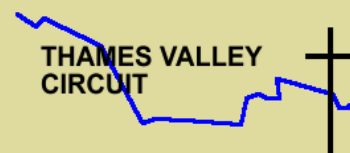




Thames Valley Methodist Circuit

PREACHING PLAN



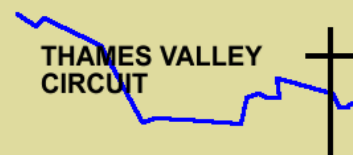
2024	7th April	14th April	21st April	28th April
	Easter 2	Easter 3	Easter 4	Easter 5
Lectionary Readings Year B	Acts 4:32-35 Psalm 133 1 John 1:1 – 2:2 John 20:19-31	Acts 3:12-19 Psalm 4 1 John 3:1-7 Luke 24:36b-48	Acts 4:5-12 Psalm 23 1 John 3:16-24 John 10:11-18	Acts 8:26-40 Psalm 22:25-31 1 John 4:7-21 John 15:1-8
Burnham 10.30 6.30	LA Palfrey	Crowle	Davidson HC	Rickman
Colnbrook & Poyle 10.30	A service is held every Tuesday at 10.30 am			9.30 am Chipandambira BC
Cookham 10.30 Rise 3.00 6.30	Crowle	Rickman	LA Davidson TTS	Clifford
Hampshire Avenue 10.30 6.30	Walton	Tottingham	LA	JS @ St. Andrew's ACS
High Street 9.00 Maidenhead 10.30 6.00	Phillips BC Phillips HC	Phillips HC Shaw	Richardson Barnett PS & Phillips HC	Rooley
Ledgers Road 11.00 6.30	Richardson	Dudley HC	Walton	10.30 JS @ St.A's ACS
St Andrew's 10.30 6.30	Tottingham	LA	Clifford	Magaisa/Daud JS/ACS
St Mark's 10.30	Daud	Phillips CS	Chipandambira/Phillips HC	Cattley JS
Windsor 10.30 3.00 6.30	9 am LA/BC TTS/LA	Davidson HC Davidson	Tuckey Chipandambira	Davidson Davidson HC
Woodlands Park 10.30 6.30	Chipandambira	LA	Dudley HC	JS @ St Mark's

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2024	5th May	12th May	19th May	26th May
	Easter 6	Easter 7	Pentecost	Trinity Sunday
Lectionary Readings Year B	Acts 10:44-48 Psalm 98 1 John 5:1-6 John 15:9-17	Acts 1:15-17, 21-26 Psalm 1 1 John 5:9-13 John 17:6-19	Acts 2: 1-21 or Ezekiel 37: 1-14 Psalm 104: 24-34, 35b Romans 8 22-27 or Acts 2: 1-21 John 15: 26-27; 16: 4b-15	Isaiah 6: 1-8 Psalm 29 Romans 8: 12-17 John 3: 1-17
Burnham 10.30 6.30	LA Davidson	Cattley 3 pm Easter Off @HA	Davidson HC	Tuckey
Colnbrook & Poyle 10.30	A service is held every Tuesday at 10.30 am 3 pm Easter Off @HA			9.30 am Clifford BC
Cookham 10.30 Rise 3.00 6.30	Richardson	JS @ High Street 3 pm Easter Off @HA	Rickman Davidson TTS	LA
Hampshire Avenue 10.30 6.30	Davidson	Daud 3 pm Easter Offering Cct	Richardson	JS @St Andrew's ACS
High Street 9.00 Maidenhead 10.30 3.00 6.00	Phillips BC Phillips HC	Phillips HC Walton 3 pm Easter Off @HA	Palfrey Phillips PS	LA Phillips
Ledgers Road 11.00 6.30	LA	Crowle 3 pm Easter Off @HA	Clifford	JS @St Andrew's ACS
St Andrew's 10.30 6.30	Rooley	Shaw 3 pm Easter Off @HA	Dudley HC	Daud JS/ACS
St Mark's 10.30	Rickman	Phillips 3 pm Easter Off @HA	Chipandambira CS	LA
Windsor 10.30 3.00 6.30	9 am Davidson BC Davidson TTS	Davidson HC 3 pm Easter Off @HA	LA 5 pm Taize	Davidson Davidson HC
Woodlands Park 10.30 6.30	Chipandambira	Clifford 3 pm Easter Off @HA	LA	JS @ St Mark's
Zoom Church 5 .00				

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THAMES VALLEY CIRCUIT 36/4

CHAIR OF THE SOUTH-EAST DISTRICT

Rev Dr David Hinchliffe

MINISTERS

Superintendent: Rev Vicci Davidson
Rev Dr Pete Phillips, Rev Cliff Shanganya,
Deacon Margaret Chipandambira
Rev Dr Malcolm White

SUPERNUMERARY MINISTER

LOCAL PREACHERS IN THE THAMES VALLEY

1963 * Mr Arthur Baker
1959 * Mr Sid Barker
1995 * Mrs Jean Barnett
Ms Ade Benson
1989 Mrs Sue Clifford MBE
2003 * Mr Richard Cracknell
2011 Mrs Patie Crockett
1975 Mr Alan Crowle
1990 * Mrs Allison Hadwin
1960 * Mr Richard Hall
1982 * Mr Peter Hardiment
1951 * Miss Daphne Hogg

