

St. John's Regular Activities.

Morning Worship at 10:30 a.m. every Sunday morning.

Evening Service at 6 p.m. on the last Sunday of each month.

Sunday Club for Children most Sundays during the service.

Leader Sue Eckersley.

EWOT Fellowship 2:30 p.m. fortnightly on Tuesdays.

Leader Ellie Jones.

House Groups (Fortnightly)

Wednesday 7 p.m., various venues.

Contact Howard Jackson.

Tuesday 10 a.m. at Llanfairfechan Methodist Church,

Contact Jean Owen.

Church open for Prayer 10 – 11 a.m. every Friday.

Enter by the vestry door. Organiser Jean Owen.

Coffee Morning: Solid Rock Coffee Plus, every Friday at 11 a.m.

Organisers Howard & Anne Jackson.

Student Worker Isobel Middleton

Student and young people's bible study:

6-8 p.m. 1st & 3rd Sunday of every month in term time, in the church hall.

Diary

February 2019

Sunday 24th: 6 p.m. Evening Service at St. John's.

March 2019

Friday 1st: 11 a.m. World Day of Prayer, Eglwys-y Groes, Maesgeirchen.

Sunday 3rd: 12:30 p.m. Simple lunch in the hall.

Wednesday 6th: 7 p.m. Circuit Ashing Service at Capel Zinc, Llanfarfechan.

Sunday 24th: 6 p.m. Evening Service at St. John's.

April 2019

Sunday 7th: 12:30 p.m. Simple Lunch in the hall.

Thursday 18th: 7 p.m. Maundy Thursday Service at St. John's.

Friday 19th: 10 a.m. Good Friday meditation at St. John's

Friday 19th: 11 a.m. CYTŪN The Passion street drama, Bangor High Street.

Sunday 21st: 10:30 a.m. Easter Sunday Communion service at St. John's.

May 2019

Sunday May 12th: 12:30 p.m. Lunch & Annual Church Meeting at St. John's.

Arrangements for Notices

The next Notice Sheet, for 3rd March, will be produced by Howard Jackson. Email notices@bangormethodistchurch.org or phone **01248-810050** before **Wednesday 27th February**.

St. John's Methodist Church



Sunday 17th February

10:30 a.m. Morning Worship

led by Lesley Gillion,

**The Prayer Request Book for the Intercessions
is at the back of church.**

Please stay for tea/coffee in the hall after the service.

Fair Trade goods will be on sale.

Sunday 24th February

10:30 a.m. Morning Worship,

led by Rev. Dr. Stephen Wigley.

6 p.m. Evening Service, "What does it mean to be whole?"

led by members of the Wednesday Study Group.

Sunday 3rd March

10:30 a.m. Communion Service,

led by Rev. John Howard.

12:30 p.m. Light lunch in the church hall.

Mission Enabler for the Circuit

The Circuit is seeking a part time Mission Enabler. Closing date midnight on 20th February. For further information and application form contact the Circuit Administrator – Heather Bonnebaigt heather.bangormeth@gmail.com phone 07535311510.

Contact Details:

Superintendent Minister: Rev. John Howard

Please contact the Superintendent via heather.bangormeth@gmail.com

Administrative Assistant: Heather Bonnebaigt

heather.bonnebaigt@googlemail.com

Mission Coordinator: Vacancy

Church Website: www.bangormethodistchurch.org

Contact Email: notices@bangormethodistchurch.org

Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top/?q=bangor%20and%20holyhead%20methodist%20circuit>

EWOT – Everyone Welcome on (alternate) Tuesdays

On Tuesday 19th February in the church hall Sue Eckersley will be giving tips on how to keep active and keep well as we get older, to the EWOT fellowship and anyone else who would like to join us at 2 for 2.30 pm. Come and have some fun and learn how to age well and healthily.

On Shrove Tuesday (5th March) come and join us with Rev. John Howard just back from the Holy Land, followed by pancakes in the Church Hall. All are very welcome. *Ellie Jones.*

Easter Eggs by The Meaningful Chocolate Company.

Orders are now being taken by Sue for Easter Eggs. The “Original” 150 g milk chocolate egg, at £3.99, contains a 24 page Easter story-activity book. Full details about the Dark egg at £5.99 and the Special Edition egg at £9.99 are available on the hall notice board and the Fair-Trade stall. Cash with order. *Anne Jackson.*

Messy Church

An Easter Messy Church is planned for Wednesday 17th April, 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Easter crafts and activities followed by lunch. No charge. Please invite family and friends. Children need to be accompanied. *Sue Eckersley.*

Dates for the rota

Please let me have information about your availability for the rota in April, May and June before 23rd February. Please include your availability for the Easter Week services: Maundy Thursday (18th) at 7 p.m.; Good Friday (19th) at 10 a.m.; Easter Day 10.30 a.m. and Songs of Praise at 6 p.m. *Della Fazey.*

Wednesday Bible Study – Lent comes Early!

We next meet on Wednesday 20th February at Sue Eckersley's at 7 p.m. when we will be looking at one of the Churches Together Lent Studies. Please join us; additional people always welcome-see any member of the group for further details. *Jean Ware.*

More Pancakes!

The Cathedral Mothers' Union invites you to their “Pancakes and Coffee” morning on Tuesday 5th March, 10:30 a.m. in Tŷ Deiniol. Cost £2.50 in aid of Mothers' Union work worldwide. *Anne Jackson.*

World Day of Prayer

This year's English-speaking World Day of Prayer takes place on Friday 1st March at 11 a.m. in Eglwys-y-Groes, Maesgeirchen. This international, interdenominational service has been produced this year by the women of Slovenia, with the theme “Come; everything is ready”. The service will last about 1 hour and will be followed by light refreshments.

Please note, there will be no Friday Prayers or Coffee with Scrabble on 1st March because we will all be at the service.

Soup Run

Thank you to everyone who has volunteered to help with this project. A rota is being put together. Please can you pray for the soup run as 3 people each Saturday night seek to minister to vulnerable people on the streets of Bangor. *Sue Eckersley.*

Holiday Club

Holiday Club is provisionally booked for 22nd to 27th July. Please invite family and friends to this event. All children from 4 to 11 are welcome to join us for a fun week. *Sue Eckersley*

Methodist World Mission Conference

MWM's Mission Conference is taking place from 31st May to 2nd June at The Hayes Conference centre, Swanwick, Derbyshire. The theme of the weekend is “China's Mission to the World”, which examines the phenomenal growth of Christianity in China and its implications for the rest of the world. Speakers include Chinese Christians resident in Britain. The cost of the weekend is £165 per person, which includes en-suite accommodation and meals. If you are interested and would like to come, we have a spare seat in the car. *Anne Jackson.*

Singing for Fun

Next practice session for all those who love to sing for fun: Tuesday February 26th 7 p.m. This is open to all, singers or not, come for the laughter and company. *Jean Owen.*

Tuesday Bible Study

The next Llanfairfechan Bible study will be at 10 a.m. on Tuesday 26th February. *Jean Owen.*