



**THE METHODIST CHURCH - SOUTHAMPTON DISTRICT  
CHRISTCHURCH AND WIMBORNE CIRCUIT PLAN, 26/10  
March - May 2023**

**District Chair:**

Revd Andrew DeVille

**Circuit Ministers:**

Revd Pauline Crispin (Superintendent)

Revd Phillip Dixon

Revd Mike Shrubsole, (AM)

Revd Nicholas P Wood

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**Minister without appointment:** Revd Dr Mark Kimber

**Contact for Circuit:**

<https://www.candwmc.org.uk/contact-2.html>

**NOTE:** This is the plan as originally approved by the Superintendent Minister. Subsequent preaching changes will not be shown here.  
Please visit <https://www.candwmc.org.uk/service-search.html> to find the latest information.

**Supernumerary Ministers:**

1987 Revd Keith C Beckingham  
1993 Revd Linda M Chester  
1975 Revd David R Ellis  
1993 Revd Roger E Gisborne  
1996 Revd Barbara I Jeffries  
1968 \*Revd R David Laidler  
1967 Revd Robert G McBain  
1997 Revd Peter McNeill  
2004 \*Revd Janice A Morgan  
1992 Revd Elizabeth Rundle  
1989 Deacon Glenda Sidding  
2009 Deacon Paul Wayne

*\*Unable to take appointments*

**Circuit Stewards:**

Mr Peter Aston  
Mr Rodney Betts  
Miss Shirley Hewitt  
Dr Christopher Slade  
Mrs Joyce Wild (Lead Steward)

**Circuit Lay Employees:**

Circuit Administrator: Mr Rob White  
Pastoral Worker: (Blandford Church): Mrs Joyce Wild  
Pastoral Assistant: (Ringwood and Crowe Hill Churches)  
Mrs Louise Shrubsole  
Children and Family Worker (Ringwood Trinity): Mrs Jackie Burgess

**Worship Leaders**

Highcliffe Miss Winifred George  
Holtwood Mr Peter Aston  
Verwood has several Worship Leaders. Please ask the contact steward if you would like to include one in a service.

Holtwood Mission Band contact is Dr Christopher Slade  
Methodist Women in Britain (MWiB) Team contact is Christine Stuckey

**Visiting Preachers this Quarter**

Revd Chris Blake  
Revd Gwyneth Owen  
Mrs Maggie Larkin  
Revd Eric Parker  
Revd David Le Poidevin  
Revd Tom Stuckey  
Mr Brian Sturtridge  
Pastor Jenny Yates

**Local Preachers:**

1955 Mr Clifford Upex  
1961 \*Dr John Ramsden  
1962 \*Mr Alan Colling  
1963 \*Mrs Audrey Stanley  
1967 \*Mr John Poxon  
1971 \*Mr Harold Foster  
1973 \*Mr A John Slow, MBE  
1976 Mr Mark Priestley  
1977 Mrs Christine Stuckey  
1979 Mrs Hilary Beckingham  
1979 Mr Colin Besant  
1979 Mrs Christine Thompson  
1984 Mr Peter Ellis  
1986 \*Mrs Pamela Moss  
1989 \*Mrs Heather Morgan  
1990 Mrs Margaret Havers  
1990 \*Mrs Diane Wilkinson  
1993 Mr Brian Skelley  
1995 Mr Rob White  
1997 Mr Barrie Knight  
1999 \*Mrs Marilyn Knight  
2001 \*Mrs Margery Barson  
2001 Mr Phil Collins  
2002 Miss Elizabeth Ward  
2005 Mr David Webb  
2007 Miss Rosemary Wells  
2007 Mrs Joyce Wild  
2010 Mr James Frampton  
2010 Dr Christopher Slade  
2011 \*Mrs Helen Brew  
2016 Mrs Diana Middleditch

