

**2019 text: Jesus said, 'Upon this rock I will build my church and...' Matthew 16:18**

**APRIL'S CHARITY** is School Support & Moorlands: Moorlands is a theological college training future ministers, youth workers and missionaries as well as being a place for personal Christian faith development and, we not only support them through giving money, but also through working with different students every year and watching them develop in their thinking and practice. This month we also support our local schools Bournemouth Collegiate School, St James Primary School and Pokesdown Community Primary School in their weekly work

## Church Diary w/c 7<sup>th</sup> April 2019

### SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

**TODAY:** 10.15 a.m. GIFT DAY & Family Worship led by Peter with Sunday Lighthouse

**MON:** 9.30 a.m. Easter Bounce  
7.00 p.m. Elders meet at the Manse

**TUES:** 9.30 a.m. Family Drum Circle Trial Session  
11.00 a.m. Family Drum Circle Trial Session  
2.00 p.m. FACE: After Care Group

**WED:** 10.00 a.m. Wednesdays @Immanuel  
2.15 p.m. Friendship Club  
7.30 p.m. **Lent Studies in church cafe**

**THURS:** 9.30 a.m. & 11.00 a.m. Computer Club  
9.30 a.m. Children's Film Morning  
2.00 p.m. Midweek Communion Service

**FRI:** 10.30 a.m. Songs for the Mind- Welcome Area  
2.00 p.m. Film Afternoon

**SUN:** 10.15 a.m. Family Worship led by Blair and Andrew with Sunday Lighthouse

**JUBILATTE CAFÉ.** Can you help out? See Vicky. It will be open every morning and we need you to come and support it each day. Bring your friends please.

Thank you to those who have given pots and plants. We still need more, herbs, dahlias, plus pebbles and stones as we develop the **sensory garden**. Please see Norman Hall.

### Maundy Thursday Reflection & Supper: 18th April 7.00pm

Cod & Chips: £6

Veggie Burger & Chips: £4

Jumbo Sausage & Chips: £3

Orders and money to **Norman Hall** by next **Sunday 14th April** please.

**THANKSGIVING & PRAYERS:** All are welcome to join us in the **meeting room** from 9.40 - 10.00 a.m. each Sunday. This week we pray or thank God for:

- Those feeling unwell, lonely or bereaved; especially Alison K, Mark, Philip, Freya, Lynn
- Robert preparing to preach at East Cliff, and Andrew preparing to preach here at Immanuel, next Sunday
- Fellow churches in Southbourne; this week we particularly pray for All Saints Church
- For new people to use the building and enjoy a cuppa in our new cafe

**The Compassion Experience** - A walk through 'experience' in Bournemouth Square over the Easter Weekend. It is a 15 minute journey through over 200 square metres of interactive exhibition, allowing you to step inside the life of a child in a developing country. There are flyers at the back of the Church giving full details.

**An African Dream. Thank you for the items that have already been placed in the box.** We still need:- pencil sharpeners, glue sticks, wax crayons and scissors. If anyone would like to write a letter to the two orphans we support please give them to Ruth. Children are called Joyleen (Girl 13) and Junior (Boy 11). They also like to receive photos of us! Please place your items during March, in the tub at the back and they will go out to St Mark's School Uganda in May. See [www.aaduganda.org](http://www.aaduganda.org)

**HAPPY EASTER:** Please join us for the following at Immanuel

**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> April @ 10.15 a.m. PALM SUNDAY FAMILY SERVICE**

Palm crosses will be given to families

**Mon 15<sup>th</sup> - Fri 19<sup>th</sup> April 9.00 -12.00 p.m.** Church open to view passion displays

**Thurs 18<sup>th</sup> April @ 7.00 p.m. MAUNDY THURSDAY SERVICE** followed by fish and chips - (*Booking essential*)

**Fri 19<sup>th</sup> April @ 10.00 a.m. GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE** followed by walk to Fisherman's Walk

**EASTER SUNDAY 21<sup>st</sup> April @ 6.00 a.m. SUNRISE SERVICE** at Gordon Zigzag  
**10.15 a.m. FAMILY SERVICE**

- First Sunday each month prayer breakfast at 8.30am- please join us.
- Trip to Israel in October- interested speak to Peter ASAP £1800 8 days

**GRACE:** Calling & Contribution: 2 Kings 8:1-6, Eph 4:7-13 Matt 4:19

1. Christians believe God has a plan for our lives- how might we discover this? See <http://www.fivefoldsurvey.com>

2. What are the giftings you have as described in Ephesians? Are you using them?

2. In what ways are you being taught/ or showing the gift of teaching others?

3. We are called and told to contribute. In what ways are you contributing to the life of the church? Could you do more, give more, pray more?

4. The women from Shunem did as Elisha instructed. What does God promise to those who obey Him?

5. If you were to choose which body part you are in the body of Christ which one would it be and why?



Welcome to Immanuel Church – we hope you find a warm welcome here and please stay for coffee or tea afterwards. If you would like to receive prayer, or a home visit, then please speak to one of the leadership team.



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