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# Monthly Newsletter

## April 2025



Serving the  
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1880

## Sunday Services in April

Everyone is Welcome

**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup>**

**10.30am Service**

*Luke 22:1-6*

**6.00pm Communion Service**

*Luke 20:9-19*

**Palm Sunday 13<sup>th</sup>**

**10.30am Service**

*Mark 11:1-11*

**6.00pm Service**

*Zechariah 9:9-17*

**Easter Sunday 20<sup>th</sup>**

**10.30am Service**

*Matthew 28:1-10*

**6.00pm Service**

*John 20:1-23*

**Earth Sunday Celebrations - Sunday 27<sup>th</sup>**

**10.30am Communion Service**

*Matthew 28:16-20*

**6.00pm Service**

*Mark 16:9-20*

*Unless otherwise stated Services are led by  
Our Pastor, Rev. Phil Denyer*



## Weekly Meetings

**Sunday:** Morning Service 10.30am  
(Includes Sunday Club for the Young Ones)

Evening Service 6.00pm

**Tuesday:** Ladies Group 2.00-4.00pm  
(Resumes 11th February)  
Copper City Chorus 7.00-9.00pm

**Wednesday:** Knitters & Natters – Church Fellowship Group  
10.00am-12noon

Prayer Service 6.30pm

**Thursday:** Parents & Tots 9.30-11.30am

Bible Study 6.30-9.00pm

**Saturday:** Talking Box, Men's Health 10.00am-12noon  
(2nd & 4th Saturday of every month)

*Cuppa & Chat / Prayer available whenever we are in  
the building*

**Please take this newsletter home  
and use it during the coming days / weeks.**

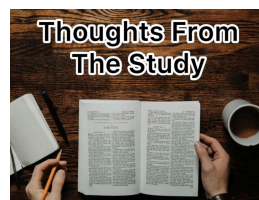
## Bible Word Search - Palm Sunday

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I Y O N O S E P  
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R D L E I T J D  
Y B M Y P I E E  
S U S E J W R B

Bethany, Blessed, Crowd, Jesus, Lord,  
Palm, Parade, Rejoice, Victory, Witness,  
Worship

C R J L K I N G  
R I E P O O Y G  
O S S J I R A D  
S E U S O R D O  
S R S T M I A N  
I I C E S E C K  
M I N G R A C E  
V T D W O R C Y

Cross, Crowd, Donkey, Garment, Grace,  
Jesus, King, Lord, Mission, Rejoice, Rise,  
Victory



### From the Study Matthew 28:19 (Amplified Bible)

***Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations [help the people to learn of Me, believe in Me, and obey My words], baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.***

‘Remember, Remember the 5th of November.’

Most people in the United Kingdom will know the importance of that date in history (if you don’t, then I encourage you to look it up), however no-one knows the exact date of the most important event in history, the Crucifixion of Jesus of Nazareth. For many, even many church people, Good Friday will come and go as if just another day; and Easter Sunday will be a traditional giving of chocolate eggs (no longer called Easter eggs by many brands).

The day that changed the world, history and eternity has become meaningless to a world which so desperately needs to remember it. Jesus commands His followers (the Church, Christians) to ‘***Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations [help the people to learn of Me, believe in Me, and obey My words], baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit***’ (Amplified Bible).

The world needs to remember before they spend eternity regretting. Jesus died to pay the price for our sins, please don’t throw that back in His face; and do everything possible to lead others to know and accept that truth, remembering the joy of Easter is not in a chocolate egg, but in an Empty Tomb.

Be blessed and **be a blessing** this month in Jesus name,

*Pastor Phil.*

***Lord Jesus, please help us to be faithful to You in all things.  
Thank You Lord, Amen.***

## Helpful Contacts and Information



Aenon Baptist Church Website

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[www.biblegateway.com](http://www.biblegateway.com)



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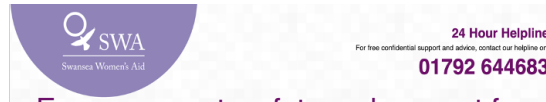
YouVersion [Website www.youversion.com](http://www.youversion.com)

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[www.papyrus-uk.org](http://www.papyrus-uk.org)



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Call on 01792 304519

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Rev. Chris Lewis 01792 - 412755  
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Reg Charity No 1163300

### OPENING TIMES

**FRIDAY from 11am until 1pm**  
Contributions will be welcome during the  
above times, or on a Thursday from 6-8pm

### LOCATION

**Mount Zion Baptist Chapel**  
**Mansel Road**  
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# Bible in One Year Reading Plan

