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## Cornerstone Methodist Church

LONDON ROAD, HORSHAM -PARTRIDGE GREEN-ST ANDREW'S, ROFFEY

The monthly news for   
Cornerstone **Methodist Church**

*Embracing the worshipping communities at  
London Road Horsham, Partridge Green  
and St Andrews Roffey*

part of the **Gatwick and Mole Valley Circuit** of the **Methodist Church**

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## *A Word from one of our Ministers*

Friends,

I was struck by a hymn that Clive Falla used in the service at St Andrews on Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> April, “The Church’s One Foundation” but when I got home and wanted to read the words again in *Singing the Faith*, I discovered that the verse which had made me think wasn’t actually in the hymn book: it had been omitted. The editors have chosen to omit a verse which talks about the church being under duress and challenged, and I began to wonder why they might have made that decision. Perhaps they thought congregations would be uneasy to sing about such things. Unfortunately that is the reality of life, though, and we cannot sweep under the carpet the most challenging and disturbing of circumstances when it suits us.

Cornerstone is in a liminal space: things are changing, and we are slightly uncomfortable with that. We don’t know what the future holds, and we feel the tugs to the past, with varying degrees of strength. Some of us remember with fondness all that has gone on in our chapels in the past, and we feel sadness and perhaps regret that life is different now. Others look at the same picture and see only opportunities. But there is room for both.

I have been here only 4 and a half years and yet I have seen great change in the life of the three churches to which I was appointed, so those who have been here for decades and even half a century will have seen so much more. I can only speak of that which I have witnessed: the three churches brought into Cornerstone and the work around that, the decision to explore the new Circuit arrangements and the changes that that brings too, Rev Gavin’s decision to sit down, and the appointment of Rev Tony to the new Superintendency of the Gatwick and Mole Valley Circuit – and that change of name – changes too as new preachers and new ways of doing things are introduced.

Some of what is being felt just now is grief. We can hold that grief, but we can’t let it destroy us.

I have worked with volunteers here and in Cumbria to deliver The Bereavement Journey course to many participants now, and we realise grief affects us all differently. Grief is a word that is most often used when we experience the aching loss of someone we have loved, but it is also applicable for use when we are thinking of other kinds of losses: when we lose our stability, when we lose a sense of who we are in our context, when our familiar rhythms and routines are changed and we have lost an anchoring point.

Decisions are being made now that will fundamentally change how Cornerstone operates on its three sites: we have no choice but to explore significant alterations to the way we live out our faith in Horsham and Partridge Green. The church is eating into its reserves at a desperate rate, and the list of building repairs needed seems to grow every time the Church Council meets. Methodism is not the denomination it was a century ago, and Cornerstone's constituent chapels have held on throughout really challenging circumstances, because the congregations have been faithful and determined.

I believe that we are faithful and determined still.

I believe that the congregations are faithful to the words of Paul in 1 Corinthians 12.12-18 when he talks about the **whole** congregation being needed for the body of Christ to be effective in the world: I believe that we can pull together to pray faithfully into these situations and trust God to bring the church through the challenges it faces today. Church unity is important. I believe, though, that we understand some of the fear that the Israelites had when they were trapped between Pharaoh's chariots and the Red Sea (Exodus 14.5-14) and it could be said that we stand now between the memories of the past glories and the fear of what the future might bring. But I think also of the priests carrying the Ark of the Covenant in Joshua 3: they had to step into the raging waters of the Jordan when it was in full flood before it would stop so that the whole people of Israel could pass over. We have been talking about the future for a few years now, but the time is upon us now when we must step into the water. Step into the water and trust God.

I don't think any of the Israelites had a clear idea of what the land on the other side of the Jordan would look like for them, any more than Cornerstone knows what the actual outcome of the decisions that must be made this year will be. However, in both the Exodus and the Joshua stories I have reflected upon, God urges God's people to move forward. Remember Lot's wife? We can honour the past and give thanks for all that God has done, but ultimately, we must move forward.