1989 * Mr Vincent Leslie
2015 Mrs Kay MacKenzie
2011 Mr Henry Mensah-Brown
1993 Mr Evan Richardson
2016 Mrs Kathryn Rickman
1995 * Mr David Ridley
1991 Mrs Nicola Shaw
2015 Mrs Elizabeth (Liz) Tottingham
2008 Mr Neville Walton
1970 * Mr Peter White
* *not available to preach*

ON TRIAL

Mrs Mwadzi Magisa
Mrs Aqeela Daud
Mr Barnabas Palfrey

ON NOTE

VISITING PREACHERS

Rev Richard Cattley
Rev Margaret Dudley
Rev Dr David Hinchliffe

Mr Richard Rooley
Mr Ken Tuckey

LEGEND

ACS:	All Cultures Sunday	HF:	Harvest Festival
B:	Baptism	ILM:	In Loving Memory
BC:	Breakfast Church	JS:	Joint Service
CA:	Church / Chapel Anniversary	JST:	Just a Song at Twilight
Cct:	Circuit Service	LA:	Local Arrangement
Cov:	Covenant Service	LS:	Live Stream
CTS:	Churches Together in Slough	P:	Parade
CS:	<i>Café Style</i>	PS:	Praise Service
HC:	Holy Communion	TTS:	TeaTime for the Soul

Note: initials after LA are those of the Worship Leader taking the service

CIRCUIT MINISTERS' REGULAR REST DAYS

Monday: Rev Vicci Davidson, Rev Cliff Shanganya, Deacon Margaret Chipandambira
Saturday: Rev Dr Pete Phillips

CIRCUIT WORSHIP DIRECTORY

This Worship Directory was originally compiled at the request of the Circuit Local Preachers' Meeting to assist preachers in their preparation for worship. To ensure it is kept up to date, Church Stewards are requested to send alterations to the Circuit Webmaster.

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Burnham

Congregation:	12 - 15.
Children:	A small number may be present.
Books:	Singing the Faith. Methodist Worship Book.
OHP:	Yes; also printing facilities
Bibles:	Good News
CCL licence:	Yes
Worship Leaders:	None
Readers:	Can be provided if prior notice is given.
Notices:	Given by Steward at commencement of service.
Contact:	Steward likes to have hymns and readings by Thursday evening.

Colnbrook & Poyle

Congregation:	8-12.
Children:	Usually no children present.
Books:	<u>Singing the Faith</u> , Hymns & Psalms. Digital Hymnal (usually available).
Projecting material:	No
CCL licence:	No
Bibles:	Revised English Bible (limited number) available.
Worship Leaders:	None.
Readers:	Available on request
Notices:	Given at the beginning,
Offertory:	May be at any time.
Contact:	
Other:	There is one Sunday service a month for Holy Communion. Weekly worship takes place on Tuesdays at 2 pm.

Cookham Rise

Congregation:	About 15 - 20 in the morning, and 8 - 12 in the evening, mainly upper age range.
Children:	Children stay in Church and can move to a small table at the back where there is suitable material for them.
Children:	Small number may be present for first 10 - 15 minutes, leaving with a blessing after second hymn. It is appreciated if their presence is acknowledged
Books:	<u>Singing the Faith (preferred)</u> , Songs of Fellowship (volumes 1 - 4) Words of other hymns can be printed off
CCL licence:	54062
Bibles:	NIV available
Readers:	At least one member of congregation is available to read a lesson, or play some other part in worship. Request to steward by Friday evening, please.
Notices:	Available on printed sheet; any additional ones given at beginning of service.
Contact:	A letter will be sent to the preacher 10 days before the service, usually by email, with details of Steward and Organist on duty. Hymns should be notified to the organist.
Other:	A screen, projector and laptop can be available with sufficient notice.

Hampshire Avenue, Slough

Congregation:	20 to 30.
Children:	Present for opening worship, returning after Sermon
Books:	Hymns & Psalms, Songs of Fellowship (used equally) Accompaniment by Music Box
CCL licence:	Yes. Photocopying NOT available.
Bibles:	Good News (some available for congregation)
Worship Leaders:	Available on request.
Readers:	Readers are available on request to Steward / Secretary.
Notices:	Given by Steward before end of service.
Contact:	Steward will telephone during previous week, or preacher to steward or secretary by Thursday.

High Street, Maidenhead

Congregation:	10.30 am	about 70 - 80
Children:	Children come in for the start of the 10.30 am service, and there is a children's address after the first hymn. For Parade Services they stay for the full service. Otherwise they go to their separate Junior Church after the address. <i>Messy Church</i> takes place once a month on a Sunday afternoon in conjunction with St Mark's Crescent Church	
Books:	<u>Singing the Faith</u> (preferred), Songs of Fellowship. Hymns projected at morning service, hymn books used for other services. Methodist Worship Book.	
CCL Licence no:	4890	
Bibles:	Good News	
Worship Leader	Yes	
Readers:	Available for all services, please confirm with Steward in advance.	
Notices:	Printed; any additional ones given at beginning of service.	
Contact:	The e-mail for the preacher is usually sent 12 days ahead. Material for projection should be sent by Wednesday.	
Other:	A projector is available for the 10.30 am service only. A parking space is reserved at rear entrance in Nicholson's Lane. A headset or lapel microphone is provided, with sound controlled from sound desk. All 10.30 services are recorded for members unable to attend.	

