



Emsworth Methodist Church
& Pastoral Centre



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Sunday 7 January First Sunday after Epiphany

10.00am All Age Worship

Led by: Ms Jean Hooper

Followed by tea/coffee and Traidcraft stall

**6.30pm United Service of Holy Communion
at St James**

Led by: Revd Bill McCoubrey

Preacher: Revd John Mills

This morning Janet Baker is at Haslemere at 10.00am and Laura Evans is at Liphook at 10.00am. Bill Stillwell is Bedhampton at 10.30am, and at Portchester at 6.30pm

Jean Hooper is a local preacher from Portchester

Before and after the service the Music Group will sing:

13 Sing of a God in majestic divinity

393 She sits like a bird, brooding on the waters

20 Be still, for the presence of the Lord

230 Riding out across the desert

***A serving and worshipping Christian church in the heart of Emsworth
working closely with other churches and with the local community***

Monday 8 January

No exercise class

Tuesday 9 January

No exercise class

**2.00pm Activity afternoon (IH)
*Charity New Year Quiz***

Wednesday 10 January

10.30am 'Let's Do It'

**7.30pm Ladies Group
*Quiz Night with Ruth Beechey***

Thursday 11 January

**7.30pm Wesley Guild
Veronica Hickox
*Stewarding at Uppark***

Sunday 14 January

**10.00am Café Church
Led by: Revd Simon Coleman**

**10.00am United Service of Holy Communion
at St James
Led by: Revd Trevor Payne
Preacher: Revd Julie Price**

**6.30pm United Evening Worship
Led by: Geoffrey Eardley
Preacher: Revd Bill McCoubrey**

This morning Bill Stillwell is at Stubbington at 10.15am

Monday 15 January

10.00am Standing exercises (IH)

11.00am Chair-based exercises (IH)

Tuesday 16 January

10.30am Standing exercises (IH)

2.00pm Activity Afternoon (IH)
Dot's 'Pilgrimage'

Wednesday 17 January

10.30am Let's Do It!

Thursday 18 January 2018

Start of Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

7.30pm Wesley Guild (IH)

The Life of G

Revd Andrew de Ville

Sunday 21 January

Covenant Service

10.00am Service of Holy Communion
including rededication of Pastoral Carers
Led by: Revd Bill Stillwell

6.30pm United Evensong at St Thomas,
Warblington
Led by: Revd John Pilkington

This morning Laura Evans is at Trinity at 10.30am

SOFT Workshop

On **Saturday 13 January** the East Solent and Downs Methodist Circuit is holding a 'Sharing Our Faith Together' workshop entitled *Festivals – Part 2*, from **9.30am–1.30pm** at **Drayton United Church**. This is a follow-up to the October workshop.

Refreshments and light lunch are provided. If you are intending to be there, please contact Garry Bagshaw on 01329 845978 or hazelbagshaw@virginmedia.com

Bacon Butties – help needed

As you probably know, I am expecting to go into hospital very soon for an operation that will put me out of action for some weeks. One of the many things that will be affected by this is the Friday morning Bacon Butties. In order for this valuable service to continue while I'm off, we really need volunteers (preferably several) to cover the cooking. If you, or anyone you know, hold a Food Hygiene Certificate (or are willing to take the online course) and are available **10.30am–1.00pm on Fridays** from **12 January**, please let either Mandy or Laura know. This would be a fixed-term arrangement and as soon as I'm back in action I will take it on again (unless you find it so much fun that you do not wish to give it up, of course!) *Laura*



If you have items to include in the next notices (for Sunday 21 January 2108) please email them *by midday on Thursday 18 January* to emcnotices19@gmail.com