

## Welcome to Chepstow Methodist Church



A Worshipping Church  
at the Heart of the  
Community



[www.chepstowmethodist.org.uk](http://www.chepstowmethodist.org.uk)

Charity No. 1130776

### CHURCH NOTICES - 21ST JUNE 2026

#### OUR MINISTER IS REV IAN GRIFFITHS

For the time being, if you have any concerns, personal or church related, please contact Rev. Bethany Willers

07785 714647 or [revbwillers@gmail.com](mailto:revbwillers@gmail.com)



If you have anything to share with the Church Family via these notices, please contact Hilary Collins by email: [admin@chepstowmethodist.wales](mailto:admin@chepstowmethodist.wales)



### WORSHIP ON SUNDAYS

We extend a warm welcome to ALL who join us in our Morning Worship and other services. If you are able to stay afterwards for a mug of tea/coffee (sometimes even cake!!) we would love to get to know you in a relaxed atmosphere.



**This Sunday, 21st June** - our **10.30am Sunday Worship** is a Local Arrangement Service (**in Church/on Zoom/recorded**) and will be led by Hilary Collins and members of our Church Family  
**Also, at 5.00pm**, Rev Keith Town and Beryl Quinlan will lead our **Evening Communion Service (ONLY in Church)**

**Next Sunday, 28th June** - our **10.30am Sunday Worship (in Church/on Zoom/recorded)** will be led by Rev Anne Ellis

For those who prefer to worship from home, most services will also be live on Zoom (see Zoom link below), with a recording posted later on our Church website:

<https://chepstowmethodist.org.uk/keeping-in-touch/podcast-videos/>

**ZOOM - you will be held in a 'Waiting Room' prior to being able to access the service. NOTE: For practical/technical reasons, we can only admit people BEFORE the Service starts.**

Zoom Link: <https://zoom.us/j/96959863156?pwd=O8apr7xq1Jfb9q8yy4dolmHapB31k6.1>

Meeting ID: 969 5986 3156

Passcode: 905885

**For those without the Internet**, you can join the service in audio through your **phone** by dialling any of the numbers below; entering the Meeting ID followed by the # key, followed by the Passcode and once again the # key as instructed by the verbal prompts Zoom's recorded message. (Meeting ID & Passcode above)

0203 481 5237 / 0203 481 5240 / 0203 901 7895

#### Stewards & Assistant Stewards

Sunday 21st June	10.30am	Russell Collins and Pauline Davies
	5.00pm	Russell Collins and Lisa Waite
Sunday 28th June	10.30am	Margaret Bishop and Sandy Dickson

**In the quietness of our hearts  
we offer up prayers for those we care for:**

Rev Bethany, on the recent death of her mother; Rev Ian (& Tabitha) as he 'steps back' for a few week to concentrate on his health; the family of Jean Kirton on her recent death; Sandy Dickson and her family following the recent deaths of her brother Nick and sister-in-law Corinne; Bronnie & Michael Bale as Bronnie recuperates from her operation; Joy Wilson (**Please Note:** Although Joy is now in Chepstow Hospital, she is not up to having visitors)

Father God

You have soothed us saying "do not worry about tomorrow". Thank you that you pour out your spirit upon us each new day and that your grace is sufficient for us each moment of our lives. Let us have peace in our hearts, the peace that surpasses all understanding and guards our hearts and minds.

Amen



Do you know anyone who is sick, bereaved or in need of a visit or flowers?  
Or has moved to this area or Church?  
If so, please contact *Kathy Griffin*



Chepstow Town Council is running a family friendly weekend (July 3rd to 5th) celebrating Welsh culture, food, music, dance, art, craft, history, literature and the Welsh language. The main programme is on the Saturday - [see here for the programme](#).

On the **Sunday, 5th July**, there will be music at the Bandstand by the river in the afternoon and then the weekend will round off with a **Cymanfa Ganu**, a celebration of Welsh hymn singing, **in our church at 6.00 pm**.

After the service we will be providing hot drinks and Welsh Cakes... **can you bake a batch of Welsh Cakes/buy some Welsh Cakes** for this event? If so, please let *Hilary Collins* or *Linda Nuttall* know.



Thank you

**AN ADVANCE DATE FOR YOUR DIARIES...**

To celebrate & give partners, supporters and friends of **Hope in Christ, Zambia** an opportunity to come together, the Trustees invite you as our guests to a **Garden Party** on **Saturday, 16th August** at **37 Normandy Way, Chepstow** (Vera and Brian's home).

More details nearer the time but, in the meantime, if you want to find out more, please speak to *Beryl Quinlan*