Realising that this is difficult territory to be in right now, I want to assure you that Rev Tony and I are available and willing to sit with you in whatever you are feeling now: we want to hear from you, however you are. You can phone or email us, and we will listen. Remember that there are within the Psalms some of the most angst-ridden songs of lament: the Bible gives us permission to feel all the ways we do. It is not necessary to put on a brave face if all within you is in turmoil.

What is ours to do?

Pray earnestly. Listen and confer wisely. Support those who must make ultimate decisions. Be ready to pray with and over the Church Council and Leadership Team as they take responsibility for decisions. Think carefully about our contributions and our activities in church life. Be encouraged to step out in faith, following Jesus Christ as we are called to do, as is our delight.

# PASTORAL



*We remember all our friends  
who at this time are in need of  
our support and prayers*



## SUNDAY SERVICES



### 3rd May

PG	Revd Tony Cavanagh	10.30am	Communion
StAR & LR	Deacon Sarah Eastol	09.30am	Breakfast Church
StAR & LR	Deacon Sarah Eastol	10.30am	<b>Worship Together</b>

### 10th May

LR	Revd Baalham	10.30am	Communion
PG	Jay Dunning	10.30am	
StAR	Rhys Frost	10.30am	
LR	Open Table	4.30pm	

### 17th May

LR	‘ Mr John Wesley ‘	10.30am	<b>Worship Together at LR</b>
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### Pentecost 24th May

LR	Deacon Sarah Eastol	10.30am	
PG	L A	10.30am	
StAR	Revd Tony Cavanagh	10.30am	Communion

### 31st May

LR	Christine Lawley	10.30am	Creative Worship
PG	NO SERVICE TODAY		
StAR	Ian George	10.30am	




## **Ascension Day 14th May**




## **Pentecost 24th May**



Seeking to follow Jesus in Community, Love and Service  
*We are a community of people seeking to follow Jesus, experiencing and sharing  
God's love and grace through worship, learning, caring and serving in our  
communities and beyond.*





# PRAYER MEETINGS 2026

A bi-monthly, prayer-focused service for the Gatwick & Mole Valley Circuit. We gather online to pray together, share scripture, and listen for God's leading in our Circuit and beyond. Individuals are welcome to join from home, and churches are encouraged to gather locally and join together.

**Get the link by emailing:**  
[admin@gvmethodists.org.uk](mailto:admin@gvmethodists.org.uk)

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**29th March**  
**31st May**  
 26th July  
 27th September  
 29th November

## 6pm

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[www.gvmethodists.org.uk/](http://www.gvmethodists.org.uk/)



The Good Friday Walk at Partridge Green

A portrait of John Wesley, an elderly man with long, wavy white hair, wearing a dark coat and a white cravat. He is looking slightly to the right with a gentle expression.

# Wesley Weekend

16 & 17<sup>th</sup> May 2026

Cornerstone  
London Road  
Methodist Church,  
Horsham,  
RH12 1AN

*Saturday 16th*

5pm Radio Play "The Wesley Story"  
followed by an optional meal at 6.30pm,  
£5 for the play, £10 for both

*Sunday 17th*

Worship Together at London Road led by  
'Reverend John Wesley' at 10.30am  
followed by a Bring And Share lunch in  
Wesley Hall

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**CORNERSTONE METHODIST CHURCH ST ANDREWS CHAPEL**

*formerly* **ST. ANDREWS METHODIST CHURCH HORSHAM**

*formerly* **ROFFEY METHODIST CHURCH**

*formerly* **ROFFEY PRIMITIVE METHODIST CHURCH**

*formerly* **CRAWLEY ROAD PRIMITIVE METHODIST CHURCH**

*formerly* **STAR ROAD MISSION HALL**

Modern Roffey is on what was once the northern part of the Horsham Common and was the manor of Roffey [ along with the manors of Horsham Hawksbourne and Marlepost ] in 1812-3 the act of enclosure gave most of it to the Duke of Norfolk and a part to Robert Hurst.

