

## St. John's Regular Activities.

**Morning Worship** at 10:30 a.m. every Sunday morning.

**Evening Service** at 6 p.m. on the last Sunday of each month.

**Sunday Club for Children** most Sundays during the service.

Leader Sue Eckersley.

**EWOT Fellowship** 2:30 p.m. fortnightly on Tuesdays.

Leader Ellie Jones.

**House Groups** (Fortnightly)

Wednesday 7 p.m., various venues - Contact Jean Ware.

Tuesday 10 a.m. at Capel Zinc, Llanfairfechan - Contact Jean Owen.

**Church open for Prayer** 10 – 11 a.m. every Friday.

Enter by the vestry door. Organiser Jean Owen.

**Coffee Morning:** Solid Rock Coffee Plus, every Friday at 11 a.m.

Organisers Howard & Anne Jackson.

**Mission Enabler:** Jacqueline Ashworth.

**Student Worker:** Isabelle Middleton

**Student and young people's Bible study:**

6-8 p.m. every Sunday in term time, in the church hall.

### Diary

#### May 2019

Friday 24<sup>th</sup>: 11 a.m. Circuit Easter Offering Service at St. John's (with lunch)

Sunday 26<sup>th</sup>: 6 p.m. Evening Service at St. John's.

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup>: 10 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Messy Church at St. John's.

Thursday 30<sup>th</sup>: 7 p.m. Local Preachers' Meeting, Capel Zinc, Llanfairfechan.

#### June 2019

Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup>: Simple Lunch in the hall.

Sunday 9<sup>th</sup>: Pentecost Praise in Bangor Cathedral (time tba).

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup>: 2 p.m. Pastoral Visitors' meeting at Sally Boyce's.

Monday 10<sup>th</sup>: 7 p.m. "Talking of God" session 4, St. Paul's, Penmaenmawr.

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup>: 7 p.m. Circuit Meeting, venue tba.

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup>: St. John's Gift day.

Sunday 30<sup>th</sup>: 6 p.m. Evening service at St. John's.

### Arrangements for Future Notices

The notices to be published on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May will be produced by Howard Jackson. Please send notices by Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> May to: [notices@bangormethodistchurch.org](mailto:notices@bangormethodistchurch.org) . Howard Jackson.

# St. John's Methodist Church



**Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May**

10:30 a.m. Morning Worship,  
led by Anne Jackson.

**The Prayer Request Book for the Intercessions  
is at the front of the hall.**

**Please stay for tea/coffee after the service –  
Fair Trade goods will be on sale.**

### This Week

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> 11 a.m. Circuit Easter Offering Service  
"Longer Tables, Lower Fences", at St. John's.  
This is followed by a light lunch.

### Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May

10:30 a.m. Communion Service, led by Rev. John Howard.  
6 p.m. Evening Service, led by Rev. John Howard.

### Singing for Fun

The next Singing for Fun evening is on 21<sup>st</sup> May at 7 p.m. Please invite anyone who enjoys singing. *Jean Owen.*

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### **EWOT – Everyone Welcome on (alternate) Tuesdays**

The members of EWOT would like to thank all the people who have helped make our meetings during the last year so entertaining, especially the speakers and hosts.

At our AGM on 14<sup>th</sup> May we closed for the summer until Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> September. However we have organised four summer outings. Do come and join us.

**12<sup>th</sup> June:** A Summer Stroll at Llanfairfechan (along the promenade or around the nature reserve for the more energetic) followed by tea in the Pavilion beachside cafe.

**29<sup>th</sup> June:** We join the Prayer Bus on a pilgrimage of prayer around the Circuit.

**17<sup>th</sup> July:** An afternoon at Oriel Môn, including tea and cake (of course.)

**14<sup>th</sup> August:** A Fundraising Afternoon Tea at Rosemary and John Nunn's in Llangoed. No charge, but donations to the church refurbishment fund will be very welcome. For catering purposes it would be helpful if you would let Ellie know if you intend to come. Do come and join us. See future notices for more details. For lifts contact Ellie or Jean. *Ellie Jones.*

### **Wednesday Bible Study**

Our next meeting is on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May, 7 p.m. at the Jackson's, led by Sue Eckersley. We will be doing week 2 of the Bible Month materials on Colossians:

[www.preachweb.org/s/Bible-Month-Magazine-Colossians.pdf](http://www.preachweb.org/s/Bible-Month-Magazine-Colossians.pdf)

*Jean Ware.*

### **Messy Church**

St. John's is holding a Messy Church event on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> May from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., including lunch. Please invite your friends, relatives and neighbours to bring their children and share a time of fun, crafts and fellowship. *Sue Eckersley.*

### **Annual Church Meeting**

The Church Stewards were all re-elected. John Hay was elected as an ACM representative on the Church Council. The ACM minutes are being circulated by email. Printed copies are available for people who do not have email.

### **“Longer Tables – Shorter Fences”**

The Circuit Easter Offering Service is on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May at 11 a.m. in St John's Church Hall. This year's service, “Longer Tables – Shorter Fences” shares stories of hospitality throughout the world. It will be followed by our own “Bring and Share” lunch. Jean and I are looking for helpers to come at 10 a.m. to set out the room and prepare for lunch and to clear up afterwards.

*Anne Jackson on behalf of Jean Owen.*

### **Soup Run**

The soup run has operated each Saturday of April and there have been 15 contacts with vulnerable people in Bangor. A tent was given out as well as the usual coffee, soup, fruit, cake, pizza and pastries. Please include the soup run in your prayers.

*Sue Eckersley.*

### **Anglesey Prayer Network**

Canon Stuart Bell of Aberystwyth, whose ministry God has greatly used throughout Wales, and his wife Prudence are looking forward to walking around Anglesey from May 13 - 24, 2019 and he has agreed to come and speak at the Anglesey Prayer Network tonight Sunday, 19<sup>th</sup> May. We shall be meeting in Llangefni Town Hall at 5.45 p.m. for refreshments & fellowship before the meeting commences at 6.30 p.m. *Jacqueline Ashworth.*

### **Jean Morris**

Rev. Ian Morris's mother, Jean Morris, a member at Amlwch, died on the Saturday after Easter, 27<sup>th</sup> April. You may remember Ian, because he attended St John's when a student in Bangor and was on the Church Council. The funeral is on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May; 12 noon service at the Bangor Crematorium, 1.30 p.m. Service of Thanksgiving at Amlwch Methodist Church, followed by afternoon tea in the schoolroom. *Jean Ware & Rev. David Jones.*

### **Congratulations!**

We send our congratulations to Joan Gledhill who celebrates her 100<sup>th</sup> birthday on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May. Joan is a long-standing member of Amlwch Methodist Church and a life-long supporter of the Women's Network. *Anne Jackson.*