

TB DATE	Preacher	Coffee Mornings
May3	Rev Peter Williamson	JMA
May10	Rev Val Price	Christian Aid
May 17	Micheal Trigg	Christian Aid
May 24	Rev David Moss	Christian Aid
May 31	Rev Jeff Short	Christian Aid
May 6	Ladies Club	Birthday Lunch
May 13	Ladies Club	TBC
May 20	Ladies Club	The making of War Horse- Paul
May 27	Ladies Club	TBC
EVERY WENESDAY	Except Bank Hol	TODDLERS

Thursday 11 June 2026, 7.30pm at Goodrington

Local Preachers & Worship Leaders

'Remembering our Call'

Guest speaker Revd David Martin, former Superintendent at Plymouth Central Hall.

TTT 7.30 – 9.00

5th Bible Study

12th Prayer & Songs

19th 2b1 Music Praise

Southfield Services

May Rev Jeff Short x 4, and Rev Andy Chislett-McDonald on 10th

St Andrew's Methodist Church Newsletter

KEEPING IN TOUCH – MAY 2026

'To know God and to make him known'



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VISITORS ARE WELCOME, OUR SERVICES ARE HELD AT 10.30 EVERY SUNDAY

Reminder of date for submission of

All articles to be submitted by **19th MAY 2026** to Christine on christine206@btinternet.com

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Rev Jeff's Message

Last month we celebrated my mother's 100th birthday. People were amazed at her well-being. Do you remember significant birthdays? 18th or 21st later ones with a "0" on the end or the one that heralded retirement? **This month we celebrate the greatest birthday of all, for on the Day of Pentecost the Christian Church was born!** The Holy Spirit entered human time and space and became a reality in those first disciples' lives, truly the church came into being. Frightened people became brave, those in hiding came out of the shadows, those who were scared to speak out found a voice... and the world has never been the same. Why is it that the church in our nation does not have the same impact as we once did? Are no longer are moved and empowered by the Holy Spirit. Theologian, Dr Carl Ball, said if the Spirit was withdrawn 95% of church life would continue unaffected. William Booth, who left the Methodist Church to form the Salvation Army wrote a wonderful hymn called "Send the fire" - *"Look down upon this waiting host, and send the promised Holy Ghost. We need another Pentecost, send the fire today!* Let us make that our prayer!

Film nights at Palace Avenue 27th May Details of forthcoming films are available by joining the e-mail list: filmclub@palaceavenue-methodist.org.uk film

TO DO!!! Essential 100 update – Bible study

Rev Jeff asked us to do 'homework' of Good or Bad and which helps you most in your faith. Put in box at back of church when completed.

Read up to number 30 by the next bible study service

Treasurers Corner

Collection for March £1200.225 Circuit Assessment £1102.00

Hot X Bun Coffee Morning raised £137.22 **WELL DONE !!**

FEED A CHILD - 1st Sunday of the month - a new food list is on the back table. Please bring appropriate items for a family

PLEASE NOTE

May 9th Circuit Away Day Buckfastleigh Abbey Church.

May 20th at 7.30 Riviera Concert Brass at Central Tickets £10

June 8th Church Council 7.30

Gospel Singalong
Sunday May 10th @
4pm. Tickets: £7 at
The Royal Lyceum

NEW HOUSE GROUP
STARTING Monday

18th May at St Andrews.

10.15 for 10.30

