### **PARKSTONE URC**

#### Prayer

Generous God,

We look back over the years and give thanks:

- for those who have given faithfully year after year
- for those who have campaigned fearlessly for justice
- for those who have administered resources honestly and ensured they have gone to those in greatest need.

We look back over the years and give thanks:

- for women who have lifted themselves and their families out of poverty
- for children given the chance of education
- for young people who have found new meaning in life
- for farmers who have learnt new skills
- for traders whose businesses have been strengthened.

#### Generous God,

- We look forward into the future.
- We do not know what lies ahead;
- we are afraid of the damage that may be done by climate change or the effects of war or politics or finance
- But we trust you.
- We know that this is your world for which you gave your Son and you enfold it in your everlasting arms.

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If you want to know more or would like to use our building for your activity, please contact : James Whately—Minster 01202 813908 Mark Phillips—Centre Manager 07980 002676 Barbara Carter—Church Secretary—01202 749247 Gina Bullock — Treasurer 07811 240508 Catherine Phillips — Children & Family Worker 07486 375104

### Welcome to

# PARKSTONE URC

2022



Parkstone United Reformed Church Parkstone Community Centre Commercial Road Poole BH14 0JW

> 01202 733580 www.parkstoneurc.co.uk

# PARKSTONE URC



We are really glad you have joined us today here at Parkstone United Reformed Church.

We are a small group of people who feel that::

'The people of Parkstone United Reformed Church are here to share God's love for all.'



Parkstone United Reformed Church

We will serve all within the community by sharing our faith through worship, people, resources, and buildings.

Our Harvest offerings

We will welcome and care for all those we meet.

We will explore what our belief means in our lives today through different styles of worship, as we are led by the Holy Spirit.

We will continue our long history of challenging the injustices we see in our society today. To grow by working together with our partners, local churches and other organisations.

We will treasure God's gift of creation, as we experience it. Because of this understanding of who we are and what we are here for we welcome many groups and organisations to use these buildings, our home.



#### Service Times every Sunday 10.30am

1st Sunday - Morning Worship 2nd Sunday - Morning Worship with Communion 3rd Sunday - Morning Worship 4th Sunday - Morning Worship 5th Sunday - Morning Worship 9.45am morning prayer weekdays in Vestry

Messy Church in October, our theme was Harvest

#### PURC

### WHO USES OUR BUILDINGS?

#### Activities for Children - Please let others know

**Explorers** is our Sunday children's church aimed at primary school age children. We explore different bible stories and celebrations though craft, song, prayer, reading and activities.

We begin in the church and then move to the cafe space and begin exploring together.

Parents / carers must attend the church service.

Please contact our children's and families' worker Catherine on 07486375104 or <u>cafw\_parkstoneurc@yahoo.com</u> for further information. Link on the church website <u>https://parkstoneurc.co.uk/#carousel\_dc32</u>

#### Baby bees support hive Friday 10am-11am Starts back in September

This group is a friendly Christian baby group offering a warm welcome, varied selection of toys and activities each week, plus refreshments for parent/carer.

Baby bees support group is for non crawlers and is a safe space for you to form friendships with other parents with similar age babies and support each other through the early stages of having a new baby.

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Link on the church website https://parkstoneurc.co.uk/#carousel\_ad87

(Postponed at the moment) Busy Bees at PURC - Toddler group - Thursday mornings 10am-11.30am term time , Suggested donation of £1.50 per family Contact Catherine Phillips 01202 733580



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#### **Alcohol Anonymous**

National Helpline 0800 917 7650 www.alcoholics-anonymous.org.uk Alcoholics Anonymous has over 4,440 groups and 1,600 online meetings throughout Great Britain dedicated to helping those with a serious alcohol problem learn how to stay sober. Groups are made up of people from all walks of life and all age groups. Through friendship and mutual support, members assist each other in coping which is made easier by meeting face to face or on-line, others with the same problem. There are no dues or fees for membership and anonymity is carefully preserved. Anyone who believes they have a drink problem can contact Alcoholics Anonymous by using the helpline number above or email; help@aamail.org Further information may be obtained from the web-site above or from the General Service Office at the address below. For information: P.O. Box 1, 10 Toft Green, York. YO1 7NJ Tel: 01904 644 026

#### **OTHER GROUPS:** CA & NA group (drug addiction) here at Parkstone URC.

**Bipolar** (1st Wednesday of the month)

Please email Verity at purcoffice@gmail.com if you need more information on these above groups or contact the office for more details 01202 733580

