

2nd May 2021

Welcome

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WEEKLY
PRAYER
ROOM
EVERY
WEDNESDAY

Join us this Wednesday,
5th May, for the monthly
Parish Prayer Meeting



7.30PM

ZOOM ID

141 678 796



YOU TUBE SUNDAY SERVICE STREAMING LINK

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCqTPdwPeUXD1TIFuG76xLfg>

SERVICES (with effect from 18th April 2021)

SUNDAYS

10.00am

Face-to-face service at St Paul's

10.30am

Our main gathering together – geared to [Facebook GoLive](#) or [YouTube](#) (see above)

You can also attend in church

(we will gather for singing outside at 10.15am)

9.00pm

A short service of **Compline** on [Facebook 'Go Live'](#)

(available after as recording too)

ALL OTHER DAYS:

9.00am Monday – Saturday,

Morning prayers at

[Facebook 'Go Live'](#)

10.30am Wednesday

Short agape service on [Zoom](#)

You can also attend in church

9.00pm Every day,

Compline will be on the

[Emmanuel and St Paul's](#)

[Facebook page 'Go Live'](#)

(available after as recording too)

THIS WEEK THE CHURCH FLOWERS ARE:

Would you like to put a memory or dedication to the weekly church flowers? Contact Kim Gregory.

DIME

Ladies join us for DIMES next Saturday. Jane Bullard is bringing us a Climate Change Quiz. There will be a chance to discuss and pray over the issues. To prepare you might wish to follow this link

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VSHQ0mgHg48>

11am Saturday May 1, on zoom
872 8636 7757 usual password

CHRISTIAN AID

There are several ways to support Christian Aid week this year. Envelopes will be available in Church on the 9th and 16th Sunday services, you can buy delicious cakes and preserves – see Mission on the Month – or new for 2021, Emmanuel has an electronic envelope - go to

<https://envelope.christianaid.org.uk/envelope/emmanuel-> to donate.

We are aiming to raise £500 digitally for this excellent cause.

For more information, please contact [Sally Fletcher](#) 01752 766749



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MAGAZINE LINK

<https://www.emmanuelplymouth.co.uk/Publisher/File.aspx?ID=278878>

PARISH MAGAZINE

Roll Up! Roll Up!

Read all about it!

The latest edition of the Parish magazine **LIFE & TIMES** is on the website now (or mailed to the mailing list with this newsletter). **Link above!**

Support the Mission of the Month – Christian Aid – Week 10th – 18th May 2021

Christian Aid is an international relief and development agency working to support sustainable development, eradicate poverty, support civil society, and provide disaster relief. As a church we support Christian Aid week every May. New this year is the electronic envelope – go to <https://envelope.christianaid.org.uk/envelope/emmanuel-> for more information.

If you would like to give an outright donation and add gift aid, please contact Dominie Burns

Or buy a delicious homemade cake or preserve, all proceeds to Christian Aid.

Here is what is on offer this week: -

CAKES – bakers are eager to offer you their wares – don't be shy

Banana Bread contact Mary Orchard 01752 668564

Classic Victoria Sandwich and/or Ginger Cake Sheila Tigwell 01752 651515

Cup Cakes contact Rosemary and Chris Tremaine 01752 263217

Flapjacks contact Anne Tillett 07717 37874

Fruit cake or Chocolate cake contact Aileen Nuttall 01752 224400

Lemon Drizzle Cake contact Dominie Burns 01752 665446

Teabread contact Ginnie Serpell 01752 261751

Iced coffee sponge, with or without walnuts Linda Wheeler 01752 227003

Walnut and Banana Loaf with frosted Icing Janet Asman 01752 771067

PRESERVES

Marmalade, jam or chutney contact Dominie Burns 01752 665446

Crab Apple Jelly contact Aileen Nuttall 01752 22440

Please ring the donor to order and arrange collection or delivery.

Would you like to join the list and be 'a cake donor'? - please contact Linda.

Please ring the donor to order and arrange collection or delivery of cakes or preserves. Please contact us if you would like to offer one of your cakes.

Along with supporting the Mission of the Month this will help us to keep in touch.

**Any queries: Contact Sally Fletcher 01752 766749,
Linda Wheeler 01752 227003 or Dominie Burns 01752 665446**

WEBSITE LINK

<https://www.emmanuelplymouth.co.uk/>

PRAYER FOCUS

Praying for Spiritual Growth

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| SUN | Praying to live generously. Without You, I have nothing—but sometimes, I view the gifts You've given me as something I deserve. I am tempted to hoard my wealth, time, and resources instead of sharing them with others. Ultimately, I know that I am blessed to be a blessing—so please help me wisely steward the gifts You've entrusted to me. |
| MON | Praying for rest. In a world that glorifies busyness, it is so easy to fill my time with things that don't matter. If I'm not careful, I burn out because I don't create enough space to rest in Your presence each day. I need You to change me and help me make space for rest. Help me come to You daily. |
| TUE | Praying to engage in God's Word. Thank You for showing me the paths that lead to life. Help me to spend time in Your Word remembering that having access to Scripture is a gift. So please make me eager to read Your words. Reveal Your will to me as I spend time in Your presence. Teach me Your word, which is truth. |
| WED | Praying for ways to serve. You are so kind to me. And when You gave up Your only Son to save me, You provided me with an example of humble obedience. Instead of seeking my own way, help me to seek Yours. I want to serve You by serving others. So change my heart and help me love others genuinely. |
| THU | Praying for endurance. Lord I am often impatient. Remembering how you reached out to heal and save, not turning away from those in need and enduring the pain of the cross. Teach me patience. |
| FRI | Praying for ways to pray. Sometimes I don't feel like I have the words to pray. I don't always know what to say to You. What do I say to someone who is perfect in every way? Please help me remember that You want to hear from me. |
| SAT | Praying for confidence in prayer Give me the confidence to speak what's on my heart with You, but help me to do so with respect. And please let these honest conversations lead me to a deeper sense of awe, wonder, and love for You. Show me how to talk with You, and then make me eager to do it regularly. |

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