



# The **Methodist Church**

## **Northampton District**



**Hinckley Circuit**

**23/11**

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## **CIRCUIT PREACHING PLAN**

### **January – March 2024**

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## LECTIONARY READINGS FOR THIS QUARTER

It is not obligatory for our preachers or churches to use these set readings, and there will be many occasions when other readings are chosen. However, it does give us a general framework for our study of scripture, and members of our congregations have told us that they have found it helpful to know of this pattern of readings.

Year B, principal service

January 7 <sup>th</sup>	January 14 <sup>th</sup>	January 21 <sup>st</sup>	January 28 <sup>th</sup>
Ordinary 1	Ordinary 2	Ordinary 3	Ordinary 4
Genesis 1: 1-5 Psalm 29 Acts 19: 1-7 Mark 1: 4-11	1 Samuel 3: 1-10, (11-20) Psalm 139: 1-6 and 13-18 1 Corinthians 6: 12-20 John 1: 43 - 51	Jonah 3: 1-5 and 10 Psalm 62: 5-12 1 Corinthians 7: 29-31 Mark 1: 14-20	Deuteronomy 18: 15-20 Psalm 111 1 Corinthians 8: 1-13 Mark 1: 21-28

February 4 <sup>th</sup>	February 11 <sup>th</sup>	February 18 <sup>th</sup>	February 25 <sup>th</sup>
Ordinary 5	Sunday b4 Lent	Lent 1	Lent 2
Isaiah 40: 21-31 Psalm 147: 1-11, 20c 1 Corinthians 9: 16-23 Mark 1: 29-39	2 Kings 2: 1-12 Psalm 50: 1-6 2 Corinthians 4: 3-6 Mark 9: 2-9	Genesis 9: 8-17 Psalm 25: 1-10 1 Peter 3: 18-22 Mark 1: 9-15	Genesis 17: 1-7 and 15-16 Psalm 22: 23-31 Romans 4: 13-25 Mark 8: 21-38

March 3 <sup>rd</sup>	March 10 <sup>th</sup>	March 17 <sup>th</sup>	March 24 <sup>th</sup>	March 31 <sup>st</sup>
Lent 3	Lent 4 Mothering Sunday	Lent 5 Passion Sunday	Lent 6 Palm Sunday	Easter Day
Exodus 20: 1-17 Psalm: 19 1 Corinthians 1: 18-25 John 2: 13-22	Numbers 21: 4-9 Psalm 107: 1-3 and 17-22 Ephesians 2: 1-10 John 3: 14-21	Jeremiah 31: 31-24 Psalm 51: 1-12 <i>or</i> Psalm 119: 9-16 Hebrews 5: 5-10 John 12: 20-33	<u>Entry into Jerusalem</u> Mark 11:1-11 <i>or</i> John 12:12-16 <u>Liturgy of the Passion</u> Psalm 118: 1-2, 19-29 Isaiah 50: 4-9a Psalm: 31: 9-16 Philippians 2: 5-11 Mark 14: 1-15, 47 <i>or</i> Mark 15:1-39 (40-47)	Acts 10:34-43 <i>or</i> Isaiah 25:6-9 Psalm 118: 1-2, 14-24 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 <i>or</i> Acts 10:34-43 John 20:1-18 <i>or</i> Mark 16:1-8

January This month we pray for Higham	<b>January 7<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>January 14<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>January 21<sup>st</sup></b>		<b>January 28<sup>th</sup></b>	
	Ordinary 1		Ordinary 2		Ordinary 3		Ordinary 4	
Barwell	10:45	Ware		Holt		Baker		C Haddon
Stapleton	10:30	@Barwell		LA		@ Barwell		Lomax HC
Burbage	10:30 pm	C Haddon X		Ware 4.00 Refresh		Mukorombindo HC X		Starbuck X
Earl Shilton	10:30 pm	Lomax Cov 4.30 Café		Lapper X		CT UA X		Grice X
Higham	10:30	U @ Stoke		Hoggar HC		UA		Coley UM
Hinckley	10:30	Mukorombindo Cov		C Haddon		Lomax		Davies
Newbold Verdon	10:30	Coley		Lomax Cov		Lapper		Baker
Sapcote	10:30 pm	LA X		Mukorombindo Cov X		Grice SCD X		Mukorombindo U @ All Saints 4.00 Roots
Stoke Golding	10:30	A Haddon		X		Hoggar Cov HC		U @ Higham
Stoney Stanton	3pm	Cooke Cov		X		Ware		X

