



**THURSDAY NIGHT  
IS MUSIC NIGHT...**



**...AT  
GEORGETOWN**



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# Prayer for the Week: June

## Week commencing 7th June

Lord, help me to wait on Your timing with trust and to persevere through difficulties with unwavering faith. May I learn to find contentment in the process, knowing that You are working all things for good, even when I cannot see the immediate results.



## Week commencing 14th June

Gracious God, help me cultivate a heart overflowing with gratitude. Open my eyes to see Your hand in every detail, from the grandest miracles to the smallest mercies. May I never take Your goodness for granted, but instead, offer thanks continually for Your unfailing love.

## Week commencing 21st June

Father, help me to identify the unique gifts and talents You have bestowed upon me and to use them for Your glory. Guide me in aligning my daily activities with Your divine plan, so that my life may be filled with meaningful contribution and impact for Your kingdom.



## Week commencing 28th June

Lord, in a world filled with distractions, help me to concentrate on what truly matters and grant me the discipline to stay on track and to complete the work You have set before me with diligence and excellence.



# Coffee Morning

Friday 12 th June, 2026, 10 -12.30 pm.



**By kind invitation of Mrs Anne Forbes, 'Sunnydale', La Grande Rue, St Mary, JE3 3BD. in aid of much needed text books for pupils at Malindi Bright Future Academy, Malindi, KENYA. ( a school for very poor children) and to bring the headteacher to Jersey to view nurseries and primary schools.**

*Directions: From St Mary's, head for St John. Branch left at the fork as if you're heading for La Mare Vineyards. Go round the big bend and look out for a granite wall with a hedge on top, on the right. 'Sunnydale' is on the right. I will put up a sign!,*



*From St John, head for St Mary. Look out for the sign to Devil's Hole / La Mare Vineyard. Turn right here. Drive as far as you can. Turn left at the T junction near La Mare.*

*' Sunnydale' is on the left.*

*Please park on the tennis court.*

**Stalls:** Cakes, Plants and Produce, Raffle,

and preloved clothes and items.

Delicious coffee, teas, cakes and biscuits!

**Bring a friend! All welcome!**

If you can donate a cake/ tray bake/ items for the plant stall or raffle, please email Ruth on [ruthannsmith1950@gmail.com](mailto:ruthannsmith1950@gmail.com) or phone mob 07797710333.

If you wish to send a cheque made payable to the 'The Friends of Malindi Bright Future Academy' please forward to The Treasurer, Mr Simon Brewer, The Cedars, St Ouen, JE

or make a donation to Barclays, sort code: 20-45-05 Account: 73282228 'The Friends of Malindi Bright Future Academy.'

Please reference it, 'Malindi Coffee Morning.'

If you are a Jersey resident and your donation is over £50 we can claim back 25% of your donation. Please supply me with your postal address to get the form.

Thank you so much for your support. Ruth Smith. [ruthannsmith1950@gmail.com](mailto:ruthannsmith1950@gmail.com).

Tel 01534 861615 or mob 07797710333.

# Liberation Day Service at Ebenezer

Thank you to everyone who attended Ebenezer's annual Parish Thanksgiving Service for Jersey's Liberation on 9<sup>th</sup> May. Just over 40 people attended with £500 collected for the British Red Cross.



Between December 1944 and May 1945 the Vega made five voyages to the Channel Islands, with Red Cross parcels containing food and other items, when the island was running low on food stocks. The final trip being made in June 1945.

To show their gratitude after the Vega's first voyage, in December 1944 the people of Jersey established a Red Cross fund and by October 1945, it had reached the considerable sum of £125,000, equivalent to over £5 million in today's money.



# Rev Dawn's Leaving Service



The Circuit Leadership team are delighted to invite you to the leaving service for Reverend Dawn Saunders, which, will be held on July 19<sup>th</sup>, 2026, at 3pm at Georgetown Methodist Church, St Saviour, followed by light refreshments.

For the past 6 years Dawn has been Chair of the Channel Islands Methodist District, Superintendent of the Jersey Methodist Circuit and Minister of Georgetown and Samares Methodist churches. Recently she has also been minister to St Ouen Methodist Church..

We look forward to welcoming all to this service to thank Dawn for her time in the island and wish her all the best for her ongoing ministry.

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## Learning Network Training Opportunities June 2026

### **Online Adult Mental Health First Aid - 16<sup>th</sup> Jun to 18<sup>th</sup> June**

For more information visit: [https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/online-adult-mental-health-first-aid-tickets-1980547665382?aff=oddtcreator&keep\\_tld=true](https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/online-adult-mental-health-first-aid-tickets-1980547665382?aff=oddtcreator&keep_tld=true)

### **Online Scripture Spirituality and Conflict - 22<sup>nd</sup> June**

For more information visit: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/scripture-spirituality-and-conflict-tickets-1981309569257>

**For more information on the Learning Network and the courses that are offered, please visit: <https://www.methodist.org.uk/for-churches/learning-and-development/about-the-learning-network/>**

## Update on the Circuit Ignite Prayer initiative

One of the key outcomes from the IGNITE event, attended by more than 80 people, was the recognition that a renewed commitment to prayer is central to deepening our spiritual lives. In response, a Prayer Team was established to help coordinate prayer for IGNITE across the Circuit.

The team contacted all the churches for feedback and, following those conversations, it has been decided to explore a different approach. As a result, the two meetings planned for June have been cancelled while the team continues to pray and discern a new way forward.

