

New Eltham Methodist Church
Sunday 7th April 2019
Fifth Sunday of Lent

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Prayer for the Week



By your help, we beseech you, Lord our God,
may we walk eagerly in that same charity
with which, out of love for the world,
your Son handed himself over to death.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the
Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.
Amen

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Please submit weekly news to Jane by **10 am Thursday**

New Eltham Methodist Church Zimbabwe Fellowship.
There are services in **SHONA** at this Church (12.30 - 14.30) each Sunday
For more details contact 07707310098 or 07944881977



Please 'like' us 'New Eltham Methodist Church'

10.30 am Sunday 7th April March 2019
Fifth Sunday of Lent

We welcome all who worship with us, and especially visitors. We also welcome **Mr John Sennett** who will lead this Service with **Charles Chikanya** as Steward.

Order of Service

Call to worship: We gather joyfully to worship you.

Receive our praise.

We gather full of hope, seeking your help and guidance.

Receive our questions.

We gather because we love you.

Receive our commitment.

May we worship with expectation, openness,
receptiveness and sincerity.

Hymn: No. 1 All people that on earth do dwell

All age address

Prayers of adoration and confession

Hymn: No. 51 Great is Thy faithfulness

Young Church depart

First reading: Isaiah .Chapter 43 vs 16-21
Comment

Second reading: Philippians Chapter 3 vs 7-14

Hymn: No. 511 Speak in the stillness (said together slowly)

Third reading: John Chapter 12 vs 1-8

Sermon

Hymn: No. 495 Dear Lord and Father of mankind

Prayers for others and the Lord's Prayer

The offering

Hymn: No. 470 Lord, for the years

Prayer and blessing

**Please join us for a cup of coffee and a chat
at the coffee bar following the service.**

Office opening hours over Easter holidays

During the Easter holidays the office will be open on the following days:

Tuesday 9th April 9.45 am to 3.15 pm

Thursday 11th April 9.45 am to 12 noon

Tuesday 16th April 10.00 am to 1.00 pm

Wednesday 17th April 10.00 am to 2.00 pm

E-mails will be checked daily. I wish you all a 'Happy Easter!' Jane Cowie.

Spring Church Magazine

Please pick up a copy of the Spring magazine today. Thanks to the editor Andrew Seed. If you are visiting someone who is unable to get to Church please do take them a copy. The magazine is also on our Church website.

Job Opportunity at All Saint's Church

All Saint's are seeking a P/T Administrator (4 hours per week, over two days - days negotiable) for a trial period of 6 months beginning 1st May 2019. Hourly rate dependant on experience. Interviews to be held at the end of April. Duties include:

- Helping the vicar with the paper work involved in running a parish.
- Must have typing skills and be familiar with Microsoft office.
- Be personable and able to deal with a range of phone enquiries.

The role holder will be subject to a DBS check in compliance with the Diocese of Southwark safeguarding policy. Full Job description available from revannette.rose@btinternet.com

Please apply in writing with your full CV to

Rev'd Annette Rose

All Saints Vicarage

22 Bercta Road, New Eltham SE9 3TZ. Or email revannette.rose@btinternet.com

NECP Guys & Dolls – May 2019

NECP's next production is the fabulous musical 'Guys & Dolls!' Showing on Thursday 9th, Friday 10th and Saturday 11th May, all performance at 7.30 pm. Tickets £12 per head Tel: 020 8851 9881 or www.necp.org.uk (booking fee applies on line).

NEBA Festival 2019

A date for your diaries....the New Eltham Business Association has set the date for the New Eltham Festival. This will be held on Saturday 14th September between 10 am and 3 pm. Further details to follow nearer the time.

Pastoral News

We remember in our prayers John Broomhead, Gill Coutts, Rene Johnson, Genevieve Manda, Margaret Webster, Susan Tilbury, Nicola Povey, Sue Eaton, Elizabeth Tiplin, Sarah Bartlett, Edith Warner, Peter Penney and family and Choo, Ming and family, the Seed family, Audrey Smith, Beverley Smith, Reverend Kevin Taylor, Muriel Bennett, Bill Cooper's family and Sandra Stockton and family.

Joyce Jutson is still in Queen Mary's Hospital recovering from a fall in February. Joyce is in Meadow View Ward, 4th Floor, Bay C. Visiting times are 1.30-4.30 pm and 5.30-8.00 pm. Thank you to all who have taken time to visit Joyce - it has meant a lot to her especially whilst her daughter was away on holiday.

Diary Dates

8th April 2.00 pm. Jigsaw Group. Rooms 1/2. All welcome.
 17th April 7.00 pm. Film night in Church showing 'Mary Magdalene.'
 19th April 10.00 am. CTNE Walk of Witness. Meet at Clare Corner followed by a service of reflection here at NEMC at approx. 11.00 am.
 16th May 10.00 am to 1.00 pm. Foundation Safeguarding Training Refresher Course led by Deacon Laura MacBean at West Wickham Methodist Church. Please see poster on the Church noticeboard for more details.

Forthcoming Services

Date	Time	Preacher	Music	Steward
14 th April	10.30	Mrs Julie Gardner Palm Sunday All Age Worship	CD	Paul Tickell/ Michael Chuter
19 th April	11.00	CTNE Service following the Good Friday Walk of Witness (10.00 am meet)	BS	Graham Bunce
21 st April	10.30	Rev. Duncan MacBean Easter Sunday Holy Communion Service	SG	Marianne Outteridge

NECP Proudly Presents...
GUYS AND DOLLS
 A Musical Tale of Broadway
 Based on a Story and Characters by Damon Runyon
 Music and Lyrics by FRANK LOESSER
 Book by JOE SWERLING and ABE BURROWS
 9th - 11th May, 2019
 7:30PM
 Reserved Seating Tickets £12
 Online booking through Ticketsource
 (booking fee applies)
 The Centre
 New Eltham Methodist Church
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 The music production is presented in association with Music Theatre International (MTI). All other production materials are supplied by MTI Europe. rev.04/2019/02/14