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CHURCH  
GOOD NEWS

September  
26th, 2021

To know the love of God through the power of the Holy Spirit and with Jesus as our teacher to show and share our faith

Councillor on Duty – Jackie Bullen  
Door Stewards – Margaret Beard and Monica Fowler  
Music – Janet English  
Sound – Geoff Gardner

## Welcome to Our Harvest Celebration

On Sunday the 26th of September **Martin Heal** will be leading our Harvest Service. We welcome gifts for Christian Aid in Commitment for Life envelopes and also gifts of non-perishable food for the Food Bank.

Thursday September 30th - Thought for The Day at 10.30am will be led by **Janet Le Moignan**.  
Thursday Coffee morning will be in the church hall from 10.00 to 11.30.

Sunday Service October 3rd will be a Communion Service at 10.30 in the church. The service will be led by **Richard Sinden**.

**The POD is open from Tuesday to Saturday – 10.00 am to 12 noon and from 1.00 pm to 3.00 pm**

### PASTORAL

Thankfully, Peter Kett, Michael Brown and Bill Slogrove are all back and recovering at home after a short stay in Yeovil Hospital  
We send them, best wishes, love and prayers from all at Cheap Street Church.

There is a full pastoral report in The Cheapstreeter which is available in church on Sunday.

Birthdays.

29th. September Geoff Jones

1st. October. Kathy Crew

Happy Birthday to you both, with love and best wishes from all at Cheap Street Church.

With love and prayers to you all.  
Eirwen.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY MARGARET FIELD!  
WITH MUCH LOVE.

## FROM THE COUNCIL

### Duncan is signed off until 18th October

**Harvest Collection** - There will be a special collection at Sunday's harvest service for Christian Aid, using the United Reformed Church's Commitment for Life envelopes. You can add 25% to the value of your gift if you pay income tax by filling in your details on the back of the envelope. Alternatively, if you bank online, you can make a payment to one of the church's accounts; please send me an email or ring me so that I can look out for your gift. George Faris ([gfaris48@gmail.com](mailto:gfaris48@gmail.com) 01935 420258)

### PRAYER RING

The Prayer Ring is available for an urgent need or situation. Call any of these numbers and the circle of prayer will begin:  
Eirwen Cox 01935 815960,  
Penny Gardner 01935 389153,  
Janet Le Moignan 01935 389662

Whenever and wherever we pray in the silence of our hearts, we are part of a rich and powerful fellowship, which serves to sustain everyone in our Church Family. Anyone can join the prayer group by just praying.

•We hold in prayer Bill Slogrove and his recovery; Michael and Hilary Brown; Majorie and Peter Kett; George and Norma Hamill; Brian and Margaret Walker; Duncan; Jan and Phil Wallace and their daughter Emma; Eileen Higgins; Phyllis Batchelor; Alex Palmer.

Please remember our Cheap Street Church Family in your prayers.

### PRAYERS FOR THE PERSECUTED CHURCH

Prayers for the persecuted church: **Bangladesh** - Bangladeshi society is growing increasingly Islamic, with the government doing more to appease concerns from Muslim hardliners.

Islamic extremists pressure all groups of Christians and violence is increasing - a major reason that Bangladesh has risen eight places on the World Watch List. Converts from a Muslim, Hindu, Buddhist or ethnic-tribal background suffer the most severe restrictions, discrimination and abuse. They often gather in house churches or secret groups to avoid attack.

Let us pray that Christian converts will be protected from attacks; for Rohingya Christians in Bangladesh's refugee camps, facing persecution for their ethnicity and faith, and for Open Doors partners supporting Christians who face

discrimination in the distribution of Covid aid.  
**Amen.**

### EVENTS

**Mere** - Would you like a lift to the 3.00 pm service in Mere today, Sunday, to celebrate the completion of work on their chapel? Martin and Pat Heal still have two seats available in their car. Martin will be leading the service.

**Yeovil Street Pastors** will be resuming their patrols in Yeovil from Saturday the 25th of September. They hope to increase their number of prayer and street pastors when the time is right. They wish to thank you for your prayerful support and hope it may continue.

The **Red Cross Appeal for Afghanistan** last Sunday outside the POD, raised £404! That was by giving away cupcakes and fresh produce donated by you. Thank you. We were able to speak to lots of people and give away lots of information on the refugee situation.

**DON'T FORGET!** Molly Hooper is having a **Macmillan Coffee Morning** from 10.30 to 12.00 noon tomorrow, Saturday 25th Sept. at 3, Mulberry Gardens, Sherborne DT9 4BY.

**Sustainable Yeovil** are organising an Oxfam World Climate March on Saturday October 16th at 10 am. People all over the world are committing to walk 1.5 km to show their concern about keeping global warming to 1.5 degrees. We take a video of the march and send it to Oxfam who will use it for publicity ahead of the COP 26 talks in November.

We will meet at Holy Trinity Church, Lysander Road, far car park, to the right as you drive in through the church entrance. Coming out of Yeovil on the A3088, Holy Trinity Church is on the left shortly after Morrisons.

We suggest we each bring an item of non-perishable food to donate to the Lord's Larder food bank. We will start off with a few climate songs. Then at 10.30 walk down the cycle path finishing at Gateway Church.

Booking essential to [susyeovil@outlook.com](mailto:susyeovil@outlook.com) Let me know if you need to park a car.

**CONTRIBUTIONS TO FUTURE NEWS AND PEW SHEETS** to Penny Gardner – email [pennylgardner@gmail.com](mailto:pennylgardner@gmail.com) or 01935 389153

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