

THERMAL THURSDAY

Thermal Thursday will be meeting on **Thursday, 2nd April from 2.00 pm.**

THANKSGIVING SERVICES

The Thanksgiving Service for **Mary Thomas** is on Wednesday, 1st April at 11.30 am at Gateway Church, Alder Road, Poole, BH12 4AA. Parking is limited at the Church, but street parking is nearby. If you require transport, please speak to Janet who may be able to find you a spare seat in someone's car. There will be a buffet after the service. No dress code, it's time to celebrate so wear what you like! **Vera Swain's** Thanksgiving Service will be at 1.00 pm on Thursday 2nd April at Pinehurst Community Church.

PRAYERS FOR THE PERSECUTED CHURCH

Heavenly Father, we remember today Your Son's triumphal entry into Jerusalem, the blessed One who comes in the Name of the Lord. We thank You for the revelation that occasion brought of the honour due His Name, even though it took the agony of the Passion for it to be realised in fullness. We pray that Your Church around the world will in awesome wonder of Your majesty present our very best gifts to serve You, whatever challenges and trials lie ahead. Enable the praises of Your people to resound as we worship You this Lord's Day, for we ask in the precious Name of Jesus. (Psalm 118:26; Matthew 21:9)

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for the following:

David, as he recovers from his hip replacement operation.

The families of Vera, Mary and Don (especially Don's wife Lynn) as they grieve their loss and the upcoming funeral services.

Gwen, that a care package can be found in order for her to return home again.

Margie, that she would gain strength and be able to come to church.

Darren, as he returns from sabbatical.

Continued support for Jackie.

The work of Hope Now - that we may know how to pray and give practically.

BIRTHDAYS

31st March

Angela Ball

2nd April

Christine Duchesne

FUNDRAISING QUIZ

We will be holding a fundraising quiz at UCF on Saturday, 25th April at 6.00 pm. Please bring your own snacks. Just come along and join a table to make up a team for a fun evening. Donations to Church funds welcome.

WALK THROUGH THE BIBLE – NEW TESTAMENT

Thank you for signing up to this event. Unfortunately, the number signing up did not make running this event viable at UCF.

FERNDOWN & DISTRICT HORTICULTURAL ASSOCIATION

The Horticultural association will be holding their Spring Show at UCF on Saturday, 4th April from 1.00 pm to 4.00 pm. Admission is free.

WEEKLY NEWS SHEET

Items for the Weekly News Sheet should be sent to Angela Jameson via email

angelajameson@aol.com **no later than Thursday midday.**

GIVING

If you are considering giving a donation to the Church, below are the Church bank details:

Account Name: United Church Ferndown

Sort Code: 40-52-40

Account Number: 00010899

CAF Bank Ltd

Cheques should be made payable to United Church Ferndown.

During the Sunday service, we will be taking up an offering, cash and cheques can be placed in the offering bag as it is passed around. If you are able to gift aid your giving please contact Angela Jameson on 07754 534533 or via email treasurer@ferndown.church

Ministers: Rev. Darren Pike & Rev. Melanie Pike (Day Off: Monday)

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