Ledgers Road, Slough

Congregation:	About 30-50.
Children:	2-12 (average 4 not regular) and Sunday School each week except for first Sunday. Children leave after the second hymn and usually come back to report on their activities at the end of the service.
Books:	Singing the Faith, Hymns & Psalms, Mission Praise Methodist Worship Book. No projection or electronic music available.
CCL licence:	1873369
Bibles:	Good News available for congregation
Worship Leaders:	None
Readers:	Available via Steward.
Notices:	Read by the Duty Steward, timing at discretion of preacher.
Prayer Book:	Provided for inclusion in the prayers of intercession
Contact	Senior Steward.

St Andrew's Slough

Congregation:	10.30 am about 40.
Children:	Sometimes meet on zoom, sometimes meet face to face. If present they leave after first hymn
Books:	Singing the Faith, Methodist Worship Book.
CCL licence:	63417
Bibles:	New Revised Standard Bible
Worship Leaders:	There are four members of the congregation who are able to assist in the leading of worship. They can be contacted through the steward on duty.
Readers:	There is a Readers' Rota and the Steward on duty will contact the readers as required.
Notices:	Monthly newsletter. Any extra notices will be announced by the Steward before the service begins.
Contact:	A letter will be sent to the preacher about 10 days before the service. It would be appreciated if the preacher, not later than the Thursday before the service, would send the Order of Service and any other information, including any pictures to be projected, to the duty steward not later than the Thursday before the service. The information will then be passed to the other people involved in the service. If a musician is not available the Singing the Faith CDs are used to accompany the singing,

St. Mark's Crescent, Maidenhead

Congregation:	am – typically 25 – 30 pm – around 10. <i>Messy Church</i> – about 6 families, mostly young children.
Children:	No Junior Church, but activities for children are provided in the church.
Books:	Singing the Faith, Songs of Fellowship (Book 1), Hymns & Psalms. All hymns normally projected, with paper copies available as necessary. Hymns can be played through computer or CD if required.
Bibles:	Good News
CCL licence:	54062
Worship Leader:	Mrs Eileen Chislett.
Readers:	There is a readers' rota and the steward on duty will make arrangements.
Notices:	Printed, but also available on-line. Offertory when preacher wishes. Benevolence Fund collection during communion hymn.
Contact:	A letter will be sent about two weeks before the service giving contact details for the steward on duty. Steward will make contact on Wednesday or Thursday prior to the service for Hymns (needed for Friday afternoon practice) and readings.

Other: Modern form of Lord's Prayer is preferred.
Lapel microphone, handheld microphone, with static microphones on lectern and pulpit.
Hearing loop
DVDs can be projected.
CD player
Mini disc player

Windsor

Congregation: Morning service about 35 to 65, Evening service about 6 to 15.

Children: 25 on register. Children's Talk appreciated. The first two hymns and prayers to be child-appropriate. Lord's Prayer should be included while children are present. Leave with a blessing after second hymn.

Books: Singing the Faith (preferred), Songs of Fellowship (combined). Hymns can be projected by arrangement, given sufficient notice. Methodist Worship Book.

Bibles: Today's NIV

CCL licence: 121490

Worship Leaders: Yes

Readers: Available for Morning Service via Steward.

Notices: Printed, with additional notices given at beginning.
Offertory when the preacher directs.

Other: In sanctuary, hearing system – need to use headset provided. In Falder Hall – loop system.
Organ, electronic keyboard and piano for some services (please enquire if we have an organist/pianist available), otherwise Hymnal Plus. CD/DVD player/ recorder.
Lapel radio microphone, with static microphones on lectern and pulpit.
Power Point can be incorporated in the service if slides/hymns are sent with at least one week's notice.

Woodlands Park

Congregation:	About 15.
Children:	Stewards will let preachers know if any children are expected. They usually spend part of the service on quiet activities at a table at the back of the church Communion Service – children (if any) stay in for Communion.
Books:	Singing the Faith, Hymns & Psalms No projection, or mechanical reproduction. For other hymns, preachers please bring copies, and music. Methodist Worship Book.
CCL licence:	937828
Bibles:	Good News available, but not kept in pews.
Worship Leaders:	None
Readers:	Available via Steward.
Notices:	Printed; any additional notices given at beginning of service.
Offertory	As directed by Preacher.
Contact:	The Steward on duty is responsible for contacting the Preacher a few days before the service for hymns and readings, and to discuss any other needs.
Other:	There is a Loop System for those with hearing difficulties. Preachers are asked to speak near the microphones, please – there are two (one at the pulpit, the other at the lectern).