For most of its life there were just a handful of houses built along the south of the road to Crawley, just above the Star Inn. There were a number of farm houses dotted around and three houses around the bend in the road . The houses were set at right angles to the road ,one is still there today .

A few yards down the road below the Star Inn the workhouse was built in 1844. The area around the workhouse had begun to develop and houses were spreading up the road. Between 1813 and 1844 several houses were being built near the Star Inn and most of the houses being built, particularly in the Star Row area, were built during the second half of the 19th century.

In the year 1877 The Rev. Joseph Dinnock was sent by the General Missionary Committee to open a new mission in Horsham. A cause was founded at the Common, but the ground was not congenial. About a mile and a half from the centre of Horsham, however, several cottages were grouped together like a village, known as 'Star Row'. It was to this very rural place the Reverend Joseph Dinnock looked for a site



to build the mission. Here the intrepid Preacher saw an opportunity and 'struck his claim.

On the 28th August, 1877 Star Road Mission Hall Committee met for the first time and resolved to unite in forming a trust deed for a Primitive Methodist Church there under the supervision of Joseph Dinnock (President).

The ground was secured for a building and the foundation stones were laid in December, 1877 and the church was opened on Good Friday, 1878.

In 1883 a new organ was purchased for £15.

In 1896 the hall at the rear of the church was built for the Sunday School. This consisted of the main hall with two small classrooms. The original buildings were heated by the old 'Tortoise' coke burning stoves, two in the church and one in the hall. The places where the flue pipes went through the roof can still be seen.



In 1913 the oil lamps in the school room were replaced by gas lighting and in November 1921 electric lights were used for the first time and much appreciated.

1927 was Jubilee year and during the month of July, the interior of the chapel was renovated and supplied and fitted a new tinted glass window.

In 1930 for the first time since 1877 the Church was debt free.

With the sale of East Street Chapel over £600 was set aside for Roffey Chapel, and in 1936 the church was enlarged. This included a vestry, organ loft, pulpit, choir stalls and boiler house. The pipe organ was obtained from East St. Chapel (it was dated 1894) and central heating was introduced.



The Church reopened in September 1936.

On 28th Feb.1938 the church was registered for Public Worship and an inquiry was made as to whether it was registered for marriages. Information was again asked for in 1940 and it was registered for solemnizing of marriages in 1943. This was with a registrar being present.

Finally in 1956 an application was granted by the Registrar General that the resident Minister or any other person appointed by the Trustees could be the authorised person for marriages in the church.

The next major alteration was in 1960. The existing classrooms were converted into a stage and a new frontage to house a small kitchen on one side and toilet facilities on the other. The heating of the hall was changed to overhead electric heating, although four years later a new oil fired boiler was installed to heat both church and hall. The new extension was opened in June, 1960.

The building of a new porch was first considered in 1938 but in the following year it was not possible to proceed with the porch because the County Council would not allow any extension beyond the limit of the then present porch.



However, thirty one years on in 1970 the next major alterations took place. This included the new frontage, sanctuary, seating arrangements and extension to school hall.

A new organ was purchased as the old organ was beyond repair. The new organ was dedicated to the memory of Mr. J. W. Gatley who was organist for 48 years.

In 1977 a new kitchen was built on the side of the hall and was opened by the Circuit Minister, Rev. W. Murphy in February. On the 5th June in the same year the centenary of the church was celebrated.

Following the modernisation of the church in 1971 it was renamed St. Andrews Methodist Church, Horsham, thus symbolising the

evangelistic nature of the church.

The church as we see it today was redeveloped in 2014, the completed major renovation project included uncovering a historic circular window at the front of the building and connecting the church and hall into one building.



