feeling the effects of the lack of rain. Now is a good time to invest in a water butt to harvest rain water over the winter in time for next summer. If you already have one, then why not get another?

**September Birthdays**

3rd Jim Midgley, 4th Marnie Wright, 12th Sarah Brown, 15th Andrew Day, 18th Lawrence Day  
20th Pam Rogers, 22nd Millie Wright, 26th Nicky Krisciunas, 28th Ann Dunford

**September Anniversaries**

1st Jill & Ian Souter, 17th Pam & Rob Barnfield, 26th Charlotte & Brett Partner

**Diary Dates****Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> September**

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10:30 The Harbour

**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> September**

10:30 Morning Worship led by Rev David Winstanley  
10:30 The Harbour  
12:30 Church Alpha

**Monday 5<sup>th</sup> September**

19:30 Christian Living Small Group

**Monday 12<sup>th</sup> September**

No events

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> September**

No events

**Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> September**

10:00 Seeds Baby & Toddler Group

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> September**

11:00 Meet the Neighbours

**Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> September**

11:00 Meet the Neighbours  
18:00 Lighthouse

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup> September**

10:30 Prayer Walk  
12:00 Foodbank

**Friday 16<sup>th</sup> September**

10:30 Prayer Walk  
12:00 Foodbank

**Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> September**

10:00 Prayer Stations and Cake Sales for children's work  
19:00 Strictly Worship

**Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> September**

10:00 Street Communion

**Next Services**

Date	4 <sup>th</sup> Sep, 10:30am	11 <sup>th</sup> Sep, 10:30am	18 <sup>th</sup> Sep, 10:30am	25 <sup>th</sup> Sep, 10:30am
Notes	Covenant & Holy Communion	Alpha Course	Alpha Course	Harvest Alpha Course
Preacher	Rev David Winstanley	Rev David Winstanley	LA	Rev David Winstanley
Harbour	Julie Winstanley	Karen Smith	Julie Winstanley	
Steward	Anna Sims	Ali Williams	Niki de Silva & Linda Day	Niki de Silva & Linda Day
Keyboard	Ruth Reeve	Ruth Reeve	Ruth Reeve	Ruth Reeve
Tech	Ian Sims & Tom Scott	Nick Martin	Nick Martin & Ian Sims	Nick Martin & Ali Wright
Worship Songs	Francis Day	Jill Souter	Richard Parry	Karen Smith
Flowers	Rose Ford	-	Wendy Treasure	Harvest Flowers
Welcomers	Ann & Rob Dunford	Fliss Taylor & Pat Skibinski	Derek Button & Elaine Hillier	Linda Day & Derek Edgell
Counters	Ian Sims + TBC	Jill Souter & Clare Midgley	Marilyn Martin & Francis Day	Francis Day & Karen Smith

**Next Notices**

Please let Nick have anything for the next notices by **Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> September**.