



# Gordano Valley Church

*“releasing us to release  
Jesus’ love into our  
community...”*

**Sunday 8th August 2021**

**You can trust in My  
faithfulness because  
My Word is true.  
Psalm 33:4**

## **GVC services**

**This Sunday** our service will start at **10.30am** at Gordano School.

**New Series - Who do you think you are?**

**8th Aug - More than Conquerors** - Katy Duncan

**15th Aug - Part of a Holy Priesthood** - Dave John

**22nd Aug - Temple of the Holy Spirit** - Sam Marsh

**29th Aug - Adopted** - Julian Marsh

We are NOT videoing our services during August so can I encourage you to watch Woodies or Highgrove services if you miss a live service...

We will sing our last song outside on Sunday morning so here are the words if you need them.

### **Friend Of God**

Who am I that You are mindful of me  
That You hear me when I call  
Is it true that You are thinking of me  
How You love me it's amazing  
(It's amazing it's amazing)

I am a friend of God  
I am a friend of God  
I am a friend of God  
He calls (You call) me friend

(REPEAT)

God Almighty Lord of Glory  
You have called me friend

CLUDO CLUB summer of fun



Our next event is on Wednesday 11th August when Cludo Club goes to Noah's Ark Zoo.

## **The Way Christian Book Shop,**

will reopen on Tuesday 10th August at 10am.

Address: 86 High Street (by Spencer's Walk)

Portishead

07790 862121

Opening hours are:

Tuesday and Thursday 10-2

Wednesday and Saturday 10-12



**Foodbank desperately need empty egg boxes. Any size...**

We get eggs donated in boxes of 60 and need something to put them in to give to those who come to foodbank. A plastic or paper bag just doesn't work!!!

6's, 10's, 12's or 15's and card or plastic.

Bring them to church on a Sunday or drop them into the porch at No.4 (open Mon-Fri mornings).

**Thanks to everyone who has given me egg boxes.**

**Please keep them coming..... Lois**

For any items you would like me to put in the newsletter please send to Lois by Friday 11am at:

[admin@gvc.org.uk](mailto:admin@gvc.org.uk)

For electronic banking the account details are:

Account name: **Gordano Valley Church** Sort code: **08-92-99**

Account No: **65654718** Reference: **your initials or name**

### Pray for church family:

- **Margaret Maynard** as she continues her treatment.
- **Anne Cope** as she adjusts to being on her own with visits from carers each day.
- **Chris Miles** who had a CT scan last Monday which shows a cracked rib near his left kidney. He is having further tests.
- **Tim Mather** who had an MRI scan last Tuesday after being diagnosed with borderline prostate cancer and awaits results.
- **David Mather** (Tim & Jane's son) is back home. Pray for good recovery from his hip replacement.
- **Ian & Roberta Bonner's** continued need for a care plan for Ian.
- **Ben Gradwell** on isolation as a staff member in the house has Covid.
- Continue to pray for **Jade** who came home to Portishead on Friday 6th August but is still confused.
- **June Norris' funeral** on Thursday

### Pray for Our Church and Community:

- That those on holiday have a good and restful time
- For the CLUDO Noah's Ark Day on 11 August

### Pray for the world:

- For COVID vaccinations for all
- For peace in Afghanistan

Note from Debbie Bonner about **June Norris' Funeral**. Christopher her son is happy to invite anyone from GVC to the funeral or Clarence House afterwards. (See details below) Please let Debbie know by end of Sunday if you wish to go to either 1 or 2..

Chris says "I'm the bearer of sad news. My Mum, June, died at peace and in comfort in hospital on **11 July 2021** after a short final illness, which compounded her long-term physical health issues.

I'm sending you details of the arrangements in place to celebrate my Mum's life. If you are free and available – and would like to participate – I would be delighted for you to take part in marking June's passing in one or more of the following ways:"

#### 1. Funeral and homegoing reception

June's funeral service will be held at **South Bristol Crematorium** at **1.30 pm** on **Wednesday, 11 August 2021**. The service will be conducted by our family friend, The Reverend Geoff Boland. I warmly invite you to come if you would like to pay your last respects to June:

**Address:** South Bristol Crematorium, Bridgwater Road, Bedminster Down, Bristol BS13 7AS

Following the service, I also invite you to join me in Portishead for her celebration wake reception (**starting at 2.30 pm**) where we can share our memories of June over light refreshments at the following venue, **Clarence House**:

**Address:** Clarence House, High Street, Portishead,

#### 2. Webcast of the service

If you are unable to attend the funeral in person but would like to watch the service online, here are the details for you to watch the event remotely in real time and as a video replay:

**Website:** [Obitus](#) **Username:** cici2533 **Password:** 415774

#### 3. Tribute website

If you would like to share your memories of June, express feelings and thoughts, light a candle or make a donation to the **Macular Society** please visit her special tribute website and add your contributions:

**Website:** [June Norris at MuchLoved.com](#)

Donations in lieu of flowers may be given to **Macular Society** via:

**Online donation:** See **Donate** button at [June's tribute page](#) at MuchLoved.com

**Cheque:** Please send your cheque in the post to **F H Halliday & Son Ltd**, Funeral Directors, St Peter's Court, 115 High Street, Portishead, Bristol, BS20 6PT and make your cheque payable to "**The Macular Society**":