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**in**  
**HORSHAM**  
**AND ITS SURROUNDING VILLAGES**  
**OVER THE LAST**  
**250 YEARS**

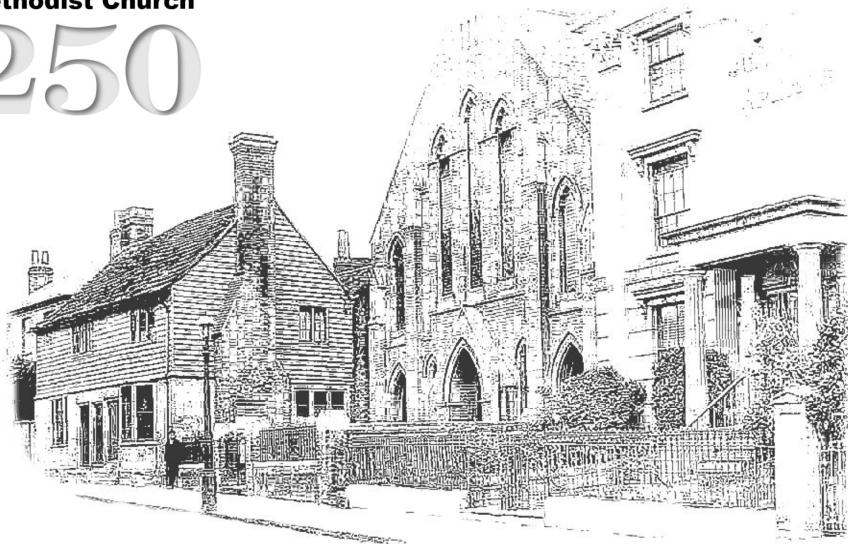


**HORSHAM LIBRARY**  
**11th to 20th May 2026**

*John Wesley*

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## Worshipping Together – Patterns of Worship

At a recent meeting, the Learning and Worship forum reflected on the pattern of our Worshipping Together services, in response to a question about why London Road is always closed on the first Sunday of the month.

The background to this started with the General Church Meeting in January 2025. After this meeting, a Moving Forward Strategy document was agreed by the Church Council which included these two strategies, which the Learning and Worship Forum was tasked with moving forward:

- ◆ developing a pattern of worship as a single mobile Horsham congregation;
- ◆ developing actions to maintain and support the Partridge Green congregation.

The Strategy document was shared with the wider congregation at the General Church Meeting in May when the need to change our patterns of worship was highlighted.

A key motivation behind changing our patterns of worship is the need to embrace a greater sense of our identity as Cornerstone. We are one church and Worshipping Together regularly is helping to build the feeling of a single congregation as people from London Road now help with the welcome, Audio Visual, reading and coffee at St Andrews on the first Sunday of the month. Some people from London Road have been attending Partridge Green on the first Sunday of the month but the sense of being one community is also starting to grow there. At both venues the larger congregations are helping to make our worship more vibrant and uplifting.

The newly established Breakfast Church on the first Sunday of the month was a significant factor in deciding to have the regular Worshipping Together service at St Andrews. This created an opportunity for those who regularly help to resource worship at London Road to participate. In the decision making, there has also been a recognition that, at some point, it may not be possible to worship at London Road, at least for a while due to the building issues.

London Road has been the venue for some Worshipping Together services, including the Covenant Service and the 'Be Still' service when St Andrews, and Partridge Green, were both closed. We have also worshipped together at Partridge Green, most notably at the outdoor Pentecost Service.

