

A prayer call for Epiphany

O Lord God,

*Who gave the wise men of old a glorious star
to lead them to the Christ;*

*Grant that we to whom you have given a yet more
glorious sign, even his holy cross,*

*May follow and be led by it the whole way
to our salvation and your heaven*

*Through the same Jesus Christ our Lord,
Amen*

This morning we welcome Sue French as our preacher, and the Rev'd Jack Jenkins (with Val) this evening. We also welcome any visitors who are with us today. If you can, do stay after the morning service for refreshments in the hall.

Songs for this morning service are
51; 50; 506; 799

Bible reading Philippians chapter 1 verses 3-11

Evening service

Hymns 204; 67; 65; 393; 524

Bible reading Exodus chapter 33 verses 12-23

Revelation chapter 21 verse 22 to chapter 22 verse 5

Next Sunday—Covenant Service

Preacher

AM Rev'd Bob Kitching. Covenant Service, during which the Sacrament of Holy Communion will be observed.

PM Kathy Elvy

Duty Steward. Jill Letts

Door Stewards

AM Jill Sutton

PM Kathy Saunders

Flowers and refreshments Naomi and Herbie

Chapel Anniversary—February 4th.
As previously advertised, friends from St Barnabas Church will be joining us for a joint lunch. There will be no evening service.

If you can help with the food, please sign the list on the table in the foyer.
Thank you

The Christmas Day collection amounted to £64. This was donated to Action for Children. Many thanks to those who contributed.



Getting tired of the cold and the wind? Here's what John Wesley thought about it -

John Wesley was a great recorder of the weather, as well as herbal remedies and other sciences of the time. He said,

"It is certainly most profitable for us to have a variety of seasons. We could not bear either to be constantly in storms or constantly in a calm"

Taken from the Methodist Recorder.

SWANMORE METHODIST CHURCH



Minister—

Rev'd David Moss

7th January 2018
Epiphany



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COMING UP THIS WEEK

Tuesday 10.00 am Coffee and
Company
(Food and Fellowship cancelled due to
illness)

7.30 pm TLC—Film
Night—'Lion'

Thursday 9.00 am Buggies and
Brunch

7.30 pm Church meeting
(See below)

This coming Thursday 11 January
at 7.30 pm we are having a meeting
here in church "Ideas for growing
our church". Everyone is welcome.
Please come if you can. If you are
unable to attend but have an idea,
please put it in writing and pass it to
a steward. Our Pioneer Missioner
Pete Bangs will be at the meeting
too.

Please send any items for inclusion in the next week's
notices, in writing, to Jill Sutton, 'Woodbank', Chase
Grove, W/Chase tel 01489892824 by 12 noon
Thursday next. See details below
email jillessutton@btinternet.com
It would be appreciated if any changes to the duty
rotas could be given to Jill before the notices are due to
be prepared. Thank you.