

**IN TOUCH DC 65**30 July 2025





## Stop Press:

A couple of changes to the Plan: local preacher, Pauline Jones will be with us on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August; and our own Liz Smith will be leading the service on 31<sup>st</sup> August for Action for Children (formerly NCH). (Revised plan on p2)

## Sad news



Many will recall Ann Owen's recent visit from her home in Portishead and her inspiring testimony. You may also recall that her husband, Andrew, was unwell. I am sad to say he recently died at the age of 78.

He was a faithful Methodist, a local preacher, on the Circuit Executive, a friend to many, and a support to Ann. Please remember Ann in your prayers, and may Andrew Owen rest in peace and rise in glory!

## Meeting Point 10-12 Thursdays



We had a Churches Together meeting yesterday and discussed the future of Meeting Point. We are grateful to Isbourne Arts for welcoming us into the old chapel when the Guide Hall suffered a fire (and its future is still uncertain). Many have said they enjoy meeting there. We have agreed that Meeting Point will continue at Isbourne Arts for the foreseeable future but there will be a few changes behind the scenes, as we work with IA Trustees. We will let you know when arrangements are finalised, but a warm welcome continues to await you

Country Show

Bank Holiday Monday

25<sup>th</sup> August

12.30-5.30

Thanks to those who have already offered to help. Revd Wendy Ruffle, from St Peter's, is co-ordinating the rota, and will be in touch about volunteering. Edwina will be in touch about cakes...

every Thursday morning at Isbourne Arts!



Please do get in contact with Edwina if you meant to volunteer but haven't got round to it!

	The Children's Society					
Table	Тор	Sale				
Saturday,						
27th September						
<u>Plan</u>						

Following my last In Touch: one or two people have shown some interest in a table at this event but - as I said in my previous message – I cannot run our table on the day. If anyone would like to take it on, let me know. I'm happy to pay for the table and let you know who has offered items for sale. Edwina

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<u>Plan</u>	AUGUST	<u>03</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>31</u>	
THINK PPLANT	10-30am	Pauline Jones	Rev MartynS	Deacon Sue Peat	Rev SteveW HC	Liz Smith Action for Children	
	Readers	ValS Martyn	LizS JeanP	Tony Margaret	Kathleen JohnP	Edwina Brian	
	Holy Communion				Lore		
	Greeters	JohnR	Martyn	Trevor	ValC	Lore	
	Coffee	Lore	Patti	LizS	Sherry	ValS	
	<u>Flowers</u>	Heather	ValC	Frances	Trevor	LindaM	
	HAWLING	Deacon Sue Peat		Rev Rachel HC			