



## WEEKLY NEWS SHEET

### **SUNDAY SERVICE – 24<sup>th</sup> May 2026**

10.30 am      Morning Worship  
Theme        This Is That  
Reading      Acts 2:22–41

### **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.

### **PENTECOST**

**Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> May** – The fun day has been postponed.

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

There will be a separate Gift Day offering on Sunday morning to fund our local outreach. If you are able to gift aid this offering, please put the offering in an envelope marked Gift Day and containing your name. Bank transfers can also be made to the Church bank account, please reference Gift Day.

### **CHURCH DIARY – WEEK COMMENCING 25.05.26.**

<b>Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> May</b>	7.00 pm	Mission Prayer Meeting (via zoom)
<b>Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> May</b>	2.00 pm	Thermal Thursday
<b>Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> May</b>	7.00 pm	Table Tennis

### **COFFEE HEAVEN**

Next **Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> May at 6:00pm** we have Coffee Heaven - a Cafe Style service which means drinks and pastries, chats and a chance to ask questions about life, God and anything on your mind.

### **THERMAL THURSDAY / SUMMER SOCIAL**

The last Thermal Thursday will be on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> May. Summer Social will commence fortnightly starting on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> June from 2.00 pm to 4.00 p.m.

### **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.

### **MONTHLY MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST**

Please join us for a morning of fellowship, prayer and breakfast alongside other men in the community. All men welcome. **Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> June, 8.00 am to 9.30 am**

## **LADIES CONFERENCE**

We are invited to attend a Ladies Day on 27th June from 9.30 am to 5.00 p.m. at The Beacon Centre, Christchurch Baptist Church. The theme is Living Water and the guest speaker is Lynn Green. Tickets cost £30 and full details can be found on the following website.

<https://christchurchbaptist.churchsuite.com/events/noflhwlx>

## **PRAYERS FOR THE PERSECUTED CHURCH**

Sovereign Lord, we thank You for the empowering of Your Church through the outpouring of Your Holy Spirit. Thank You for the Spirit's power to counsel, comfort, teach and guide Your people. We praise You for His witness around the world, especially in contexts where those who love You are a persecuted and despised minority. We pray that by the Holy Spirit's power You will fill your Church with abundant hope as we trust in You and make us channels of Your grace to spread Your good news of salvation, for we ask in the Name of our Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ. (Acts 1:8; Romans 15:13)

## **PRAYER REQUESTS**

Please pray for the following:

The Gift Day on Sunday 24th May - that we would raise money for the outreach of our church.

Jenny and team as they take a service at Fernhill Nursing Home on Friday 29th May.

All those awaiting results of various health tests.

Chris D as he recovers from carpal tunnel surgery and Carolyn as she looks after him.

## **BIRTHDAYS**

27<sup>th</sup> May

Lynn Barr

30<sup>th</sup> May

Jill Corcoran

## **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

[angelacjameson@aol.com](mailto:angelacjameson@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

**email:** [darren@ferndown.church](mailto:darren@ferndown.church) or [melanie@ferndown.church](mailto:melanie@ferndown.church)

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