*\*Unable to take appointments*

**Preachers On Trial:**

Mrs Lynley Wilkes

Church Worship Resources and Occasional Services		
	Maudy Thursday	Good Friday
<b>BARTON</b> PB(NRSV); STF; PPP; VP; CCL		D Ellis 10:30 am
	D Ellis HC 6:30 pm	
<b>BLANDFORD</b> PB (GNB); STF; PPP; VP; CCL		
<b>BROCKENHURST</b> PB(GNB); STF; HP; SF(1-640); PIP(1-177); BT		
<b>COLEHILL</b> PB(GNB); HP; STF; MP(1,2); SF(1,2); CCL		
<b>CROWE HILL</b> PB(NIV); HP; STF; MP(1-798);SF(1-2710); PPP; BT; VP;CCL	Tony Bennet 4:00 pm	
<b>HIGHCLIFFE</b> PB(NIV); STF; SF(1-1690); HP;CCL; VP	Dixon HC / 7:00 pm	Dixon 9:00 am
<b>HOLTWOOD</b> PB(NIV); HP; SF(1-2200); MP(1-1250); PPP; OHP; BT; VP; CCL	Wood HC / 7:00 pm	
<b>MILFORD</b> PB(GNB); HP; STF; SVL; VP; PPP; CCL	Dixon HC / 2:30 pm	Dixon 11:00 am
<b>MUDEFORD LANE</b> PB(NIV); HP; STF; SF(1-1690); VP; CCL		McNeill 10:30 am
<b>RINGWOOD</b> PB(NIV); HP; STF; MP(1-798); RS; SH; PPP; VP; CCL	Shrubsole-- --HC / WC / 7:30 pm	Shrubsole 10:15 am
<b>VERWOOD</b> PB(NIV); STF; VP; PPP; BT(STF); SVL; EW; WL; CCL		Wood EC / OA 11 am
<b>WIMBORNE</b> PB(NRSV); STF (+Audio CD); CCL; PPP; VP	McNeill HC / 6:30 pm	
<b>WOODLANDS</b> PB(GNB); HP; MP (1-798); SF (1-1150); OHP; CCL		Besant 6:00 pm

## Regular Worship and Meetings:

**Note: Some of these regular activities may not take place - always check with venue if unsure.**

Blandford 10 am - Noon every Thursday - Coffee Morning  
 Colehill 11:00-12:00 am Mondays—Coffee, Prayer and Bible Study  
 Crowe Hill 7.30 pm First Monday of the month – Healing and Renewal Service  
 Crowe Hill 2.00 pm Third Thursday of the month - Healing and Renewal Service, preceded by light lunch  
 Highcliffe 10.30 -11.00 am Wednesdays - Midweek service  
 Holtwood 8.30 am First Saturday of the month – Prayer Meeting  
 Ringwood 10:00 am Pastoral concerns prayer meeting, last Thursday of the month, Trinity Vestry  
 Verwood 9.45 am Tuesdays – Prayer Time  
 Wimborne 9.30 – 9.50 am Fridays – Morning Prayers  
 Wimborne 11.00 – 11.30 am First Thursday of month – Morning Communion Service  
 Wimborne 11.30 – noon Thursdays – Bible Study: a look at Sunday's Gospel passage  
 Woodlands 6:30 - 7:00 pm First Monday of the month - 'Quiet Time' Informal Prayer Together  
 Woodlands 10.00-11.30 am Coffee Mornings, First and third Thursdays of the month

## Circuit Prayers:

Holtwood 8.30 am First Saturday of the month

## Special Local Events and Activities

### Key to Worship Resources (see LH Column)

PB	Pew Bible
GNB	Good News Bible
NIV	New International Version
NRSV	New Revised Standard Version
HP	Hymns & Psalms
MP	Mission Praise (+ number)
PIP	Partners in Praise
PP	Power Praise (+ number)
RS	Rejoice and Sing
SF	Songs of Fellowship (+ number)
SH	Sing Hallelujah
STF	Singing the Faith
JP	Junior Praise
LSB	Local Song Book
WL	Worship Leader
CCL	Church Copyright Licence
PPP	PowerPoint Projection
BT	Backing Tracks
OHP	Overhead Projector

## General Circuit Notices

**Next Circuit Meeting:** - Thursday 16 March 2023, at Ringwood Trinity Church, Ringwood, 7:30 pm

**Next Local Preachers' Meeting:** - Thursday 9 March 2023, Wesley Centre, Ringwood, 7.30pm

**Staff Days Off:** Please respect the off-duty days of our Staff:

<b>Tuesday</b>	Mr R White, Revd P Dixon
<b>Friday</b>	Revd P Crispin, Revd N Wood
<b>Saturday</b>	Revd M Shrubsole

Information for the next Circuit Plan (**Jun - Aug 2023**) should be sent to Mr Rob White **before 1 Apr 2023**.

Thank you.

