

Welcome to



**Parkstone  
United  
Reformed  
Church**

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*'The people of Parkstone United Reformed Church are here to share God's love for all'*

**Parkstone Community Centre**

*Our notices for 22nd March 2026*



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### Our Church Notices for Sunday 22nd March 2026.

**Fifth Sunday after Lent : Our morning worship service** will be led by **Maggie Larkin** at 10.30am. Everyone is welcome.

Parkstone United Reformed Church sends you their greetings and good wishes. You are encouraged to use the following words for your personal reflection. It is our hope that they will be a source of encouragement for you

**Failure doesn't mean you have accomplished nothing: it means you have learned something.** *Anon*

### Children and Families Work

Contact Catherine Phillips [cafw\\_parkstoneurc@yahoo.com](mailto:cafw_parkstoneurc@yahoo.com) for more details on all four groups

**Explorers** - Sunday 10.30am whilst parents/careers are attending Sunday service (Term-Time)

**Busy Bees' –Toddler group—**Thursdays 10-11.30am (Term –time)

**REGENERATE** is an inter-generational group with a meal and activities.

It is on the **1st and 3rd Monday of each month from 4pm-6pm** **On hold at the moment**

**Messy church** Monday 23rd March 2026 4-6pm **NEXT MONDAY**

**Catherine is looking for pretty napkins for craft and Lego**

### Help and Support

**If you need any support, please don't feel alone, we are here to help -** phone Mark on 07980 002676 or email [purcoffice@gmail.com](mailto:purcoffice@gmail.com)

The Church and Chaplaincy team continue to pray daily and any requests are welcome

If you don't receive weekly emails, please email [purcoffice@gmail.com](mailto:purcoffice@gmail.com) to be put on the list

The Citizen Advice Bureau - are no longer here, but we have a list of their locations. Please ask.

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### PRAYERS

#### Collect Prayer:

Gracious Father you gave up your Son out of love for the world lead us to ponder the mysteries of his passion, may know eternal peace through the shedding of our Saviour's blood, Jesus Christ or Lord ... **Amen**

- **Please pray for Ancey**
- **Please pray for Sharon's Grandma - Jo**
- **Please pray for Sue, Peter and Monica**
- **Please pray for Dave's family at this time**
- **Please pray for Martin's Family**
- **Please pray for Malcolm and his family at this difficult time**
- **Please pray for Joan**
- **Please pray for Elaine and Sarah**
- **Please pray for Anthony and Rita**
- **Please pray for Ann who is receiving palliative care**
- **Please pray for Sarah as she is moving house**
- **Please pray for Sheela's family.**
- **Please pray for Angie at this difficult time**
- **Please pray for Dee**
- **Please pray for Tom**
- **Thank you for the prayers for Anne and James**

#### Worship

*Service Times every Sunday 10.30am with Communion on 2nd Sunday*

**Morning Prayer** Monday and Friday at 11.30-11.45am

**Quiet Contemplation** led by Rev James Whately, Wednesdays at **10.30am** in the Middle Classroom Everyone is Welcome. Rev James will be leading **an Agape meal** 1st Wednesday of the month, next one is **1st April 2026.**

**Bible Book club Wednesday** 11.00am –12 noon led by Rev James Whately We are studying 'The Bible Course' Contact Rev James for more details 01202 813908 All Welcome just pop along. In the middle classroom.

**Easter Egg Appeal** – We started our Easter Egg collection from now until Palm Sunday 29th March. Please bring in and if you know someone else who would like an egg, please let us know



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Other  
Notes

### **The Living room—(Church Sanctuary)**

The **Living room** is open Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 10am-2pm .Hot drinks and cakes (often home-baked) are available at no charge, though donations are welcome. Have a chat, join in with our activities or bring your own.

### **See separate monthly sheet for activities crafts and talks**

**The Community meal** - Monday, Wednesday and Friday A hot, 2 course home-cooked community meal is available from 12.15pm-1.30pm, children are free, suggested donation **£5-£8+**

**The community Fridge and satellite Food bank (Poole) Mon,/Wed/Fri 10-2pm**

**Art Club**—Monday and Friday 10.30am–12 noon all welcome in the sanctuary

**Meditation Practice** this is on again on **Friday 27th March** then **10th April** from **10.30-11.30am** in the community room. Imelda Herrero [imeldalewis@gmail.com](mailto:imeldalewis@gmail.com)  
Tel: 07962 942900

**Boules game** at Ashley Cross green with Mark on **every Friday at 2.45pm**.please check before leaving with Mark (07980002676) if weather wet just in case of cancellation. **Restart 6th March** due to poor weather

**Curling at Willow Park** on 2nd Thursday of the month, **9th April 2026 –2pm**

**Bingo at Willow Park** on 4th Thursday of the month. **26th March at 2pm**

**Coffee morning Willow Park** Friday **27th March 10-12 noon**

There is a coffee morning and chat with **Yeatmans funeral directors** on Friday 20th March upstairs in the church at 11.30am-1pm.

**Rave in the Nave Disco** with DJ Adrian on **Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March at 1.30-3pm**.  
With refreshments Please book for numbers and catering, suggested donation £3

**Limo Trip**—26th March 9.30am-4pm– 30 miles —Let us know where 12 places only

**Good Friday—Walk of Witness** —3rd April—Refreshments from 8.30am-9am at PURC before walking down to Poole joining other local churches for the Good Friday service by Sainsbury supermarket at 10am

**See What's On for events and activities**

If you want to know more about our community please contact :

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