Learning and Worship Forum

**CALENDAR**  
**Partridge Green**  
**May**

- 12** **Open Door Club** 2.30pm - 4.00pm
- 14** **Village Café** 2.00pm - 5.00pm
- 26** **Open Door Club** 2.30pm - 4.00pm
- 28** **Messy Church** 10.30am - 1.00pm

**London Road**  
**May**

- 1** **Friday Café** 2.30pm - 4.30pm
- 5** **Tuesday Prayers** 9.30am
- 6** **Toddler Group** 10.00am
- 6** **Wednesday Club** 7.30pm
- 8** **Friday Café** 2.30pm - 4.30pm
- 10** **Sunday Lunch** 12.30pm
- 12** **Tuesday Prayers** 9.30am
- 12** **Crafternoon** 2.00pm
- 13** **Toddler Group** 10.00am
- 15** **Friday Café** 2.30pm - 4.30pm
- 19** **Tuesday Prayers** 09.30am
- 20** **Toddler Group** 10.00am
- 20** **Hearts and Hymns** 3.00pm
- 20** **Wednesday Club** 7.30pm
- 22** **Friday Café** 2.30pm - 4.30pm
- 26** **Tuesday Prayers** 9.30am
- 26** **Crafternoon** 2.00pm
- 27** **Tea and Chat** 2.30pm
- 29** **Friday Café** 2.30pm - 4.30pm

## St Andrews

May

- 4 Mosaic Monday
- 5 Prayers at Church 9.00am *staff prayers—all are welcome*
- 5 Horsham Matters Connecting Café 11.30am—1.30pm
- 6 The Café at St Andrews 10.00am – 12.00pm
- 8 Easy Movers coffee/chat exercise 10.30am to 12.00 noon
- 12 Prayers at Church 9.00am *staff prayers—all are welcome*
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## Hearts & Hymns

Relaxed service with well loved hymns



Every third Wednesday  
afternoon at Cornerstone  
London Road at 3pm,  
followed by tea and cake

Starts 20<sup>th</sup> May

17<sup>th</sup> June  
15<sup>th</sup> July  
19<sup>th</sup> August

A safe space for those affected by dementia

41 London Road, Horsham  
RH12 1AN

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## Connecting Faith and Friendship



**Cornerstone Away Day**

**Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2026**

**10am-3.30pm**

at Trinity Methodist Church, Storrington, RH20 3NG

**Going back to our roots!**

**A fresh perspective on discipleship**

**An exploration of how our Methodist heritage can  
help us to build community in the 21<sup>st</sup> century**

Please come and join us as we spend time together in  
Worship, Fellowship and Discussion

Over the coming weeks there will be more details in the Weekly Notices  
or, to find out more about the day, email

[awayday@cornerstone-mc.org.uk](mailto:awayday@cornerstone-mc.org.uk)

To help us with planning the day,  
please look out for the sign-up sheets  
in each chapel

OR

Sign-up on the link here, or use QR:  
<https://www.zeffy.com/en-GB/ticketing/away-day-going-back-to-our-roots>

Please bring a packed lunch  
Transport available





Horsham Churches Together



**GOOD FRIDAY in the CARFAX**

Sunday 14th June 2026

Service at 5pm in Horsham Park

Bring a picnic from 4pm

**Prayer & Praise**

**IN THE PARK**



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Horsham  
Churches Together

Join us for an afternoon of prayer and praise in the Human Nature Garden, Horsham Park on Sunday 14th June 2026, with live worship music and prayers for our local churches and communities.



# WORLD MISSION

Last year, our president, Rev. Richard Andrew, visited Methodist churches and mission partners in Zambia. He was accompanied by Rev. Ashdown who had planned the tour to introduce Rev. Andrew to the faithful members who preach the gospel and bring hope to people coping with multiple challenges.

The first missionaries arrived in Zambia (then Northern Rhodesia) 250 years ago and 2025 also marked the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the partnership between Protestant Churches, to become the United Church of Zambia. Rev. Andrew was Guest of Honour and preached at the anniversary celebrations held in Mindolo Church, not far from Livingstone town. The UCZ theme for this year is a verse from the Old Testament about men who “understand the times and know what to do” 1 Chronicles 12 v 32



Praise God that the UCZ is growing numerically, but that leads to the need for more pastors and church leaders. Many are willing but few have the skills and bible knowledge needed. Rev. Andrew was invited to the UCZ University of Mindolo, described as a “success story in Church union’ Last year, 42 Ministers graduated and were ordained at churches around the country. However, the fees and logistics prevent the majority of volunteers from applying for training.

