

## Contact Us

Brookhouse Methodist Church  
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### Prayer

To request prayer, please ring Sue on 07919082324 or 811900.

### Notices:

Please forward entries for BMC News to Francis Kates by 8pm Thursday by hand, phone (03330 144037) or email: franciskates@yahoo.com

### Church Bookings:

If you would like to book the church for an event please ring Annette on 736211 with dates and times to confirm it is available.

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BMC is a member church of the  
Evangelical Alliance

## Rotas

### 23<sup>rd</sup> December:

Duty Steward	am	Steve
	pm	MarkF
Welcoming	am	Amelia
	pm	Youth Service
Refreshments	am	Sue, Elaine, Hannah

### 25<sup>th</sup> December:

Duty Steward	am	MarkF
Welcoming	am	RuthM

### 30<sup>th</sup> December:

Duty Steward	am	Steve
	pm	Ben
Welcoming	am	RuthH
	pm	RuthM
Refreshments	am	Tim&Amelia, RuthM

Please see notice boards for full rotas.

If you are able to help with any of these rotas on an occasional basis, please speak to Francis. Thanks.

## BMC NEWS

### 23<sup>rd</sup> December 2018

10.45am Morning Service  
Bob Aldren

7.00pm Youth Service

### 25<sup>th</sup> December 2018

10.30am Christmas Service

### 30<sup>th</sup> December 2018

10.45am Morning Service  
Jillian Graham

7.00pm Evening Service  
Roy Burley



*A Bible centred church where people are welcomed and loved and encouraged to grow in faith and use their gifts to the glory of God.*

## Welcome

Welcome to Brookhouse Methodist Church. We do hope that you will feel at home with us today. Please stay after the service for a cup of tea or coffee, a chat or to pray with someone.

### Young People

The children (up to 16) will leave the service following the worship time. Please feel free to accompany your child to their group if you wish. A crèche is also available for pre-school children with all sorts of toys. Our children's work is run by a team of leaders and helpers who are DBS checked.

### Offerings

We do not take a collection. If you would like to give an offering to the work of the church please place it in the wooden box in the foyer between the two sets of doors.

### Giving a word

If you believe God has given you a reading, picture or word to share with everyone, please speak with the preacher. Please indicate to the steward who will bring a microphone so everyone can hear.

### Prayer Ministry

If you would like prayer at the end of the service, members of the ministry team will be happy to pray with you – they will be wearing blue badges.

### House groups

Joining a house group is a great way to get to know people in the church. Different groups meet on most evenings. If you're interested in joining a group speak to Bob Aldren.

## What's On

### MONDAY 24 DECEMBER

7.30pm No Powerhouse Prayer Meeting

### TUESDAY 25 DECEMBER

10.30am Christmas Morning Service

### SUNDAY 30 DECEMBER

10.15am Prayer in the Prayer Room

10.45am Morning Service – Jillian Graham

7.00pm Evening Service – Roy Burley

### MONDAY 31 DECEMBER

7.30pm No Powerhouse Prayer Meeting

### WEDNESDAY 2 JANUARY

7.30pm House groups

### THURSDAY 3 JANUARY

7.30pm House groups

### SUNDAY 6 JANUARY

10.15am Prayer in the Prayer Room

10.45am Covenant Service – Roy Burley

7.00pm Evening Service – Peter Gorst

### Powerhouse Prayer Meeting

There will be no prayer meeting on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> or 31<sup>st</sup> December. Please take time to pray at home instead.

### Christmas Post

Please pick up your Christmas cards, and any that you could deliver to neighbours, friends or family. Any uncollected cards will not be delivered.

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*Please note that there will be no new notice sheet until Sunday 6 January.*

## Notices

### Treasurer

Tim will soon reach the end of his 6-year term as BMC Treasurer. We are therefore looking for someone to take over this role. Please pray about this important role, that the right person would be appointed. If you are interested please talk to Tim to find out more about what is involved.

### Flowers

We could use one or two more people on the flower list. If you would be willing to give flowers once or twice a year please see Ruth Midwinter. Thank you.

### Table Tennis

Table Tennis has finished for the Christmas period and will re-start on Tuesday January 8th at 7pm.

### Saturday Soccer and Netball

Football and Netball will restart on 26 January 2019, 10.00am to 11.45am.

### Advance Notice – BMC Chapel Anniversary 10th March 2019

The preacher will be the Reverend Professor Philip McCormack MBE, principal of Spurgeon's College, London, who will be speaking on "Paul and his Revolutionary Church".

### Foodbank donations

Please remember the food bank – you can leave donations in the collection basket in the foyer. Please make sure that items are well inside their "Use By" date.