## **WE'RE HAVING A PICNIC!**

**Come and enjoy a picnic with friends from the church  
at the Old Station, Tintern**

**On Saturday 11th July, from 12.15 pm**



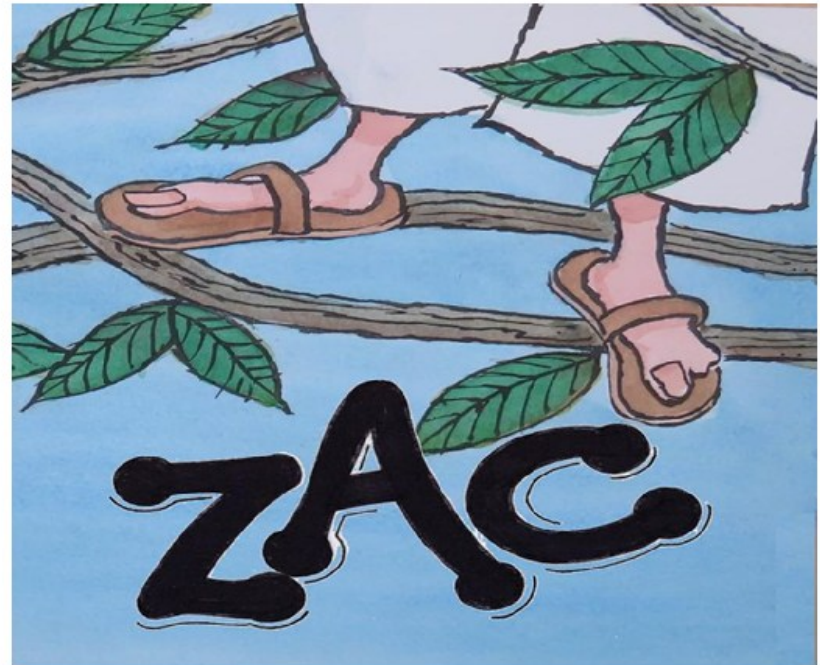
**Bring your own chairs or a picnic rug**

**FOLLOWED BY A SHORT PRAYER WALK FOR CREATION at  
1.30pm  
(if you'd like to join us)**

**Please share lifts or, if you would like to come by bus,  
the 69 bus leaves Chepstow Bus Station at 11.55am  
and arrives at the Old Station at 12.12pm  
(Return 13.43pm or 15.43pm)**

**TEAS, COFFEES AND ICE CREAMS AVAILABLE FROM THE CAFÉ**

**ECO CHURCH**  
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**A Roger Jones Musical  
Saturday 18 July 2026**

**at 7.00pm**

**St Julian's Methodist Church  
Newport**

**Donations in aid of local charities**

Performance authorised by Christian Music Ministries  
office@cmm.org.uk



## CONTROLLING SLUGS AND SNAILS

**Encourage predators** – like birds, frogs, toads, beetles and hedgehogs, ducks and chickens

**Trap under wet cardboard**

**Place a ring of wool pellets or coffee grounds** around the plant

**Sprinkle around the plant** with a garlic solution

**If you must kill them –**

**Slice in half** - quick and humane

**Beer trap** - place a shallow container of beer in the ground

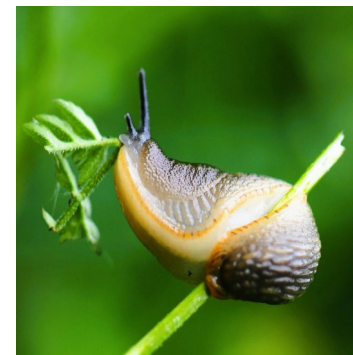
**Water with nematodes** every 6 weeks

**Use pellets** - organic iron phosphate pellets

**Never -**

**Put salt on slugs** – ruins the soil

**Don't use pellets containing metaldehyde** – poisonous to wildlife and pets (illegal in UK)





## Diary Dates for Week Beginning 21st June

Day	Event	Time	Other Info
Sunday 21st	Morning Worship	10.30am	Led by Hilary Collins
	Evening Communion	5.00pm	Led by Rev Keith Town & Beryl Quinn
Monday 22nd	Beacon Café	9.30am - 3.00pm	
	Babies & Toddlers	10.00 - 11.30am	
Tuesday 23rd	Beacon Café	9.30am - 3.00pm	
	Babies & Toddlers	10.00 - 11.30am	
	Housegroup	10.30am	Contact Pam Horne
Wednesday 24th	Beacon Café	9.30am - 3.00pm	
	Babies & Toddlers	10.00 - 11.30am	
	Wednesday Fellowship	2.30 - 4.00pm	<b>NOT Meeting this week - see Opposite</b>
	BB - Anchors	5.30 - 6.45pm	
	BB - Juniors	6.30 - 8.00pm	
	BB - Company Section will meet again later in the term Places available in all sections. Contact Mark Lloyd <a href="mailto:mloydabc@btinternet.com/07768160564">mloydabc@btinternet.com/07768160564</a>		
	Housegroup	7.30pm	Contact Cynthia Giles
Thursday 25th	Bible Study (on Zoom) 9.30 - 10.30am <a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86905180276">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86905180276</a> Meeting ID = 869 0518 0276		Continuing studying the book of Isaiah from Ch 44 v 1 Contact Keith Town
	Warm&Cosy@CMC	10.00 - 12.00noon	<b>NOT OPEN TODAY</b>
Friday 26th	Warm&Cosy@CMC	10.00 - 12.00noon	

### WEDNESDAY FELLOWSHIP GROUP...

The Wednesday Fellowship **AGM on 24th June** has been **postponed** so there will be **no meeting**.

Members of the Fellowship - if you have any ideas about speakers for the 2025/26 programme which will start in late September please let *Stuart Nuttall, Beryl Quinlan or Margaret Harvey* know. Also, if anyone has an idea about where to go on the next annual Church outing, again please let *Stuart, Beryl or Margaret* know.

	Church Cleaning - Week Beginning 22nd June	Mair & Richard Liddell
	Coffee Rota Sunday 28th June	Pauline Davies & Elizabeth Gardner