# **RUISLIP MANOR METHODIST CHURCH**



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We give you a very warm welcome and pray that you will find fellow-ship and friendship here. Please join us for a cup of tea or coffee and biscuits after the morning service and if you are a newcomer please make yourself known to one us. For the under 3's there are toys in the Creche room 4 – where parents can listen to the service while their children play. Visiting children over 3 years old are very welcome to join in the Discoverers activities.

## Service on Sunday 17th March

Mrs Cathy Smith at 10.45am Preaching Series

Stewards: Ken Merrifield, Roger Davis

## Service on Sunday 24th March

Revd Roger Dunlop at 10.45am
Preaching Series

Stewards: Andrew Bracey, Sheila Lee

# Service on Sunday 31st March

Mr Tim Clifford at 10.45am

**Preaching Series & Mothering Sunday** 

Stewards: Nola Stammer, Hilary Porter

## Service on Sunday 7th April

Mrs Cathy Smith at 10.45am Preaching Series

Stewards: Janet Fairclough, Susan Bracey

#### **Lent 2019 Preaching Series**

'Why did Jesus die?'-Images of God's saving love:

March 10 'Pictures of God's friendship'

March 17 'The Temple-Atonement'

March 24 'The Law Court-Justification'

March 31 'The Home-Reconciliations'

April 7 'The Market Place-Redemption'

#### Today's Lenten Image is of the Temple

'Why did Jesus die?' - as an atonement for our sin.

**EVENTS FOR THE WEEK: 17th** 

**Monday** 18th

8.00pm-Lent Group in the church

Wednesday 20th

10.30am-Midweek Communion Ruislip room1

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Thursday 21st

8.00pm- Torrington Group in room1

Friday 23rd

9.00- 11.00amTorrington Toddlers in the hall

**EVENTS FOR THE WEEK: 24th** 

Monday 25th

8.00pm-Lent Group in the church

Tuesday 26th

10.00am - Craft Group in the coffee lounge

8.00pm—Social Evening in the hall

8.00pm – Journeys in room

Wednesday 27th

10.30am-Midweek Communion Ruislip room1

Friday 29th

9.00- 11.00amTorrington Toddlers in the hall

**EVENTS FOR THE WEEK: 31st** 

**Monday** 1st

8.00pm-Lent Group in the church

**Wednesday** 3rd

10.30am-Midweek Communion Ruislip room1

Friday 5th

9.00- 11.00amTorrington Toddlers in the hall

ITEMS for the newsletter w/c **24th March 2019**, should be given to Janet Miles, by MONDAY, by hand, by email to janet.miles35@gmail.com or put in the folder by the vestry door.

# **Maundy Thursday**

On April 18th, Maundy Thursday, we will again be recalling the circumstance of the Last Supper with a simple meal in the evening at 7.30pm. To help with catering could you please add your name to the list on the notice board if you hope to join us.

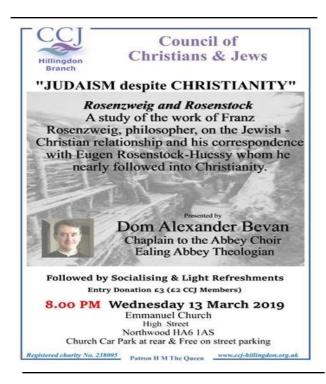
## **Easter Communion & Breakfast**

Our Easter Sunday Communion will be at 8.45am on Sunday 21st April and will be followed by an Easter Breakfast.

Please could you put your name on the list on the notice board if you hope to attend, to give us an idea of numbers for catering.

# **Service Times**

Please pick up a questionnaire about the possible change of time for the morning service, we would be grateful if you could complete the form and put it in the box in the vestibule before you go home. Any queries please speak to one of the stewards. Thank





As many of you know Derek Stammer passed away in 2011 after being diagnosed with Motor Neurone Disease. It is an awful disease that slowly robs people of their ability to live independently and ultimately their life.

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Del Boys Girls (aka Krissy, Nola, Kathryn and Kirsty) are doing a 34km sponsored walk along the Jurassic coast, our families' favourite coastline. We are doing this in aid of the Motor Neuron Disease Association (MNDA). MNDA helps by researching into this horrible disease and also helping out those living with it and their families. It is such a special place to us, and was to dad, it seems like a very fitting tribute.

We are all carrying our sponsor forms with us so if you feel you can donate please let us know, or we do have a just giving page.

#### **Midweek Communion**

During Lent Ickenham Road will be holding Midweek Communion Services at 10.30am on Wednesdays in Room 1. The first one will be on Ash Wednesday, 6th March. Please see the poster on the notice board for more details.

# **Lent Groups**

In this year's Lent Groups we will be using a book entitled 'The Mystery of Everything' which is a Lent Course based around the film about Stephen Hawking called 'The Theory of Everything'.

We will be joining with Ruislip Church for the Lent Groups but the meetings will be held at Ruislip Manor in the Church at 8pm on the following Mondays, 11th March, 18th March, 25th March,1st April and 8th April. If you would like to borrow a copy of the DVD (which you may find it helpful to see before the Lent Course) and also a copy of the book we will be using please see Janet Fairclough (07973663831) or one of the stewards.

# **Torrington Group**

This year Torrington Group will be looking at the book entitled Behold the Lamb of God. Each session is complete in itself, it is a very informal group and gives us a chance to talk about our faith. Do come and join us. If you would like more information please see Freddy or Janet Fairclough

Prayer Chain & Book: 01895 638627 or email pedaptur@btinternet.com

For hall & room bookings: bookings@rmmc.org.uk