### PLAN REFERENCES

Cov	Covenant Service	SCD	Something Completely Different
CT	Churches Together	U	United Service
HC	Holy Communion	UA	United Service at Anglican Church
LA	Local Arrangement	UM	United Service at Methodist Church

February This month we pray for Hinckley	<b>February 4<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>February 11<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>February 18<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>February 25<sup>th</sup></b>	
	Ordinary 5		Sunday b4 Lent		Lent 1		Lent 2	
Barwell	10:45	Lomax B	Davies		Holt		Grice	
Stapleton	10:30	@ Barwell	LA		@ Barwell		Cooke	
Burbage	10:30 pm	Roberts X	Mukorombindo Rom 4.00 Refresh		Cameron Rom X		A Haddon Rom X	
Earl Shilton	10:30 pm	C Haddon 4.30 Café	Fisher X		Lomax PV HC X		Holt X	
Higham	10:30	U @ Stoke	Hoggar HC		UA		Hampton CA UM	
Hinckley	10:30	Mukorombindo	LA		Mukorombindo HC		Baker	
Newbold Verdon	10:30	Holt	Ware		Cooke		Lomax	
Sapcote	10:30 pm	LA SCD X	Grice X		LA X		Mukorombindo HC 4.00 Roots	
Stoke Golding	10:30	Grice	X		Hoggar HC		U @ Higham	
Stoney Stanton	3pm	Cooke HC	X		Mukorombindo		X	

### PLAN REFERENCES

B	Baptism	SCD	Something Completely Different
CA	Church Anniversary	T	Toy Service
HC	Holy Communion	U	United Service
LA	Local Arrangement	UA	United Service at Anglican Church
PV	Pastoral Visitors Commissioning	UM	United Service at Methodist Church
ROM	Romans Course		

March This month we pray for Newbold Verdon	March 3 <sup>rd</sup>	March 10 <sup>th</sup>	March 17 <sup>th</sup>	March 24 <sup>th</sup>	March 31 <sup>st</sup>
	Lent 3	Lent 4 Mothering Sunday	Lent 5 Passion Sunday	Lent 6 Palm Sunday	Easter Day
Barwell 10:45	Lomax CA HC	Coley	Roberts	Holt	Lomax HC
Stapleton 10:30	@ Barwell	LA	@Barwell	C Haddon	@ Barwell
Burbage 10:30 pm	Grant CA X	Ware Rom 4.00 Refresh	C Haddon Rom X	Grice X	Mukorombindo HC X
Earl Shilton 10:30 pm	Davies 4.30 Café	Lomax AoS X	Baker X	A Haddon X	Starbuck X
Higham 10:30	U @ Stoke	UA	LA	Lomax	U @ Stoke
Hinckley 10:30	Roberts P	Mukorombindo	Cameron CA HC	Davies	Coley
Newbold Verdon 10:30	Lapper	Sutcliffe	Lomax HC	Roberts	8.15 Lomax HC 10.30 Lapper
Sapcote 10:30 pm	Hancock CA X	A Haddon X	LA SCD X	Mukorombindo 4.00 Roots	6.30 SS HC Mukorombindo 10.30 Cooke HC X
Stoke Golding 10:30	Hoggar HC	X	Lapper CA	U @ Higham	Hoggar Messy Church
Stoney Stanton 3pm	Cooke HC	X	Starbuck	X	X

### PLAN REFERENCES

AoS	Ark on Sunday	SCD	Something Completely Different
CA	Church Anniversary	SS	Sunrise Service on Field
HC	Holy Communion	U	United Service
LA	Local Arrangement	UA	United Service at Anglican Church
P	Parade Service	UM	United Service at Methodist Church
ROM	Romans course		

## CIRCUIT NEWS

**Additional Printed copies** of this Plan can be obtained on request from the Circuit Office

### **CIRCUIT OFFICE**

The Circuit Administrator is in the Circuit Office on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

The Circuit Finance Officer is in the Circuit Office on Wednesday mornings. Correspondence received after Wednesday morning may not be actioned until the following week.

