



Emsworth Methodist Church
& Pastoral Centre



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Sunday 1 July

10.00am Morning Worship
Led by Rev Bill Stillwell

6.30pm United Holy Communion at St James's
Celebrant: Rev Andrew Sheard
Preacher: Deacon Laura Evans

Followed by Traidcraft stall
Lots of Bargains

This morning Laura Evans is at Bedhampton at 10.30am and Bill Stillwell is at Portchester at 6.30pm this evening.

Before and after the service the Music Group will be singing a selection of hymns from the 21st Century Folk Hymnal.

Monday 2 July

10.00am Standing Exercises (IH)

11.00am Chair-based Exercises (IH)

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

Tuesday 3 July

10.30-3.30 Holiday at Home including chair-based exercises, Ploughman's Lunch, sandcastle competition and icecreams

Wednesday 4 July

10.30-3.30 Holiday at Home

including Beetle Drive, games, fish and chips, and Film afternoon

6.15pm Ecumenical Prayer Fellowship (URC)

Thursday 5 July

10.30-3.30 Holiday at Home including making dinner to take home, sandwich lunch and fun art and craft afternoon

Sunday 8 July

10.00am United Holy Communion at St James'
Celebrant: Rev Bill McCoubrey
Preacher: Rev David Rice

10.00am Café Church led by Deacon Laura Evans

6.30pm United Evening Worship
Led by Deacon Chris Walters
Preacher: James Mant

Monday 9 July

10.00am Standing Exercises (IH)

11.00am Chair-based Exercises (IH)

7.30pm Visit of Havant Wesley Guild (IH)

Tuesday 10 July

10.30am Standing Exercises (IH)

2.00pm Activity Afternoon: Knit for Charity and Table Games (IH)

Wednesday 11 July

12 noon **Beginners Watercolour Class (already full)**

2.00pm **'Let's Do It'** (activities in the Pastoral Centre)

Saturday 14 July

11.30am **United Anglican Methodist Walk** (see below)

Sunday 15 July

10.00am **Holy Communion led by Rev Peter Cole**

Our communion bread is gluten-free and dairy-free

6.30pm **United Evensong at St Thomas Warblington
Led by Rev Barbara Hammond**

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<https://www.tmcp.org.uk/news-hub/new-privacy-notice-for-managing-trustees>

There is a printed copy of the Privacy Notice on the church noticeboard.

Diana Harris

United Anglican Methodist Walk

Introduction. This summer, we will join the Anglicans in 'beating the bounds' of their parish, accompanied by the new Rector and his family. Andrew is keen that as many as are able will join him for at least part of the journey. There will be three stops *en route*. These stops will also enable those who only wish to walk for part of the way to join or leave, or perhaps simply to share some time with the walkers.

History. Walking together around the parish boundary at Rogationtide (the days before Ascension) is an ancient custom. Like many church customs, its origins are secular, both pagan and practical, partly to seek a good harvest and partly to ensure that the boundaries are in good repair and known by the whole community. Hence, the curious tradition of beating boys, or bouncing them on their heads, at various landmarks. After the Reformation, the event assumed a greater Christian significance and we will be reflecting upon God's Creation in the parish during the walk.

Timetable

- 1100 Assemble in St James Churchyard, ready for
- 1115 Depart from St James Churchyard.
- 1215 Arrive at picnic stop in Hampshire Farm Meadows.
WALKERS MAY ALSO JOIN OR LEAVE HERE.
Car Parking by the allotments at the end of Yarrow Road, PO10 7GD.
- 1245 Continue the walk.
- 1345 Arrive at entrance to Wyevale Garden Centre - 'Convenience' stop.
WALKERS MAY ALSO JOIN OR LEAVE HERE.
- 1400 Depart from Bartons Road entrance to Wyevale Garden Centre.
- 1500 Arrive at St Thomas à Becket's Church for tea; donations invited.
WALKERS MAY ALSO JOIN OR LEAVE HERE.
- 1530 Optional short service of Compline.
- 1545 Continue the walk.
- 1645 Arrive back at St James Church.

Route. The walk is about 8 miles long. Apart from two short sections along quiet roads, half is on pavements and the rest on paths, which may also be used by cattle, horses and bikes.

Details. Please dress appropriately, bring a picnic and plenty of drink. In the event of wet weather, cancellation will be published on the parish website by 1000 on the day. For further information, please contact:
Jamie Barr on 01243 372939 or jamie.barr@btinternet.com.

If you have items to include in the next notices (for Sunday 15 July) please email them to emcnotices19@gmail.com by midday on Thursday 12 July.