

Tuesday 28 March

7.00 pm Lent Reflections
7.30 pm Badminton

Wednesday 29 March

10.00 am Coffee Morning
12 noon Lunches served
7.30 pm Sequence Dancing

Friday 31 March

12.15 pm Bread and Cheese Lunch

Saturday 1 April

10.00 am Coffee Morning
6.00 pm Circuit Quiz

Sunday 2 April

10.30 am Baptism Service led by Rev David McAloon
Stewards Joyce Dykes and Barbara Beardmore
Music Ian Horsman
Door Joan Moore and Joan Milner
Coffee Anne and Eddie Hamlin
Flowers Maureen Maskell

Tuesday 4 April

7.00 pm Lent Reflections
7.30 pm Badminton

Wednesday 5 April

10.00 am Coffee Morning
12 noon Lunches served
7.30 pm Sequence Dancing

Friday 7 April

12.15 pm Bread and Cheese Lunch

Saturday 8 April

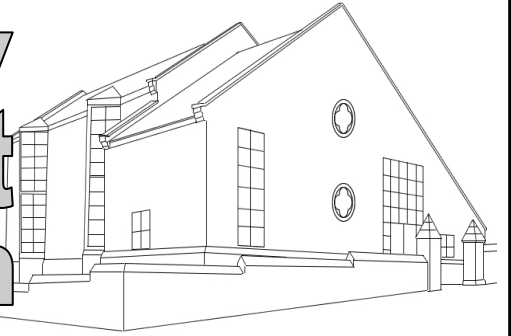
10.00 am Coffee Morning

Sunday 9 April

10.30 am Service led by Rev Marcus Pattern
Stewards Jean Varley and Barbara Beardmore
Music Anthony Butterfield
Door Heather Tidswell and Ann Walls
Coffee Elaine Slater and Susan Atherton
Flowers Joyce Hutchinson

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Sunday 26 March 2017

10.30 am Mothering Sunday Service led by Mrs Glenda Coogan

Stewards Stephen Wilkinson and Lindsay Schofield
Music Ian Horsman
Door Michael Scargill
Coffee Katherine Watson and Rachael Slater
Flowers Kathleen Naylor

We welcome you to our church today. We sincerely hope that you will receive a blessing from the service.

If you would like a visit from our Minister, or if our Church Stewards can help in any way, please let us know.

Coffee and tea will be served following this morning's service, please stay and join us.

Items for Sunday 2 April's News Sheet to be handed to Pam Butterfield (01274 774637) by Wednesday 29 March at the latest.

The President and Vice-President of the Methodist Conference have responded to the attacks at Parliament:

“We ask all Methodists to join us in prayer as we unite with others across the UK in the wake of today’s attack at Westminster. We pray for those who were attacked and for their families, for the emergency services who responded so quickly and for the whole country at this terrible time.”

A prayer from Rev Ruth Crompton

Lord in times of confusion
Where everything feels uncertain
When our democracy is threatened
And people innocently die
Calm our fears
Grant peace upon us
We thank you for those who attempt to keep us safe and put others safety above their own.
May your justice prevail, God of all compassion
In the name of Jesus Christ, Amen.

Lent Lunches

The Lenten Bread and Cheese Lunches have now started and they will be held in our Small Hall each Friday between 12.15pm and 1.15pm until Good Friday when that lunch will be at Church House.

Each Friday the lunch is prepared and served by a different Bingley church and you are welcome to come each Friday if you wish.

Circuit Prayers

This week we are asked to pray for the church at Cross Hills.

Flower Festival August Bank Holiday 26th—28th

At the recent meeting we decided the theme of the Flower Festival would be based on occupations in the Bible.

If you would like to do a flower display or sponsor a display please look at the list on the notice board in the inner entrance or speak to Shirley or Ann.

Famine Appeal

We will be putting collection plates out on Sundays 9th and 16th April for donations to the East Africa Famine Appeal if you wish to contribute.
Thank You.

Annual Circuit Quiz

Don’t forget the Circuit Quiz is next Saturday 1 April at 6.00 pm at our church.

Coffee Money

The coffee money for December, January and February amounted to £196.00 and has been sent to Open Doors, a charity that supports Christians in the most hostile places around the world.

During March, April and May, the money collected will be sent to Christians Against Poverty. This Bradford based charity helps people of the UK who are crippled by debt, get out of debt and into employment, overcome their addictions and gain life skills to live well on a low income. Read more about their work at www.capuk.org.

Church AGM

Just a reminder that the Church Annual General Meeting will be held on Sunday 7 May at 12:15 pm.
God bless, Bryn

News from the Circuit

It is with sadness that I have to inform you of the death of Doris Rogers.
A Thanksgiving Service will take place at Silsden Methodist Church on Thursday 30th March at 2.15pm. Our thoughts go out to her family at this sad time. Doris was a local Preacher within the South Craven Circuit and was loved by many. The service will be conducted by Rev Alan Raine who knew her well.

Ruth Crompton

Notices and Posters

Please keep looking at the various Notice Boards and Doors around the church as notices and posters are put up that might be of interest to you but do not appear in the News Sheet.



February	
Date	Collection
6 February	339.97
12 February	216.50
19 February	218.55
26 February	265.00