Matters of finance should be addressed to Lucy at: [finance@hinckleymethodistcircuit.org.uk](mailto:finance@hinckleymethodistcircuit.org.uk)

All other enquiries for the Circuit Office should be addressed to Chris at [office@hinckleymethodistcircuit.org.uk](mailto:office@hinckleymethodistcircuit.org.uk)

The telephone number for both Chris and Lucy is 01455 851930 and any post should be addressed to the Circuit Office, Earl Shilton Methodist Church, Wood Street, Earl Shilton LE9 7ND

### ***DATES FOR YOUR DIARY***

#### **BARWELL with STAPLETON**

##### **BARWELL**

**Short Prayer service** Wednesday mornings from 10am -10.30am.

**Blokes Breakfast Club** first Saturday each month from 8.30am at Barwell Methodist Church.

**Coffee Morning** 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the Month 10:30 to 12 noon

##### **STAPLETON**

**Coffee morning** on the second Sat. of each month 10am – 12noon. Coffee / tea, teacakes etc., tombola, cards, hand knits

**Craft Club** Wednesdays 2 to 4pm

#### **BURBAGE**

**Forget-Me-Not Café** 10.30am - 12.00noon 4th Wednesday of each month

A friendly and relaxed environment for those living with memory loss, their carers and loved ones to meet and share with others who understand, and a place to find out information on support services in your area.

**Messy church** - Held monthly on the fourth Friday of each month 4.30 – 6.00 pm.

Burbage Farmers' Market held on the church car park every first Saturday of the month from 9am-12noon. The Church is open for coffee, cake and Fairtrade

**“CONNECT” Drop-in** Tuesday mornings 10am – 12noon during term time

Drop in for coffee – chat – meet a friend – play a board game – do a jigsaw – bring your knitting or a newspaper. All are welcome to come and connect with us

## **EARL SHILTON**

**Book Stall, Mini-Market and Coffee Morning** every Tuesday morning

**The Ark** – Tuesdays 3-4:30pm @ Earl Shilton Methodist Church, Wood Street.

Family friendly. Come and share coffee, cake and snacks. A place to meet people.

This café does not charge for any of its services. We will accept donations if you are able to.

## **HIGHAM ON THE HILL**

**Coffee morning** on the first Thursday of the month

**Meeting Point** on the third Thursday of each month: Soup, dessert and tea/coffee for £5.00 at 12.30pm.

**Craft group** meeting on Wednesday afternoons from 2pm to 5 pm

## **HINCKLEY**

### **4 Tuesdays in Lent**

A frugal lunch of Soup and a roll, and the opportunity to discuss Lent related topics

Tuesday February 27th, March 5 th, 12th, 19th, 11.30 - 1.30.

## **NEWBOLD VERDON**

**Maundy Thursday** communion 7.30pm - Thursday 28th March led by Rev. Andrew Lomax

**Good Friday service Friday 29th March**, TBC United at the Baptist Church

**Easter Day 31st March** 9.00 am Breakfast followed by Morning Worship at 10.30am

**Coffee Morning** - 1st Saturday in each month

Coffee, tea & biscuits served. Hot toasted teacakes. Home-made cakes stall plus other stalls to browse. Everyone very welcome!

## **SAPCOTE**

**Friday Family Fun** 5 to 6:30pm

**Café Worship** on the 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of each month 7 to 9pm

## **STOKE GOLDING**

**Messy Church:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month

## **STONEY STANTON**

**Coffee morning** on the last Thursday of each month 10 - 11.30am (not January)

## LOCAL PREACHERS

1969	Gwen Coley	699278
1974	Judith A Cooke	823008
1980	Colin Haddon	617692
1981	Malcolm Lapper	843130
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1989	Neville Spark*	282652
1990	Keith Ware	635083
1992	Jean Heppingstall*	842503
1995	Lynda Coleman*	823960
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## CIRCUIT EVENTS

**CIRCUIT SERVICE** - none this quarter

## CHILDREN & YOUTH MINISTRY PRAYER BREAKFAST

Look out for updates in your Church notices and the Circuit Newsletter

## LOCAL PREACHERS MEETING

The next meeting of Local Preachers and Worship Leaders will be on 5<sup>th</sup> March, 7:30pm at Barwell

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Claire Sutcliffe

Andrew Lomax	Friday
Patricia Mukorombindo	Friday

## Requests & dates should be with Colin Haddon by:

April to June 2024 plan: **2<sup>nd</sup> February 2024**  
July to September 2024 plan: **3<sup>rd</sup> May 2024**  
October to December 2024 plan: **2<sup>nd</sup> August 2024**  
January to March 2025 plan: **2<sup>nd</sup> November 2024**

Preachers unable to take an appointment must arrange an accredited substitute and inform the Superintendent.

The telephone area code is 01455 unless otherwise stated.

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