# **Upminster Methodist Church**

23 March 2025

### **Sunday 23 March**

**10am** - Mrs Regina Coleman Junior Church

**7pm** - Contemplative Worship on Zoom

10am Zoom Link

## Sunday 30 March Mothering Sunday

10am - Rev Rachel Read

**7pm** - Contemplative Worship on Zoom



#### **Church Flowers**

This week the flowers have been donated by Eileen Larrington



## **Family news**

#### Stella

Wishing Stella a very happy birthday for Tuesday this week. Stella would very much welcome visitors which are helping her with her recovery process. Please let Anne Ling know if you are able to visit. Visitors are an important part of Stella's rehabilitation so please visit if you are able.

### **Doris Taylor**

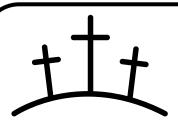
Doris's funeral will be held on Friday 11 April at 11am at the Church.

#### **Rev Rohama Asif**

Rohama is still unwell and will be off work for another month, she would welcome cards and letters but nothing work related please.

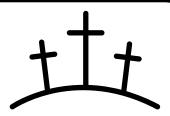
## This week let us pray for:

- the start of Spring thankfulness for the longer days, the new growth around us and the sunshine we have enjoyed this week.
- our Circuit Ministerial and admin team at this time during Lent snd the lead up to Easter.
- the work of the NHS, the nurses, doctors and other medically trained staff that are trying desperately to keep the service running as smoothly as they are able to.



## **Walk of Witness**

# Good Friday 18th April



meeting in the Wesley Hall for coffee at 9.00am leaving at 9.30am to walk to either the park if weather permitting or Trinity Church if the weather is not good.

#### Link to Hope 2025

# It's time to start collecting for our 2025 shoeboxes.

Please add scarves, gloves and hats to the box under the table in the welcome area at the back of the church.

New knitted items or items found in the spring sales will be great.

# Circuit Events Everyone Welcome

26th March - Lenten Bible Study at Gidea Park at 11am to noon 26th March - Lenten Bible Study on Zoom at 7.30pm 29th March - Study Day at Harold Wood at 9.30am

#### **Contactless Card Machine**

We have a card machine set up at the back of the Church. This allows you to donate to Church funds without having to use cash.

All you need to do is select your amount, tap your card and you can Gift Aid your donation too!

The URL for the Dona website to make gifts to UMC is:

https://donate.mydona.com/upminstermethodist-church

The QR code to do the same is:

Contact details and Further Information

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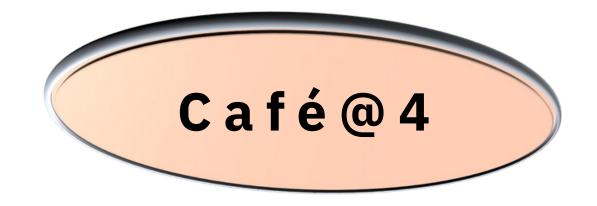
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To submit event details or news for the weekly newsletter, please send the information to upminster.newsletter@gmail.com by Friday morning.

Thank you.



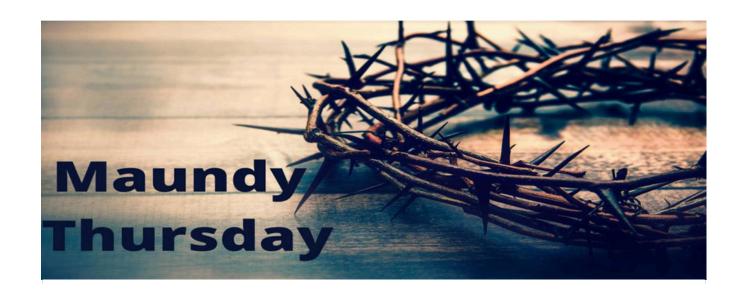
FOR EVERYONE ...ALL AGES.....FAMILY FUN FOOD....ACTIVITIES....WORSHIP......SONGS



WESLEY HALL
UPMINSTER METHODIST
CHURCH
HALL LANE RM14 1AE
SUNDAY 6TH APRIL @ 4PM



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# Come and join with us as we share the meaning of Maundy Thursday April 17th

Contemplative service 12 noon – 1.30pm CMOP Clockhouse Lane, Collier Row RM5 3QP

(Please advise Eleanor at nellie2010@virginmedia.com or Sarah Jane at sarahjanerigby5@gmail.com if you are attending)

Evening service 7.30pm

Rainham Methodist Church Wennington Road, Rainham RM13 9DE

Services led by Circuit Staff

## A Play By Gail Young

performed by
The Wesley Players
at Upminster Methodist Church,
10 Hall Lane, Upminster, RM14 1AE

A group of friends embark on a charity moonwalk for Breast cancer.

Hilary, Siobhan, Yvonne, Vicky and Maggie are attempting to walk thirteen miles across

London in their decorated bras and posh new trainers, but the sixth member of the team

doesn't seem to meet the physical criteria.

Follow the ladies in this thought-provoking comedy to support a cause close to many hearts.

Times/Dates:
Thursday 15th May to Saturday 17thMay 2025 at 8pm

Tickets:

Online: £9 Adults (16+), £7 Conc and £5 Children On door: £10 Adults (16+), £8 Conc and £6 Children Senior Citizens FREE on Thursday and Friday Shows

Location:

Upminster Methodist Church, 10 Hall lane, Upminster, RM14 1AE

Book in advance at <u>www.wesley-players.com</u>