



THE METHODIST CHURCH - SOUTHAMPTON DISTRICT CHRISTCHURCH AND WIMBORNE CIRCUIT PLAN, 26/10

March - May 2025

District Chair:

Revd Rachel Bending

Circuit Ministers:

Revd Andrew Pottage (Superintendent)
Revd Deborah Cornish (part time)
Revd Mark Kimber (part time)
Revd Peter McNeill (part time)
Revd Mike Shrubsole, (Authorised Minister)
Revd Nicholas P Wood

Contact for Circuit:

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

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 (also part time Circuit Minister)
1992 Revd Elizabeth Rundle
1989 Deacon Glenda Sidding
1965 Revd Tom Stuckey
2009 Deacon Paul Wayne

**Unable to take appointments*

Circuit Stewards:

Mrs Kathy Archibald
Mr Peter Aston
Mr Rodney Betts
Miss Shirley Hewitt
Mrs Chris Lusher
Mrs Joyce Wild (Lead Steward)
Manse Steward: Mr Rod Frampton

Circuit Lay Employees:

Circuit Administrator: Mr Rob White
Pastoral Worker: (Blandford Church): Mrs Joyce Wild
Church Administrator, Highcliffe and Milford: Mrs Marie Wayne
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 Pauline Crispin
Mrs Mandy Hibbert
Revd Dr Gareth J Higgs
Mr Eddie Martin
Revd Gwyneth Owen
Revd David Vincent
Pastor Jenny Yates

Local Preachers:

1955 *Mr Clifford Upex
1961 *Dr John Ramsden
1962 *Mr Alan Colling
1967 *Mr John Poxon
1971 *Mr Harold Foster
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
2023 Mrs Lynley Wilkes

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General Circuit Notices

Next Circuit Meeting: - Thursday, 13 March 2025 at Verwood MC, 7:30 pm

Next Local Preachers' Meeting: - Thursday 6 March 2025, Crowe Hill MC, 7.30pm

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

Monday	Revd Deborah Cornish (part time)
Tuesday-Thursday	Revd Mark Kimber (part time)
Thursday-Friday	Revd Peter McNeill (part time)
Friday	Revd N Wood
Saturday	Revd M Shrubsole
Saturday	Revd Andrew Pottage

Information for the next Circuit Plan (Jun - Aug 2025) should be sent to Mr Rob White **before 1 Apr 2025**.

Church Information		
Church, Minister and Members		Worship Resources
BARTON 116		PB(NRSV); STF;
BH25 7PA, Revds Pottage & McNeill		PPP; VP; CCL
BLANDFORD 18		PB (GNB); STF;
DT11 7HA, Revd M Kimber		PPP; VP; CCL
BROCKENHURST 11		PB(GNB); STF; HP;SF
SO42 7RT, Revd M Shrubsole		(1-640); PIP(1-177); BT
COLEHILL 14		PB(GNB);HP;STF;MP
BH21 7AT, Revd M Kimber		(1.2); SF(1.2); CCL
CROWE HILL 25		PB(NIV); HP; STF; MP
BH24 3DQ, Revd M Shrubsole		(1-798);SF(1-2710); PPP;
		BT; VP;CCL
HIGHCLIFFE 67		PB(NIV); STF; SF
BH23 5EG, Revds McNeill & Pottage		(1-1690); HP;CCL; VP
HOLTWOOD 67		PB(NIV); HP; SF(1-2200);
BH21 7DT Revd N Wood		MP(1-1250); PPP;
		OHP; BT; VP; CCL
MILFORD 24		PB(GNB); STF;
SO41 0QE, Revds Pottage & McNeill		SVL; VP; PPP; CCL
MUDEFORD LANE 15		PB(NIV); HP; STF;
BH23 3HL, Revds McNeill & Pottage		SF(1-1690); VP; CCL
RINGWOOD 69		PB(NIV); HP; STF; MP
BH24 1DN, Revd M Shrubsole		(1-798); RS; SH;
		PPP; VP; CCL
VERWOOD 106		PB(NIV); STF; VP; PPP;
BH31 6DR, Revd N Wood		BT(STF); SVL; EW;
		WL; CCL
WIMBORNE 85		PB(NRSV); STF (+Audio
BH21 1DY, Revd D Cornish		CD); CCL; PPP; VP
WOODLANDS 16		PB(GNB);HP;MP(1-798);
BH21 8LL, Revd N Wood		SF (1-1150); OHP; CCL
Total Membership:	633	

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 11.00 am Wednesdays - Worship and Fellowship service
 Holtwood 8.30 am First Saturday of the month – Prayer Meeting
 Verwood 9.45 am Tuesdays – Prayer Time
 Wimborne 9.30 – 9.50 am Fridays – Morning Prayers
 Wimborne 11.00 – 11.30 am Third Thursday of month – Morning Communion Service
 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 left)
 BT Backing Tracks
 CCL Church Copyright Licence
 EW Easy Worship for media projection
 GNB Good News Bible
 HP Hymns & Psalms
 JP Junior Praise
 LSB Local Song Book
 MP Mission Praise (+ number)
 NIV New International Version
 NRSV New Revised Standard Version

OHP Overhead Projector
 PB Pew Bible
 PIP Partners in Praise
 PP Power Praise (+ number)
 PPP PowerPoint Projection
 RS Rejoice and Sing
 SF Songs of Fellowship (+ number)
 SH Sing Hallelujah
 STF Singing the Faith
 SVL Song Video Library available
 VP Video Projector

WL Worship Leader

Sunday Lectionary Readings	2 March Sun before Lent	9 March Lent 1	16 March Lent 2	23 March Lent 3	30 March Lent 4 Mothering Sunday	6 April Lent 5	13 April Lent 6 Palm Sunday
	Exodus 34:29-35 Psalm 99 2 Cor 3:12 – 4:2 Luke 9:28-36(37-43a)	Deuteronomy 26:1-11 Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16 Romans 10:8b-13 Luke 4:1-13	Genesis 15:1-12,17-18 Psalm 27 Philippians 3:17 – 4:1 Luke 13:31-35	Isaiah 55:1-9 Psalm 63:1-8 1 Corinthians 10:1-13 Luke 13:1-9	Joshua 5:9-12 Psalm 32 2 Corinthians 5:16-21 Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32	Isaiah 43:16-21 Psalm 126 Philippians 3:4b-14 John 12:1-8	Luke 19:28-40 Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29 (see Lectionary for alternatives)

20 April Easter Day	27 April Easter 2	4 May Easter 3 Vocations Sunday	11 May Easter 4	18 May Easter 5 Aldersgate Sunday	25 May Easter 6	
Acts 10:34-43 Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24 1 Corinthians 15:19-26 John 20:1-18	Acts 5:27-32 Psalm 118:14-29 Revelation 1:4-8 John 20:19-31	Acts 9:1-6 (7-20) Psalm 30 Revelation 5:11-14 John 21:1-19	Acts 9:36-43 Psalm 23 Revelation 7:9-17 John 10:22-30	Acts 11:1-18 Psalm 148 Revelation 21:1-6 John 13:31-35	Acts 16:9-15 Psalm 67 Rev 21:10, 22 – 22:5 John 14:23-29	

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

Note: this two page document is Part A of the plan - Local Planning Information. Part B, the Planning Grid, is supplied as a separate document to be read together with this one.

Plan code references are now to be found in the footer on Part B