



**Emsworth Methodist Church**  
**& Pastoral Centre**



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Registered Charity No 1127747

**Sunday 21 October**

**10.00am Holy Communion**  
**Led by: Revd Bill Stillwell**

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

*This morning Trevor Payne is at Havant at 10.45am. This evening Bill Stillwell is at Lindford at 6.30pm.*

*Our communion bread is gluten-free and dairy-free.*

**Monday 22 October**

**10.00am Standing exercises (IH)**

**11.00am Chair-based exercises (IH)**

**Tuesday 23 October**

**10.30am Standing exercises (IH)**

**2.00pm Activity Afternoon (IH)**

**Table Games**

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

## **Wednesday 24 October**

**7.30pm Ladies Group (IH)**

***Alan Hickox***

**'Alan Entertains' (at the Piano!)**

## **Friday 26 October**

**2.00pm Faith in Film**

Our 'Faith in Film' events have proved so popular that they are now happening on the last Friday of every month. The next one will be on Friday 26 October at 2.00pm. Our licensing agreement doesn't permit us to advertise the title of the film. However, if you like light-hearted cartoons about pets this one is definitely for you! Look forward to seeing you there! (popcorn provided)

*Mandy and Laura*

## **Indonesia Tsunami Appeal**

The earthquake which rocked the Indonesian island of Sulawesi, triggering a terrifying tsunami, left a trail of destruction in its wake. Tens of thousands of homes have been destroyed and entire communities have been decimated. More than 1,600 people have died and thousands of survivors are now in urgent need of humanitarian assistance. We have agreed that the church will respond to this situation by sending a donation to the **Disasters Emergency Committee**. There will be a **special collection** on **Sundays 21 and 28 October**. Please do what you can to help. Thank you. *Dot*

## **Revd John Mills' sponsored run**

Revd John Mills is taking part in the Great South Run today; he is running for All We Can and Portsmouth Pastors. Please see the Portsmouth Pastors Facebook page, or go to <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/the-rev-that-runs>

## **Help needed in the Coffee Bar**

The Pastoral Centre coffee bar is looking for a volunteer on Monday 22 and Friday 26 October, both from 2-4pm.

Please call Mandy if you are able to do either of these slots.

# PRISONS WEEK

## **Prisons Week**

Prisons Week, which has just ended, was established to encourage Christians to focus their thoughts and prayers on prisoners and their families, victims of offenders, prison staff and all those working for prisoners and their families. You can find the Prisons Week website at <http://prisonsw.org>

## **Sunday, 4 November 2018 – Café Church**

(Please note: ***first Sunday instead of second Sunday this month***)

Led by Margaret Sawyer

“More a Marathon than a Short Sprint!”

A friendly relaxed service around tables.

**9.30am** (for coffee and cake)

**10am–11am** (Service)

Refreshments also available after the service.



It is the custom at Café Church to use the door directly into the Church from the steps or slope, as for the Pastoral Centre during the week. It would be much appreciated if you could use this door rather than the Atrium door on this occasion.

Please do come and join us in this informal time of Worship.

## **Sunday 28 October**

**10.00am      Morning Worship**  
**Led by: Deacon Laura Evans**

**6.30pm      United Evening Worship**  
**Led by: Revd Bill Stillwell**

*This morning Bill Stillwell is at Havant at 10.45am*

If you have items to include in the next notices (for Sunday 28 October) please email them *by midday on Thursday 25 October* to [notices@emsworthmethodistchurch.org](mailto:notices@emsworthmethodistchurch.org)