



The **Methodist** Church

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Easingwold Methodist Church is a Christ-centred community who seek to know and love Him and to make Him known to all. Our Calling is to **Worship** the One God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit: to **grow and develop** as his disciples and to **serve** Him in the local Community and wider world.

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WEEK BEGINNING SUNDAY 6th APRIL 2025

Sunday 6th April

10:30am Morning Worship at Huby Methodist Church

Sunday 13th April

PALM SUNDAY

10:30am Morning Worship led by Mrs Sylvia Bunting

Stewards: Tom & Carolyn Hardie-Forsyth

Saturday 12th April

8:45am Christians Together Prayer Meeting in Vestry

Other things happening this week

Tues	7:30 pm - 9:00 pm	Easingwold Singers	Hall
Thurs	2:30 pm - 3:30 pm	Charity Meeting	Vestry

It is with sadness we have to let you know that Colin died this week. Our thoughts and prayers go to Daphne and family.

Easter Sunday Breakfast at 08.30am

Please sign up if you would like to join us. Or contact a steward. Help is also needed to set up on Saturday morning and serve on Easter morning. *Jocelyn*

Myanmar Earthquake

The Property & Finance Committee, on behalf of Church Council, has this week sent a donation of £500 towards the Myanmar Emergency Appeal being run by All We Can, the Methodist charity for international development and relief.

CRAFT TEA Wednesday 16th April 1.45pm-4.00pm

April's session will be a collage project to decorate flat cardboard balloons for the Church's 50th Anniversary to be held on the weekend 17th - 18th May.

Please bring pieces of brightly coloured/sparkly wrapping paper, scissors, pencil and a glue stick.

As usual there will be plenty of materials for everyone to share.

Come and join us!

Or bring your own project to work on.

Or join us for tea/biscuits and a chat!

Cost £2.00. Open To All

Social Group Outing to Burnby Hall Gardens, Tulip Festival Tuesday 6th May 2025

Travel by public transport or car.

A list for names and travel times is on the church notice board.

Safeguarding

Dates and venues of the next foundation and advanced safeguarding training are on the church safeguarding notice board.

This training is to be undertaken every 4 years. If you are unsure of when you last did a training course please speak to Caroline.

Together Constantly in Prayer

Today is Passion Sunday.

We remember, Lord, that you walked this earth, flesh and blood like us, knowing that your time here would be fleeting.

A sense of urgency to share your love and wisdom perhaps?

But no, you walked purposefully, as if you had all the time in the world as God's plan unfolded before us.

Thank you for coming and showing us what God, the Father, is really like.

We thank you for walking the path of the passion and redeeming us through your sacrifice for all mankind. Amen

Lord God, we lift up to you the people of South East Asia where more than 2,000 people have lost their lives after the devastating earthquake. Most of these casualties occurred in Myanmar where the people were already suffering from four years of civil war. We ask for your help for a people who have suffered so much. God of mercy, hear our prayer.

Based on Ecclesiastes 3

God's Good Time

Our measurements of time are based upon
the movements of the Earth, the moon, the Sun;
to which we add the seconds, minutes, hours –
inventions of ingenious human powers.

We capture time, we think, in silver clocks,
and bind it up in diaries with brass locks.
We live by schedule and timetable slot,
which make us feel in charge – but we are not.

(Opening two verses of a poem by Peter Dainty)

Notices for week beginning 13th April 2025:

Please contact Carolyn on 01347 822787 or
e-mail carolyn.hardie@gmail.com by 11.00am on Friday.