

## Next Services

<b>Date</b>	Dec 31st 10:30am	Jan 7th 10:30am	Jan 14th 10:30am	Jan 21st 10:30am
		<i>All Age Worship</i>	<i>Holy Communion</i>	
<b>Preacher</b>	Pat Heynes	Rev David Winstanley	Rev David Winstanley	Archie Rowe
<b>Steward</b>	Clare Midgley	Niki de Silva	Pam Turner	Linda Day
<b>PA</b>	Ian Sims	Toby Day	Nick Martin	Francis Day
<b>Keyboard</b>	Ruth Reeve	Ruth Reeve	Ruth Reeve	Jackie Cross
<b>Worship Songs</b>	Richard Parry	Laura Seymour	Jim Midgley	Rosemary Rowe
<b>Flowers</b>	Christmas	Niki de Silva	Nora Whittock	Ann Mead
<b>Welcomers</b>	Shirley & Pat	Val Humphreys & Derek Edgell	Kay Best & Tom Turner	Ann & Rob Dunford
<b>Counters</b>	Jim Midgley & Francis Day	Nick Martin & Ann Mead	Toby Day & Jill Souter	Ann & Rob Dunford

## Julian House

Thank you to everyone who has donated essential items to support the vital work of the day and night shelter at Julian House. The months of January and February can be bitterly cold, so please keep the homeless and the work of Julian House in your prayers.

In March a small, but hardy group will be braving the elements by taking part in the annual Julian House Sleepout. Look out for more information nearer the time.



### January Birthdays

1st Luc Parry, 5th Pam Turner, 9th Laura Seymour  
11th Thomas Scott, 14th Beryl Mead

Please send anything for the next notices to Nick by 11th January



## PEASEDOWN METHODIST CHURCH

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**Sunday 31st December, 10.30am**

**Morning Worship**

**Led by Pat Heynes**

**Sunday 7th January, 10:30am**

**All Age Worship**

**Led by Rev David Winstanley**

We offer you a warm welcome to worship. If you are new to the Church or visiting please feel free to join us for a cup of tea or coffee after the Service.

If you would like prayer after the Service then our prayer team will be seated in the left front corner.

Happy New Year

**2018**

Lord Jesus, you have walked by our side throughout this year.  
As we come to its end and embark on a new year with you,  
we thank you for your faithfulness to us, to our church family,  
to our village, our nation and our world.

We ask that those who have heard you calling them this Christmas may  
respond freely and joyfully to your call.

We pray for peace in the troubled places of the world, that their leaders  
and people may find peace, humanity, justice and reconciliation.

We pray for those who serve to protect us;  
guide them in all that they are called upon to do.

We pray for all politicians; that they may act honourably,  
put service before gain, and truth before political convenience.

We pray for those in need, wherever we find them;  
help us to love them as you do, and to care for them in your name.

We pray for those who are sick, and for others who  
particularly need our love and your healing at this time.  
May your healing power rest upon them and make them whole.

As we step out with you into the new year; may your journey from Christmas  
to the cross, from the grave to the glory of heaven, build us up in faith,  
calm our fears, strengthen us in your service.

**Saturday 6th January**



**Monthly Breakfast**

9:00am - 11:45am

Come along and share breakfast with your friends,  
neighbours and may be meet someone new!

**Strictly Worship**

7:00pm - 8:00pm

Come along and praise God for all that is past  
and all that is to come



**Sunday 7th January**  
**Day of prayer and fasting**

The President and Vice President of Conference have called on  
all churches throughout the Connexion to set aside a day for  
prayer and fasting.

The focus of the day as set out by the Conference is to  
"recognise the challenges and changes facing every community  
in these islands and the urgent call of God on the Methodist  
people to share the love of God in Jesus Christ in word and action".

We will begin with morning worship and then share  
in a very simple lunch (a fast does not need to be a  
total abstinence from food) followed by guided  
prayer activities.



Please consider joining as a community of faith to seek  
God in these challenging times for the church.