Theological Education by Extension was first offered by UCZ in 1979 and opened the way for low cost, local training and Bible studies for all, irrespective of standards reached on previous limited education.

TEE lecturers travel to students in their home settings. This enables them to continue providing for their families and incurs minimal financial outlay or travel time. Also, meeting in small groups for a few days to pray and worship together is encouraging for those who often feel isolated in the remote regions of the country. Over the years the curriculum has adapted to this years’ theme to “understand the times and know what to do”. There are currently 10,000 students annually and courses include, preaching, administration, bible study, worship and Christian education. All are linked to issues such as poverty, abuse, gender inequality, climate change and social justice. Trainers

also need training themselves and can now be linked to the UCZ University via the internet. TEE groups who have access to the internet can add healthcare, sustainable farming and skills training. Also, printed literature can be translated into various mother tongues. More than half the population of Zambia are below 25 yrs of age and 70% of them live in an agricultural context. Providing Church leaders with practical knowledge ensures that the next generation learn “Farming God’s Way’.

The visitors travelled to a rural area north of Lusaka where the Girl’s Secondary School at Chipembi founded by Methodist missionaries in 1926. Last year, it was listed as one of the best boarding schools in Zambia, educating 630 girls from across the country.



Skills development has become as important as head knowledge. South African countries are just recovering from a length drought which had a devastating effect on all forms of life. There is now an agricultural training centre alongside the school. Student learn methods for soil improvement, dry irrigation and hydroponics and have a 160

mega Solar Plant unit to provide the local community with power and sell any excess to the national grids. Rev. Andrew complimented this school as “one of the most inspiring he had ever known” Similar education for boys is developing at Kafue Mission Station.

The visitors were warmly welcomed to Mwandu by our Mission Partners, Ida and Keith Wadell who have invested their lives here since 2008. They have achieved transformation for this impoverished region not far from Zambezi river. During these 18 years since they were stationed at Mwandu they have shared God’s love for these needy families by renovating and extending the original old buildings using local labour with bricks made on site. Updating the equipment and treatment available in the hospital are due to Ida’s dedication. Some old buildings now provide residential care for elderly people and orphan children. The primary school was opened for children of Mission Station staff and now educates 1,220 from the community. All medical and teaching staff come fully trained, but most employees are trained in numerous skills by Keith and Ida. Living standards and health have greatly improved. All vegetables, fruit, dairy products, meat and fish are produced locally.

They reached retirement age last November but have chosen to remain at Mwandu and continue serving in the local church. Ida excels in hospitality as the visitors discovered. Rev. Andrew preached in their church where children sang and danced in praise. Whenever he visited people expressed their gratitude for the ongoing partnership with churches in the U.K.

5<sup>th</sup> May  
African World Heritage Day



Initiated by UNESCO in November 2015, African World Heritage Day is an opportunity for people around the world to celebrate the Continent's unique cultural and natural heritage.

While Africa is underrepresented on the [World Heritage List](#) (African properties account for some 12% of all inscribed sites worldwide), 39% of these properties are on the World Heritage List in Danger. Faced with various contemporary threats, such as climate change, uncontrolled development, poaching, civil unrest and instability, many of Africa's wonders risk losing their outstanding universal value. It is therefore more urgent than ever that this irreplaceable heritage be protected and preserved for the enjoyment of future generations.

UNESCO is committed to spearhead international efforts to draw on the vast potential of Africa's cultural and natural heritage as a force for poverty reduction and social cohesion as well as a driver of sustainable development and innovation. Through this international day, UNESCO aims to increase global awareness of African heritage, with a special focus on youth, and to mobilise enhanced cooperation for its safeguarding on the local, regional and global level.

