



## WEEKLY NEWS SHEET

### **SUNDAY SERVICE – 10<sup>th</sup> May 2026**

10.30 am      Morning Worship  
Theme        Love Is the Point  
Reading     1 Corinthians 13:1–13

### **SUNDAY MORNING PRAYERS**

We are gathering for prayer every Sunday morning at 10am for 15 minutes to pray for the service, the church and urgent needs. Please come along.

Following the service, there is also the opportunity to meet for prayer with members of the prayer ministry team in the Prayer room (first room on right when going in the direction of the back hall). It is a confidential and relaxed time over a cup of coffee.

### **TESTIMONIES**

We would really love to hear what God is doing in your life and prayers that are answered. If you have anything you wish to share with the congregation, please speak to Darren or Melanie before or after the service.

### **FLOWERS**

The flowers this Sunday were donated by Beryl and Heather in memory of Brian Thomas and John Reynolds.

### **CHURCH DIARY – WEEK COMMENCING 11.05.26.**

<b>Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> May</b>	10.00 am	Tiddlers
<b>Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May</b>	2.00 pm	Thermal Thursday
<b>Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May</b>	4.15 pm	Bright Sparks (Yrs R-4)
<b>Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May</b>	7.00 pm	Table Tennis
<b>Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May</b>	5.30 pm	Ignite (Yrs 5-8)
<b>Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May</b>	7.00 pm	Radiate (Yrs 9+)

### **MAURIE ROBERTS – THANKSGIVING SERVICE**

A service of thanksgiving will be held on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May at 2pm at St. John's Church, Wimborne. Christine asks for as many people to come as possible.

Maurie will be laid to rest at an earlier service, which will be for the family only.

Some folk may require a lift, please let Rosemary know if you will be going and can offer a lift.

### **MESSY CHURCH**

Next Sunday (17<sup>th</sup> May) will be Messy Church. If you are able to come down and give a hand by manning a table or chatting to families who attend, we would really appreciate it! Please get to Church by 3pm to give yourself time to familiarise yourself with what you will be doing and so that we can make sure we are ready to start at 3.30 pm. Thank you.

### **PENTECOST**

**Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> May** – Family Fun Day.

**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> May** – Gift day to fund local outreach.

### **CHURCH MEMBERS' MEETING**

The next Church members' meeting will be on **Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> June at 1.00 pm**. There will be a bring and share lunch following the morning service on that Sunday and prior to the meeting.

Any other business to be raised at the CMM should be directed to either Minister by 24<sup>th</sup> May at the latest.

## **PRAYERS FOR THE PERSECUTED CHURCH**

Lord God, we praise You for the greatness of Your power and the extent of Your sovereignty over all times and places. We praise You also for Your tender care and compassion, seen most clearly in the Lord Jesus Christ, the Good Shepherd who lays down His life for the sheep. Please enable Your people in every part of the world this Lord's Day, and every day, to praise You as You deserve and as is Your right, for we ask it in Christ's holy and precious Name. (Psalm 95:3-5; Ephesians 1:11; John 10:11)

## **PRAYER REQUESTS**

Please pray for the following:

Christine R and family as they mourn the loss of Maurie (thanksgiving service at St John's Wimborne, Thursday 14th May 2pm)

Peace and justice for our precious world.

The Jews being attacked in our country.

Continued prayers for Beryl. She is still suffering from a lot of pain in her hand and face. Pray for her continued recovery.

Jackie suffering with an infection in her foot.

Jackie's son Sam, that he will receive the help he needs, especially regarding housing.

Jenny and team as they lead a service at Parley Place on Friday 8th May.

## **BIRTHDAYS**

12<sup>th</sup> May

Angela Jameson

## **CONTACT LIST**

It is sometime since we asked you to fill out a form with your contact details and these may now be different or perhaps you now attend the Church and have never completed a contact form. Therefore, we are asking you all to complete a new form so that our records are up to date. Forms will be available soon, and once completed, please return the form to Natalie.

## **WEEKLY NEWS SHEET**

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

[angelajameson@aol.com](mailto: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](mailto:treasurer@ferndown.church)

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

**Darren's mobile:** 07815 751803 / **Melanie's mobile:** 07977 912749

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