

Southern Methodist Churches, Isle of Man

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Sunday 26TH May 2019



Thy Kingdom Come is a global prayer movement in which Christians pray that people would come to know Jesus. Taking place between Ascension and Pentecost, *Thy Kingdom Come* this year falls between 30 May - 9 June 2019.

During Thy Kingdom Come

- People commit to pray with God's world-wide family - as a church, individually or as a family.
- Churches will hold prayer events, such as 24-7 prayer, prayer stations and prayer walks, across the UK and in other parts of the world.
- People will be transformed through prayer by the Holy Spirit, finding new confidence to be witnesses for Jesus Christ.

The invitation is simply for people to pray in whatever way they want, with whoever they want and wherever they can, that others might know Jesus Christ.

Port Erin Methodist Church will be open between 7 and 8 pm each evening for prayer, refreshment and reflection. Over the course of the 10 days, we will pray in turn for each of our 10 Methodist churches and chapels in the south, and for our brothers and sisters in Christ in our neighbouring churches and wider community

All will be most welcome to come and pray together.

TODAY'S SERVICES

Ballabeg, 6:30 pm	Kevin Mort
Ballafesson, 10:30 am	John Corkish
Castletown, 10:30 am	Rev David Shirtliff, <i>Celebrations service for all southern churches</i>
Port St Mary, 10:30 am	Rev Chris Belfield, <i>Holy Communion</i>
The Howe, 6:30 pm	Rev Chris Belfield

NEXT SUNDAY'S SERVICES – 2ND JUNE 2019

Ballabeg, 6:30 pm	Rev Chris Belfield
Ballafesson, 10:30 am	Rev Chris Belfield, <i>Holy Communion</i>
Ballagarey, 11:00 am	Rita Norrey, <i>Family Service</i>
Ballakilpheric, 3:00 pm	John Binns
Castletown, 10:30 am	John Corkish (<i>change to plan</i>)
Colby, 10:30 am	Nick Owen
Port Erin, 10:30 am	<i>Congregational Praise</i>
Port St Mary, 10:30 am	Linda Eccles
The Howe, 6:30 pm	John Binns



DIARY DATES

Sundays, 11:00 am: Sunday School at the Howe (weekly)

Mon 27th May: No Daniel's Den Tots Group at Castletown because of the Bank Holiday.

Tues 28th May: 10:00 – 11:30 am: Coffee Morning at Port Erin.

Tues 28th May, 1:30 – 3:00 pm: Ballafesson Tots group. (*weekly*)

Wed 29th May, 10:30am - 12 noon and 7:30 pm – 9 pm: House groups at John and Katherine Corkish's home, 6 Strawberry Fields, Croit e Caley, studying 'The Lord's Prayer'.

Wed 29th May, 9:30 – 11:00 am: Daniel's Den Tots Group meets at Castletown Church. The cost is £1. Contact Cath on 420646 for further details. (*Mondays and Wednesdays weekly, except Bank Holidays.*)

Thurs 30th May 11:30 am: Coffee Morning at Castletown Methodist Church (*Weekly*).

Thurs 30th May, 7:30 pm: Tabor on Thursday – *Ecuador with Galapagos*.

Thurs 30th May, 10:00 – 11:00 am: ***Thy Kingdom Come*** – Ten days of prayer for Ascensiontide – opening with a drop-in at Kirk Christ, Rushen and St Mary's on the Harbour, Castletown.

Thurs 30th May – Sat 8th June, 7:00 – 8:00 pm:

Thy Kingdom Come.

Port Erin Methodist Church will be open daily for prayer, refreshment and reflection,



from Ascension Day to Pentecost. ***See overleaf for more details.***

Thurs 30th May, 7:30pm: Holy Communion for Ascension Day at Ballafesson.

Sat 1st June, 11:00 am: Pop In for Prayer and a cuppa in the Fellowship Room, Port Erin. Time for reflection or simply to be still in the presence of God.

Tues 4th June: 10:00 – 11:30 am: Coffee Morning at Ballafesson.

Wed 5th June, 7:30 pm: Women on Wednesday will meet in the Fellowship Room, Port Erin. This will be a Plate and Plan session, to plan next year's programme. Please bring something to share.

Thurs 6th June, 8:00 pm: Concert by the Regal Singers at the Howe Chapel. £5 including supper

Tues 11th June: 10:00 – 11:30 am: Coffee Morning at Port Erin.

Wed 12th June: District Policy Committee, and Circuit Finance and Property committee both meet at Trinity Church, Douglas

Thurs 13th June: Local Preachers and Worship Leaders meeting at St John's Methodist Church.

Thurs 13th June, 4:30 pm: Two's Company, Tea's a Crowd – food, fun and fellowship in the hall, Port Erin. Contact Judy to book 835073. (*monthly, 2nd Thursday of the month*)

Fri 14th June, 12:00 – 1:00 pm. Tasty Tabor lunch at Port St Mary Church.

Please contact Jane Foxon if you have any items you would like included in the weekly notice sheet – tel. 833154, or email jfoxon64@gmail.com

The weekly deadline for inclusion is on WEDNESDAY.