

Our Mission Statement

Our purpose is to worship God,
to care for those in need,
to encourage others to come
to faith in Jesus Christ, and
to share His love in our
community and the world around us.



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Welcome to Morning Worship at Chapel Lane

11am Sunday 2nd November 2025

led by Nigel Bailey

Readings : Deuteronomy 32 : 48 - 52

Deuteronomy 34 : 1 - 12

10.55am Sunday 9th November 2025

(including Act of Remembrance)

led by Sandra Elkin

Church Diary

Sunday 2nd

Breathing Space – 7.00pm Soul Cafe

Monday 3rd

Probationer Preparation Presentation – 7.00pm Soul Cafe

Tuesday 4th

Family History Group – 7.00pm Soul Cafe back room

Thursday 6th

10.00am - 12.30pm Soul Cafe

7.30pm Thursday homegroup

Saturday 8th

10.00am - 12.30pm Soul Cafe

Remembrance Sunday 9th

Morning Service – led by Sandra Elkin

Wednesday 12th

Roving Ramblers – Anderwood Car Park

10.30am Waterside Methodist Fellowship

Thursday 13th

10.00am - 12.30pm Soul Cafe

Saturday 15th

10.00am - 12.30pm Soul Cafe

Sunday 16th

Morning Service - led by Rev'd Tony Parkinson
(with holy communion)



Breathing Space
Sunday 2nd November 7pm

Soul Cafe
North Road
Dibden Purlieu
SO45 4PG



Preparing for a Probationer Minister

7pm Monday 3rd November Soul Cafe

Rev'd Stephen Robinson will be taking us through the process of applying for and then preparing for the arrival of a Probationer Minister in September 2026. It would be good for all to attend his presentation



Remembrance Sunday Service

Remember that our Remembrance Sunday Service next Sunday is **starting at 10.55am**, so that our Act of Remembrance can start at 11am sharp



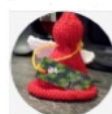
Christmas Angels



CHRISTMAS ANGEL

Don't forget to keep making those Christmas angels so that we can bless our neighbours and local community with God's message of love and peace.

If you have any questions or are in need of patterns, wool or anything else please text Lisa Last on 077390 41823 or contact Manny at sm_fordham@msn.com



New Forest for Ukraine



Donations for Ukrainian families are still needed, and Liz Moore is very happy to take these to the New Forest for Ukraine Hub in Lymington, from where they are sent on.

There is a particular need for over the counter medication, such as paracetamol, ibuprofen, indigestion tablets, and first aid equipment but no prescription medicines.

For further details speak to Liz or Manny or go to <https://www.newforestforukraine.org/requireddonations>

If you would like someone to pray with, please speak to a prayer partner or the duty steward after the service
Your prayer partners are Manny Fordham and Linda Matthews





Many very Happy Birthday wishes this week to Kath Young. May your special day be full of fun and joy and many blessings

Birthdays are feathers in the broad wing of time Jean Ritcher



Roving Ramblers Wednesday 12th November



Meet 10am at [Anderwood Car Park](#)

We meet for a 4 to 5 mile walk (lasting 2 – 2 ½ hours) in the New Forest on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month. It is open for anyone to join and is an opportunity to meet new friends, bring your own friend or even your dog along for a walk.

PLEASE NOTE ALL WALKS ARE LIMITED TO 25 PEOPLE

Please contact Phil Butterfield for more details
Telephone 023 80845 684 Mobile: 07708 582285
E-mail: cedarofhythe@btinternet.com

Autumn Sustainability Tips

Save energy on heating and hot water : Installing loft insulation can pay for itself through saved heating costs in as little as two years, Closing curtains at night can help keep the chill out and wearing more layers can also keep you cosy

Grow / buy / cook with seasonal foods : Eating foods that are in season in the UK at this time, such as apples, cabbage, parsnips, pears and squash can reduce food miles and so lower your carbon footprint. Batch cooking suitable soups and stews can also save on cooking costs and provide a quick meal.

Leave resources in the garden : Leaving a thin layer of leaves across the lawn and flower beds will nourish the soil and protect plants against cold weather. A larger pile in a corner will provide a great habitat for insects. Seed heads on flowers that have passed their best can still provide food for birds over the winter.

Something to share

Southampton Methodist Circuit



It would be good the Southampton Circuit website (www.southamptoncircuit.org.uk) could be regularly updated to reflect our active and vibrant churches, so please send details of any events and activities (and any accompanying photos) to Christine our Circuit Administrator at christine.hughessmc@outlook.com.

Would you like to receive the notices by email? If so, please send an email to info@watersidemethodist.org



Pastoral Care If you are in need of a visit or a phone call, please contact Jenny Howse our Pastoral Lead by phoning 023 8084 8495 or emailing thehowsefamily@googlemail.com

If you have an urgent prayer request then please contact Linda Matthews or phoning or texting 07879 863592 or emailing lindamatpop@sky.com



Your request will be circulated to members of the church who have committed to pray

Waterside Foodbank

Items most needed



Carrier bags	UHT milk
40's Tea bags	Coffee
Sponge puddings	Tinned fruit
Ginger Cake	Rice pudding
Tins of potatoes	Carrots
Toiletries (Shampoo, toothpaste, toothbrush)	



Registered Charity 1136282
waterside.foodbank.org.uk Tel: 07768 713329



This year Waterside Methodist Church will be running a stall at the Fawley Yuletide Fayre jointly with our friends from All Saints Fawley.

The Fayre is on **Saturday 6th December** from 4pm - 7pm, and it would be good to have folk who can help on the day. If you are able to spare an hour or more, please let Linda or Lesley know. There will also be a meeting to finalise arrangements and prepare the goody bags that will be given away at the Good Shepherd on **Thursday 4th December** at 6pm for anyone who is able to come along, this shouldn't take long.

WMC Woolston Methodist Church, Manor Road North, Ichen, Southampton. SO19 2DU

Saturday 8th November
7.00 p.m.

Skittles Evening

Choices of Meat or Vegetarian meal with drinks

£6.00 Adults
£4.00 Under 16s

Message Andy on 07850975100 or email info.woolstonmc@gmail.com to pass on your food preferences

Church Stewards: Judith Bell, Lesley Butterfield, Manny Fordham, Jan Gaunt, Linda Matthews, Mark Price

The next notice sheet is on Sunday 16th November so please send Manny any items you would like included by Thursday 13th November by emailing sm_fordham@msn.com or phoning 023 8089 0804. The next one after that will be for Sunday 30th November