Currently there are several projects in operation, ranging from improving the biosphere around Lake Chad through the conservation, sustainable exploitation and management of forest sites in Central Africa, into local services such as firefighting courses in Uganda and reconstructing mausoleums in Timbuktu.

Looking more closely at just one of these initiatives, the forests of Central Africa, which cover an area estimated at 1.62 million km<sup>2</sup>, are home to vital biodiversity for the planet and play a central role in climate regulation and carbon sequestration. The presence of eleven natural World Heritage sites in this region testifies to the exceptional importance of these forests for global biodiversity and ecosystem conservation. A living space for more than 30 million inhabitants, the region faces various threats such as poaching, deforestation by agro-industry (oil palm and rubber), illegal exploitation of natural resources (timber, minerals, wildlife, etc.) and infrastructure projects (dams, roads). The conservation, sustainable exploitation and management of forest sites in Central Africa, and in particular in Cameroon, Congo, Gabon and the Central African Republic, have since 2004 benefited from the activities of the Central Africa World Heritage Forest Initiative (CAWHFI), which aims to strengthen the management of protected areas while improving their integration

within the region's various ecological landscapes.

Africa is an amazing continent with so much history, and a vast range of cultures across its many countries. While English is very much a second language in many places, language is historically quite local. For example, South Africa alone has 12 recognised languages: Afrikaans, English, 9 tribal languages, and, amazingly, signing.

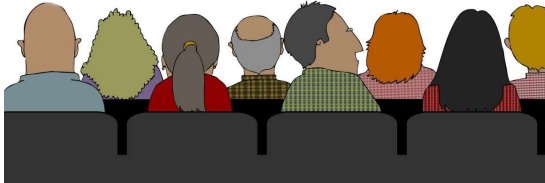
Please pray for African World Heritage Day, and for all the many issues and problems facing this astounding continent.

*Much of the above taken from*

<https://www.unesco.org/en/days/african-world-heritage?hub=180536>

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## WEDNESDAY CLUB



We meet in the Lounge at London Road on the 1st & 3rd Wednesdays of the month at 7.30pm. We are a friendly group of ladies & gentlemen, & are always pleased to welcome visitors. So do come & join us.

**6th May**

**Members Evening**

**20th May**

**Deacon Sarah Eastol**

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London Road on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month from 2.00pm- 4.00pm

*Please bring your own craft or learn a new one*

## The Sunday Lunch at London Road

**10th May  
at 12.30pm**



We welcome those of our Cornerstone family who live alone to join us for lunch on the above date in the Wesley Hall at 12-30 pm. The cost is £6.

To book your place please contact  
Audrey Fowler (261442) or Liz Sear (268075).

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## Toddler Group

**London Road on Wednesdays**  
from 10.00am to 11.30am



A wide variety of toys, books, activities, refreshments and listening ears - parenting can be tricky! No need to book - we look forward to meeting you.

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## Tea and Chat Wednesday 27th May

Tea & Chat meets in Wesley Hall. After a warm welcome it provides the opportunity to meet in a friendly relaxed atmosphere and to chat and enjoy tea, scones and cakes. All are welcome.

Sue Checkland and Liz Sear

**All welcome.**



# PARTRIDGE GREEN

## OPEN DOOR

Our meetings start at 2.30pm and are held in the Church Hall.  
All friends from Cornerstone Methodist Church  
are very welcome.

For further information  
contact Margaret Daniell on 01403 541736

**Tuesday 12th May 2.30pm - 4.00pm**

A History of the Partridge Green Players  
The Book Mark Fisher

**Tuesday 26th May 2.30pm - 4.00pm**

Easy Chair Exercises  
Emma Bowen



This is a club where people can meet and make friends while enjoying a cup of tea and cake. Some optional activities/table games will be available. There will be the occasional speaker or entertainment. We meet alternate Tuesdays and there is a £2 charge.