IGNITE marks the beginning of the roadmap for achieving our vision and mission plan, so please continue to pray for both the Prayer Team and the team preparing the Circuit weekend in October.

# 'PRAY WITH PASSION' UPDATE



# MESSY



## at St Martin's Methodist Church

Come and join in the craft, song and food with Messy Church at St Martin!  
Next dates are: Friday 27th June and Friday 17th July, from 3.30pm to 5.30pm.



For more information please visit the St Martin Methodist church website:  
<https://stmartinsjersey.org.uk/activities/messy-church/>

KAIROS  
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Join us for an evening of authentic braai,  
African music, and good vibes!



**SOUTH  
AFRICA**  
*Fundraiser  
Braai*

**When:** Saturday 11th July, 6pm onwards

**Where:** Savanna Social Club (Jersey Hockey Club),  
Les Quennevais, St Brelade

**Tickets:** £30 include a drink, Boerie roll and dessert.



All proceeds support outreach work in South Africa.



This year's Church Action on Poverty  
Sunday will take place on Sunday 18th  
October, with a theme of "Food, faith and  
fellowship".



**Church Action  
on Poverty**

A record number of churches took part last year, and interested churches are encouraged to register now. Resource packs will be sent out over the summer, containing bring & share lunch ideas, worship materials, prayer cards, Scriptural reflections, activity sheets, and inspirational stories of churches already doing great work through food.

To sign up, visit [church-poverty.org.uk/sunday](http://church-poverty.org.uk/sunday)

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**Georgetown** Methodist Church

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Thursday 11 June, 7.30pm

**Amity Singers**

(conductor: Will Millow)

**Betty Wu**

(piano)

**Gailina Liew**

(vocalist)



**FREE ENTRY**

Retiring collection shared between the John Lobb  
Memorial Fund, Sanctuary Trust and the Church's mission

# IGNITED

## *Circuit Celebration Weekend*

In response to a suggestion made at our Ignite gathering, we're really excited to announce that a Circuit Celebration Weekend 'Ignited' will be held at the Biarritz, arriving on 23rd October and departing on 25th October (2 nights). This weekend dovetails neatly into our mission priority to deepen our spiritual life.

A small design team is planning a weekend to remember, with the remit to 'think big'. We certainly hope to bring over a high profile speaker(s) and possibly a worship group.

The Biarritz is happy for us to have exclusive use of all the hotel rooms which have been blocked off. There are single rooms, twins and doubles, plus a self-catering unit, allowing the potential for 60 to stay for the weekend. Alternatively people can just come for the day.

Discounted rates on a dinner, bed and breakfast basis as follows:

- Double/twin rooms for double occupancy - £212.00/room/night
- Single rooms for single occupancy - £110.00 /room/night
- Double/twin rooms for single occupancy - £140.00/room/night.

Check out the rooms at: <https://bespokehotels.com/biarritz/bedrooms/>  
The usual room type supplements will apply and full payment is required on booking. Bookings should be made directly with the Biarritz by calling 742239 and availability is on a first come, first served basis, so get in early and don't be disappointed!

The Circuit meeting agreed last week to make available a £20 subsidy per person and there is a small budget should anyone require more support.

Anyone who wishes to attend but not stay overnight at the Biarritz, please email Donna to let her know - [circuit.office.jsy@gmail.com](mailto:circuit.office.jsy@gmail.com) - thank you.

Any questions or ideas for the weekend will be welcome and if you would like to join Katie Norman, Richard Quenault and me on the design team planning the event, please let me know.

We pray for our Celebration Weekend and that our spark will be truly ignited into a flame.

Every blessing, Keith

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## CIRCUIT DIARY FOR THE NEXT MONTH:

### WEEKLY EVENTS:

- Monday: Drop in at St Aubin's Methodist Church - 1pm to 4pm
- Monday: Messy Bears - 9am to 12pm (Term-time only)
- Wednesday: Coffee Buzz at Samares - 10.30am
- Thursday: Community Coffee Morning at St Aubin's Methodist Church - 10am to 12.30pm
- Thursday: Community Coffee Morning at Georgetown Methodist Church - 10am to 12 noon
- Thursday: Bible study & soup lunch at St Helier Methodist Centre

### SPECIAL EVENTS:

#### June:

- 2<sup>nd</sup> - Messy Church at Philadelphie - 3.30pm to 5.30pm
- 2<sup>nd</sup> - Local Preachers & Worship Leaders Meeting - 7.30pm
- 5<sup>th</sup> - Generations at Ebenezer - From 2.45pm
- 11<sup>th</sup> - Thursday Night Concert at Georgetown (Amity Singers, Betty Wu and Gailina Liew) - 7.30pm
- 16<sup>th</sup> - Messy Vintage at Philadelphie - 2.30pm to 4.30pm
- 17<sup>th</sup> - Messy at St Martin's - 3.30pm to 5.30pm
- 26<sup>th</sup> to 1<sup>st</sup> of July - Methodist Conference 2026 in Telford
- 27<sup>th</sup> - Messy Knit & Natter at Philadelphie - 3pm to 5pm

#### July:

- 3<sup>rd</sup> - Generations at Ebenezer - From 2.45pm 10am
- 7<sup>th</sup> - Messy Church at Philadelphie - 3.30pm to 5.30pm

**Remember to also check out the Circuit calendar on the Circuit website for a collection of all events happening across the circuit. If you want to have an event added, just email the circuit administrator with details of the event ([circuit.office.jsy@gmail.com](mailto:circuit.office.jsy@gmail.com)).**