			5 March	12 March	19 March	26 March	2 April	9 April	16 April
			Lent 2	Lent 3	Lent 4 Mothering Sunday	Lent 5	Lent 6 Palm Sunday	Easter Day	Easter 2
Lectionary Readings			Genesis 12: 1-4a Psalm 121 Romans 4: 1-5, 13-17 John 3: 1-17	Exodus 17: 1-7 Psalm 95 Romans 5: 1-11 John 4: 5-42	1 Samuel 16: 1-13 Psalm 23 Ephesians 5: 8-14 John 9: 1-41	Ezekiel 37: 1-14 Psalm 130 Romans 8: 6-11 John 11: 1-45	Matthew 21: 1-11 Psalm 118: 1-2, 19-29 (see lectionary for alternatives)	Acts 10: 34-43 Psalm 118: 1-2, 14-24 Colossians 3: 1-4 John 20: 1-18	Acts 2: 14a, 22-32 Psalm 16 1 Peter 1: 3-9 John 20: 19-31
<b>BARTON</b> BH25 7PA (Interregnum)	120	8.00 10.30 4.00 6.00	Parker	D Ellis HC	LA	Jeffries	Jeffries	D Ellis HC	Ward
<b>BLANDFORD</b> DT11 7HA Revd P Crispin	20	10.45 3.30 6.30	Slade	LA	McNeill	Vincent CC	Besant	Wild	Sturtridge
<b>BROCKENHURST</b> SO42 7RT Revd M Shrubsole	11	10.30 3.00 6.00	Ward	Parker	Shrubsole HC	C Stuckey / T Stuckey	Gisborne	Sidding	Le Poidevin HC
<b>COLEHILL</b> BH21 7AT Revd P Crispin	22	8.00 10.30 3.00	Le Poidevin HC	Yates	Collins	Sturtridge	Slade	Besant	Chester
<b>CROWE HILL</b> BH24 3DQ Revd M Shrubsole	28	10.30 3.00 6.00	LA Shrubsole	Shrubsole HC	LA Skelley	Shrubsole	LA Shrubsole	Shrubsole HC / 8 am Shrubsole	LA Yates
<b>HIGHCLIFFE</b> BH23 5EG Revd P Dixon	69	10.30 4.00 6.30	Dixon HC	Ward	Besant	Dixon	Sidding Walk of witness -- --LA / 3:00 pm	Sunrise@Cliffhanger 6:30 Dixon HC 10:30	Dixon
<b>HOLTWOOD</b> BH21 7DT Revd N Wood	67	10.45 6.00	McBain	Wood HC	Wild SA	Wood	McNeill	Wood HC	Collins
<b>MILFORD</b> SO41 0QE Revd P Dixon	22	10.45 6.00	D Ellis HC	Revd Tasha Anderson	Sturtridge	Parker	Dixon	Gisborne HC	Parker
<b>MUDEFORD LANE</b> Christchurch BH23 3HL (Interregnum)	13	8.30 10.30 6.30	Gisborne	McNeill HC	LA	McNeill	Middleditch	McNeill HC	Slade
<b>RINGWOOD</b> BH24 1DN Revd M Shrubsole	77	10.45 6.00	Collins	Shrubsole HC	Dixon	Shrubsole BC/10:00am Shrubsole WC / HC	Collins	Shrubsole HC	Priestley
<b>VERWOOD</b> BH31 6DR Revd N Wood	103	9.30 11.00 4.00 6.00	Wood AA LA / HS	LA / BB Collins	LA / BB Wood HC	LA / BB Ward	Wood AA LA / #GSP	LA / BB Rundle HC	LA / BB Besant
<b>WIMBORNE</b> BH21 1DY Revd P Crispin	98	8.45 10.30 6.00	Chester HC	Besant	Rundle	Collins	Chester	McBain HC	McNeill
<b>WOODLANDS</b> BH21 8LL Revd N Wood	15	10.45 3.00 6.00	LA	Canon Simon -- --Tong WFY	Wood HC	Wood US / MC	Sturtridge	Wood HC	Skelley
<b>FORDINGBRIDGE URC</b>		10.30	Shrubsole HC				Shrubsole		
<b>CASTLEMAN HOUSE</b>		3.00							
<b>Total Membership</b>	<b>665</b>								
			5 March	12 March	19 March	26 March	2 April	9 April	16 April

Preachers unable to take appointments as planned should find an accredited substitute, and then inform the Superintendent and the Church Steward.