## April Readings

	Old Testament	New Testament	Psalms	Proverbs
01	Deuteronomy 18:1-20:20	Luke 9:28-50	Psalms 73:1-28	Proverbs 12:10
02	Deuteronomy 21:1-22:30	Luke 9:51-10:12	Psalms 74:1-23	Proverbs 12:11
03	Deuteronomy 23:1-25:19	Luke 10:13-37	Psalms 75:1-10	Proverbs 12:12-14
04	Deuteronomy 26:1-27:26	Luke 10:38-11:13	Psalms 76:1-12	Proverbs 12:15-17
05	Deuteronomy 28:1-68	Luke 11:14-36	Psalms 77:1-20	Proverbs 12:18
06	Deuteronomy 29:1-30:20	Luke 11:37-12:7	Psalms 78:1-31	Proverbs 12:19-20
07	Deuteronomy 31:1-32:27	Luke 12:8-34	Psalms 78:32-55	Proverbs 12:21-23
08	Deuteronomy 32:28-52	Luke 12:35-59	Psalms 78:56-64	Proverbs 12:24
09	Deuteronomy 33:1-29	Luke 13:1-21	Psalms 78:65-72	Proverbs 12:25
10	Deuteronomy 34:1- Joshua 2:24	Luke 13:22-14:6	Psalms 79:1-13	Proverbs 12:26
11	Joshua 3:1-4:24	Luke 14:7-35	Psalms 80:1-19	Proverbs 12:27-28
12	Joshua 5:1-7:15	Luke 15:1-32	Psalms 81:1-16	Proverbs 13:1
13	Joshua 7:16-9:2	Luke 16:1-18	Psalms 82:1-8	Proverbs 13:2-3
14	Joshua 9:3-10:43	Luke 16:19-17:10	Psalms 83:1-18	Proverbs 13:4
15	Joshua 11:1-12:24	Luke 17:11-37	Psalms 84:1-12	Proverbs 13:5-6
16	Joshua 13:1-14:15	Luke 18:1-17	Psalms 85:1-13	Proverbs 13:7-8
17	Joshua 15:1-63	Luke 18:18-43	Psalms 86:1-17	Proverbs 13:9-10
18	Joshua 16:1-18:28	Luke 19:1-27	Psalms 87:1-7	Proverbs 13:11
19	Joshua 19:1-20:9	Luke 19:28-48	Psalms 88:1-18	Proverbs 13:12-14
20	Joshua 21:1-22:20	Luke 20:1-26	Psalms 89:1-13	Proverbs 13:15-16
21	Joshua 22:21-23:16	Luke 20:27-47	Psalms 89:14-37	Proverbs 13:17-19
22	Joshua 24:1-33	Luke 21:1-28	Psalms 89:38-52	Proverbs 13:20-23
23	Judges 1:1-2:9	Luke 21:29-22:13	Psalms 90:1-91:16	Proverbs 13:24-25
24	Judges 2:10-3:31	Luke 22:14-34	Psalms 92:1-93:5	Proverbs 14:1-2
25	Judges 4:1-5:31	Luke 22:35-53	Psalms 94:1-23	Proverbs 14:3-4
26	Judges 6:1-40	Luke 22:54-23:12	Psalms 95:1-96:13	Proverbs 14:5-6
27	Judges 7:1-8:17	Luke 23:13-43	Psalms 97:1-98:9	Proverbs 14:7-8
28	Judges 8:18-9:21	Luke 23:44-24:12	Psalms 99:1-9	Proverbs 14:9-10
29	Judges 9:22-10:18	Luke 24:13-53	Psalms 100:1-5	Proverbs 14:11-12
30	Judges 11:1-12:15	John 1:1-28	Psalms 101:1-8	Proverbs 14:13-14

MEDITATE ON GOD'S WORD

DAY AND NIGHT

Joshua 1:8







**If you would like to learn more about  
Baptism and Church Membership  
please speak with Pastor Phil**

**We were therefore buried with him through baptism into death  
in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through  
the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life.  
(Romans 6:4)**

**Aenon  
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## Bra Bank

We understand that it's not easy to find affordable underwear, so we're here to help.

Our Bra Bank collects unwanted bras, both new and old. We send them to places where underwear is very expensive, so they can be reused.

Even if a bra is not suitable for wearing, we make sure it doesn't go to waste. We recycle the parts and donate the money to Breast Cancer research.

If you need a Bra Bank at your workplace or school, let us know.

You can also drop off your unwanted bras with us, and we'll take care of everything.

GET HELP

GET INVOLVED



## ECO-CHURCH

Earth Day is marked on 22<sup>nd</sup> April each year - it began in 1970 in the United States, and is now marked around the world. It is about celebrating our natural world, which is precious and incredible, and is constantly evolving. The World Wildlife Fund's website has stacks of interesting facts about different species as part of its Earth Day information. Here's just a few examples, but go and explore for yourself!

Puffins - they can dive down to 60 meters into the water to catch their prey. One puffin was recorded holding 83 small sandeels in its bill at once!

Hedgehogs - There are approximately 5,000-7,000 spines on an average adult hedgehog and they have a top speed of 9.5km/h - around 5mph, albeit only for short bursts!

UK woodlands - In 2022, woodland covered 32,400 sq km of the UK; or 13% of the UK's land. Around 4,000 million tonnes of carbon are stored in UK forests, 70% is in the soil.

However.....

- \* The UK's puffin population is predicted to nosedive by up to 90% in the next 30 years.
- \* While it is difficult to accurately monitor exact hedgehog numbers, evidence indicates they could be down by over half in rural areas and a third in urban areas since 2000.
- \* 1,225 of the UK's ancient woods are currently under threat from development, overgrazing, air pollution and the spread of invasive species such as rhododendron.

## ECO-CHURCH (Continued ...)

(City Nature Challenge (25<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> April))

There is also the City Nature Challenge, which is a global initiative started in 2016, and by now thousands of cities like Amsterdam, Bhopal, Cape Town, Lahore, Madrid, Toronto, Zaragoza, Salzburg, as well as many in the UK, including Swansea participate. Residents are challenged to help record nature in their city and so between April 26 and 29th, we can all help collect information about trees, plants & animals, contributing to conservation efforts in our area! You can participate by yourself, with your family or as part of a group. So if you're going for a walk, you can contribute - simply snap wildlife pictures between those dates and upload them on the iNaturalist app by May 5th.

I'm reminded of a composition by Graham Kendrick (in 1986) which helps us remember who this earth belongs to and why we need to care for it, drawn from Psalm 23.

The earth is the Lord's, And everything in it  
The earth is the Lord's, The work of His hands  
The earth is the Lord's, And everything in it  
And all things were made for His glory

The mountains are His, the seas and the islands  
The cities and towns, the houses and streets  
Let rebels bow down and worship before Him  
For all things were made for His glory.

Delyth Higgins