

**VISITOR SLIP**

If you are visiting us today we hope you feel welcome. Please complete the slip below and place it in the offering bag or hand it to a steward so that we have a record of your visit

Name:

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Address:

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- I am a first-time visitor
- Recently moved into the area
- I would like a member of the Leadership team to ring me

**I would like to receive information about:**

- Becoming a Christian
- Small Groups
- Baptism
- Church Membership
- Other:

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**OUR VALUES:**

- *Welcoming - promoting belonging & togetherness*
- *Relational – a family, supporting & encouraging one another*
- *Advancing – moving forward together*
- *Prayerful – depending on God & seeking His will*
- *Authentic – acting with integrity, honesty & openness*
- *Generous – willingly giving our time, energy & resources*

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**WBC NEWS SHEET**
**Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2018**

We are a passionately God-centred family,  
 committed to sharing His life-changing power



**Prayer** **9.45am**  
 Please join us in the Prayer Room

**Morning Service** **10am**  
 with our worship led by Ben Smith  
 and Rev. Alan Dinnie preaching

**PALM SUNDAY**  
**Crossing The Rubicon**  
**Matthew 21:1-17**

**Duty Leader – Terry Golding**

**Furnace** **6.30pm**  
**Church for young people**

We welcome everyone worshipping with us today  
 If you are a visitor, we especially welcome you –  
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 a record of your visit

**THIS WEEK**

<b>Monday</b>	8.30am-4pm 11am 6pm	Pre-School Celebration Service for Peter Ross Monday Club (Yrs R-2)
<b>Tuesday</b>	9.15am 10-12noon 6.30pm	Pebbles Toddler Group Natters Coffee Tuesday Club (Yrs 3-6)
<b>Wednesday</b>	8.30am-4pm	Pre-School
<b>Thursday</b>	8.30am-4pm 7.45pm	Pre-School Worship Group
<b>Friday</b>	10am	Good Friday Communion Service The Power of the Cross Mark 15:21-41
<b>Saturday</b>	10-12noon	Stepping Stones Contact Centre
<b>Sunday</b>	7am 10.00am  6.30pm	Sunrise Service at Devil's Kneading Trough Easter Celebration Service with Rev. Alan Dinnie preaching  Furnace – Church for young people ????



Refreshments next week – Keith Gwilym's group

**SPECIAL NOTICES**

- **EASTER PUBLICITY** – please find enclosed Easter publicity for you; there are more copies for you to take for family and friends. Thank you to Ben and Holly Smith who prepared them for us.
- **ALAN AND BARBARA DINNIE** would like to thank the WBC family for their love and prayers in connection with the recent death of Alan's mother.
- **MINISTRY LEADER FOR CHILDREN, FAMILIES AND YOUTH** – the adverts for this position are now live. Please continue to pray for this.
- **NATTERS COFFEE** – please note that Natters will be closed on Tuesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> April and will re-open on Tuesday, 10<sup>th</sup> April.
- **PASTORAL CARE** – Roger Edwards recently introduced the Pastoral Care strategy to the Church that we wish to implement going forward. There are more copies of the paper available if you did not receive one then. Please could forms be back in the Office as soon as possible. Thank you.
- **PHILLIP O'CONNOR** was successful in the oral defence of his Doctoral thesis on Friday the 16<sup>th</sup> March. He wishes to thank those who participated in any way in his studies or more generally for your prayerful support.
- **PLEASE PRAY FOR** –
  - **Services for Peter Ross** - on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> March there will be a short service at the crematorium for family and friends at 10am. Then there will be a service to celebrate his life at 11am at WBC. All are welcome.
- **BAPTISM** – if anyone has been thinking about believers' baptism and would like to know more, then please talk to one of the church leaders or Alan.
- **ON SUNDAY, 15<sup>th</sup> APRIL** a new series will begin: Kingdom Come – Let Heaven touch and transform Earth.
- **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:**
  - **Easter Services:**
    - **Good Friday Communion Service** – 30<sup>th</sup> March – 10am
    - **Sunrise Service** – Sunday, 1<sup>st</sup> April – 7am – Wye Downs
    - **Easter Celebration Service** – 1<sup>st</sup> April – 10am.
  - **Sunday, 8<sup>th</sup> April** – Mike Haywood will be preaching.
  - **Sunday, 22<sup>nd</sup> April** – Thank Offering Sunday (more information to follow).