<b>REGULAR PLAN REFERENCES:</b>	<b>COV</b> Covenant Service	<b>HF</b> Harvest Festival	<b>SP</b> Songs of Praise	<b>#GSP</b> - #Godspace
<b>AA</b> All Age Worship	<b>CR</b> Carol Service	<b>HMB</b> Holtwood Mission Band	<b>S&amp;S</b> Sip and See	
<b>ALT</b> Alternative Service	<b>CS</b> Circuit Service	<b>HS</b> Healing Service	<b>@Sts Mdw</b> At Streets Meadow	
<b>AM</b> Authorised Minister	<b>CT</b> Churches Together	<b>LA</b> Local Arrangement	<b>TP</b> Themed Preaching	<b>For SPECIAL/OCCASIONAL PLAN</b>
<b>BB</b> Big Breakfast	<b>CTIV</b> Churches Together in Verwood	<b>MC</b> Methodist Church	<b>TC</b> Trinity Centre	<b>REFERENCES see panel at bottom of</b>
<b>BC</b> Breakfast Church	<b>CW</b> Contemporary Worship	<b>MWib</b> Methodist Women in Britain	<b>URC</b> United Reformed Church	<b>page 4.</b>
<b>BPT</b> Baptism Service	<b>EC</b> Ecumenical Service	<b>OA</b> Open Air	<b>US</b> United Service	
<b>CA</b> Church/Chapel Anniversary	<b>FS</b> Family Service	<b>MS</b> Messy Church	<b>WC</b> Wesley Centre	
<b>CC</b> Café Church	<b>HC</b> Holy Communion	<b>PC</b> Parish Church	<b>WFY</b> Worship for You	

			23 April	30 April	7 May	14 May	21 May	28 May	
			Easter 3	Easter 4	Easter 5 Vocations Sunday	Easter 6	Easter 7 Aldersgate Sunday	Pentecost	
Lectionary Readings			Acts 2: 14a, 36-41 Psalm 116: 1-4, 12-19 1 Peter 1: 17-23 Luke 24: 13-35	Acts 2: 42-47 Psalm 23 1 Peter 2: 19-25 John 10: 1-10	Acts 7: 55-60 Psalm 31: 1-5, 15-16 1 Peter 2: 2-10 John 14: 1-14	Acts 17: 22-31 Psalm 66: 8-20 1 Peter 3: 13-22 John 14: 15-21	Acts 1: 6-14 Psalm 68: 1-10, 32-35 1 Peter 4: 12-14; 5:6-11 John 17: 1-11	Acts 2: 1-21 Psalm 104: 24-34, 35b 1 Corinthians 12: 3b-13 John 20: 19-23	
<b>BARTON</b>	8.00 10.30 4.00 6.00		White	Wild MPA	D Ellis HC	DeVile CA / GS	C Stuckey / T Stuckey	Jeffries	
<b>BLANDFORD</b>	10.45 3.30 6.30		Middleditch	LA / EC	McBain	Owen CA	Gisborne	P Ellis	
<b>BROCKENHURST</b>	10.30 3.00 6.00		Parker	D Ellis	Middleditch	LA	Shrubsole HC	Parker	
<b>COLEHILL</b>	8.00 10.30 3.00		D Ellis HC	Skelley	Wild	Wilkes	Middleditch	McNeill HC	
<b>CROWE HILL</b>	10.30 3.00 6.00		Slade	Shrubsole HC / AA Shrubsole	LA Shrubsole	Shrubsole HC	LA Yates	Shrubsole	
<b>HIGHCLIFFE</b>	10.30 4.00 6.30		Sidding	LA	Dixon HC	Wells	Dixon	Dixon	
<b>HOLTWOOD</b>	10.45 6.00		Ward	Wood	Priestley	Wood HC	Besant	Wood	
<b>MILFORD</b>	10.45 6.00		Dixon	C Stuckey / T Stuckey	P Ellis	Dixon HC	Sturtridge	LA	
<b>MUDEFORD LANE</b>	8.30 10.30 6.30		Le Poidevin	Besant	Ward	Yates	McNeill HC	Sidding	
<b>RINGWOOD</b>	10.45 6.00		BC / LA / 10:00 am McNeill WC / HC	Larkin	Gisborne	Shrubsole HC	Sidding	Shrubsole BC/10am Shrubsole WC / HC	
<b>VERWOOD</b>	9.30 11.00 4.00 6.00		LA / BB Wood	LA / BB Dixon LA / HS	Wood AA	LA / BB LA Sidding EO / CS	LA / BB Wood HC / CA	LA / BB Ward	
<b>WIMBORNE</b>	8.45 10.30 6.00		Blake	Thompson	Rundle HC	D Ellis C.Aid	Vincent CC	White	
<b>WOODLANDS</b>	10.45 3.00 6.00		Gisborne Wood US / PC	Besant	Wood HC	Wellow Wood Worship -- Group WFY / CA	Le Poidevin	Wood US / MC	
<b>FORDINGBRIDGE URC</b>	10.30				Shrubsole HC				
<b>CASTLEMAN HOUSE</b>	3.00			Wild					
			23 April	30 April	7 May	14 May	21 May	28 May	

**SPECIAL/OCCASIONAL PLAN**

**REFERENCES:**

EO - Easter Offering Service  
 MPA - Meeting Point Anniversary  
 SA - Sisterhood Anniversary