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## VILLAGE CAFÉ

**2.00pm - 5.00pm**  
**Thursday 14th May**



The Village Café meets takes place on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday afternoon each month  
from 2.00pm until 5.00pm.

**This is an ecumenical project, working with St Michael's Church**  
*( here in Partridge Green )*

All friends from Cornerstone Methodist Church are very welcome.

Refreshments are free, but donations are appreciated, which are used to support  
village organisations.

For further information please contact Margaret Daniell phone 01403 541736

# Born in Song

Cornerstone  
Methodist Church

250

## Competition to write a poem or song

Could you write a spiritual/reflective  
poem or a Christian worship song?

Would you like to perform your work or  
see/hear it performed live at our concert  
on 19 September 2026?



For further details, please:

- scan the QR code or
- visit [www.cornerstone-mc.org.uk/BornInSong](http://www.cornerstone-mc.org.uk/BornInSong)

Closing date for entries: **Sunday, 28 June 2026**

Cornerstone Methodist Church is a registered charity number 1134052





Chairman of Horsham District Council visiting Partridge Green's  
**VILLAGE CAFE**  
on Thursday 12th March

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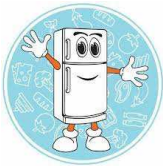
Messy Church at St Andrews

Sunday 17th May 3.00pm - 5.00pm.

Messy Church at Partridge Green

Thursday 28th May 10.30am - 1.00pm

'Pentecost' lunch and drinks provided



## HORSHAM COMMUNITY FRIDGE

This is an environmental issue !  
*not one of poverty*

*The food is there for EVERYONE to use  
so that it is not wasted*

***The Community Fridge at London Road***

***opens every Tuesday Morning from 10.00am to 11.00am  
during which time refreshments are served  
and***

***every Thursday Afternoon from 1.00pm to 2.00pm  
where refreshments are served from 12.15pm***

***The Community Fridge at St Andrews  
opens on the first Saturday of the month  
from 10.00am - 11.00am***

Thank you!

*Please bring a bag !*

# Easy Movers

Fridays 10.30-12 noon Posture, mobility,  
Refreshments and flexibility and  
chat 10.30 balance

Exercises 11.15-12

£4 per person

With qualified  
instructor



Chair based or standing  
St Andrews Church, Crawley Road,  
Roffey, RH12 4DX

For information call  
or text Sarah on  
07869802024

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## Friday Cafe

at Cornerstone London Road



Your space for a Friday treat  
Hot drinks £1, weekly menu of  
cakes and snacks

Fridays 2.30-4.30pm

### All Welcome

Cornerstone Methodist Church is a Registered Charity: 1134052

Charity No: 1134052



Join us at The Café at St Andrew's  
Every Wednesday 10am to 12pm

Spoil yourself with homemade cakes and  
freshly made tea and coffee

All are welcome

Come and be part of the community

We are members of the Chatty Café scheme



## MOSAIC MONDAYS

CRAFT, PUZZLES, CONVERSATIONS AND  
COMMUNITY, WITH REFRESHMENTS  
AND A SOUP LUNCH!  
PLEASE JOIN US FOR ALL OR PART OF  
OUR MOSAIC MONDAYS.



4th MAY last one of the present series  
10:30AM-1PM

£5 SUGGESTED DONATION  
INCLUDES CRAFT AND LUNCH

CORNERSTONE ST ANDREWS  
CRAWLEY ROAD, RH12 4DX

Please talk to Susan Halliday  
to express interest.

01403 275456 | ccm@cornersone-mc.org.uk

... AND FINALLY



## CHURCH HOLIDAY

Sizewell Christian Conference Centre in Suffolk  
1-5 June 2026

It will be a time of fellowship, activities, worship  
and relaxation.

Venue: <https://sizewellhall.org.uk/>

## DEADLINE FOR JUNE EDITION



May 17th

Please do not leave your submission until the deadline date if possible  
*Outlook* has limited space and you may be disappointed