#### Soup

Poole Soup is a fun and engaging way to support local projects seeking funding. Organised by Michael Hancock. Ring 01202 733580 for more details of forthcoming events

**Cooking Club** coming soon on pantry days waiting for more information organised by Poole Community Exchange Please contact Mark Phillips on 07980 002676 or email in office

**Community Meal Coming soon**. Please contact Mark Phillips

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**Messy Church** is a place where carers, children

07486375104 Due to COVID at the moment



and young people meet together to learn more about God and enjoy fellowship together in an informal setting. Messy Church meets every fourth Monday of the month between 3.45 - 6.00p.All children and young people are welcome with a carers whilst adults are also welcome with their children. For more information contact our Family and Children's Worker Catherine Phillips

on Our celebration time during our October Messy Church Collect messy church craft packs from the

church on 3rd Monday, Wednesday and Friday of the month between 12-2pm

Quiet Contemplation led by Rev James Whately, Wednesdays at 2pm in the church. Everyone is Welcome

Ekklesia/Poole New Monastics, Justice Church 01202 733580 for more details for Mark

#### **Poole Borough Chaplaincy**

Pastoral Support for employees of the Borough of Poole, Poole Pantry and local community Contact Mark Phillips telephone: 07980002676 email m.phillips@poole.gov.uk



#### Flippers

The Borough Of Poole Day Care facility for employees children. Alison Rosson alison.ross@bcpcouncil.gov.uk or phone





01202 262525

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**Footprints** is a mentoring project supporting those newly released from prison. For more information **Contact Stuart Dearborn** 



stuart@footprintsproject.co.uk. Moved to a different location

**The Citizen Advice Bureau** now have their bus outside PURC every Wednesday 1pm-4pm and Friday 10am-4pm for people to drop in

#### (Postponed) Art Workshop with David

The Art Workshop is a welcome break from everyday hustle and bustle. Where beginners, improvers as well as professional visual artists come along to share skills in an informal atmosphere. Painting and chat over a coffee under the guidance of local artist David Harvey, contact at dave@priorvart.com On ZOOM at present



#### The Poole Pantry FREE MEMBERSHIP We are open on:

*Monday, Wednesday, Friday 12- 2pm, We help anyone on a low income to eat a balanced & nutritional diet by accessing food at an affordable price from a membership-based community pantry. Meat, Fish, Vegetables, Fruit and more...* 

**Parkstone United Reformed Church**, Commercial Road, Poole BH14 OJW (on M1/M2 Bus route, Ashley Cross, opposite what was Tyreland Parkstone - Team Protyre)



A bag of up to 10 items with a retail value of up to £15 for a suggested donation of £5, additional bakery/ fruit/ veg available For more information, please call Mark (0798 000 2676), the office (01202 733 580) or email us at <u>mark.phillips@bcpcouncil.gov.uk</u> or <u>poolecommunityexchange@gmail.com</u>

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Parkstone School of Traditional Karate Monday evenings . For more details contact Andy Barber Telephone 01202 568742 or 07753 765970 or info@parkstonekarate.com Booking is essential



**Chair Yoga** *started here Tuesday 21st September 2021 with yoga teacher Louise Trew www.yogaforbacks.co.uk . email Louise for more details louise.trew@hotmail.com* 

**Elemental Tai Chi (***Wednesday mornings* 9.15*am*-10.30*am For more details contact* <u>**Robert@elemental-taichi.co.uk**</u> or <u>www.elemental-</u> <u>taichi.co.uk</u> or mobile 07915083301

#### **Death café**

Death café is a friendly space to chat and explore issues around Death and Dying. This is secular without any link to a faith or religion. Refreshments including tea and homemade cake are offered as we recognize that Death is a difficult subject!. We meet monthly 7pm-8.30pm To find out more call Tracy on **07926271712** or email <u>tracymblake68@gmail.com</u>

**Pilates** - with Paula Trowbridge –Thursday evenings 5.30pm-7.30pm in the Church Sanctuary .Contact Paula <u>pbpilates@hotmail.co.uk</u> or mobile 07968 265903 Booking essential maximum 12 peoples per group

**Swish of the Curtain Théâtre school** *starting in September 2022* For more information Contact :01202 418999 info@swishofthecurtain.com

The Women's Institute (meets 2nd Wednesday of the month at 7.15pm for 7.30pm - 9pm parkstonewisecretary@yahoo.com

