

January 2024

Connexional year 2023-2024	7th	14th	21st	28th
	10.30am*	10.30am	10.30am	10.30am
	Sunday after Epiphany	Second Sunday Ordinary Time	Third Sunday Ordinary Time	Fourth Sunday Ordinary Time
Lectionary Readings	Genesis 1:1-5 Psalm 29 Acts 19:1-7 Mark 1:4-11	1 Sam' 3:1-10 (11-20) Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18 1 Corinthians 6:12-20 John 1:43-51	Jonah 3:1-5, 10 Psalm 62:5-12 1 Corinthians 7:29-31 Mark 1:14-20	Deut' 18:15-20 Psalm 111 1 Corinthians 8:1-13 Mark 1:21-28
Bishop's Waltham	Gilbert	Harper	T Banks	Griffin Cov HC
Hambleton	Griffin Cov HC	Stuppel	Chambers	French
Shirrell Heath	Chester	Cole CC	Griffin Cov HC	Freemantle
Swanmore	Cole	Griffin Cov HC	Elvy/Letts	Boswell
Waltham Chase	9.30am BF	Kitching Cov HC	Swindell	Youth led service

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February 2024

Connexional year 2023-2024	4th	11th	18th	25th
	10.30am *	10.30am	10.30am	10.30am
	Fifth Sunday Ordinary Time	Sunday before Lent	First Sunday in Lent	Second Sunday in Lent
Lectionary Readings	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, 15-16 Psalm 22:23-31 Romans 4:13-25 Mark 8:31-38
Bishop's Waltham	Childs	Westerduin/ Weckwerth 6pm CS Griffin	R Banks HC	De Ville CA
Hambleton	Barber	Economides	Chester	Kitching HC
Shirrell Heath	Cousins	White CC	Griffin HC	Simons
Swanmore	Griffin HC	Bailey	Castle CA	Griffin
Waltham Chase	9.30am BF	Griffin HC	Burton	Morgan

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March 2024

Connexional year 2023-2024	3 rd	10 th	17 th	24 th	31 st
	10.30am*	10.30am	10.30am	10.30am*	10.30am
	Third Sunday in Lent	4 th S'day Lent Mothering S'day	Fifth Sunday in Lent	Sixth Sunday in Lent	EASTER DAY
Lectionary Readings *Alternatives are available	Exodus 20:1-17 Psalm 19 1 Corinthians 1:18-25 John 2:13-22	Numbers 21:4-9 Psalm 107:1-3, 17-22 Ephesians 2:1-10 John 3:14-21 <i>*Alternatives for Mothering Sunday</i>	Jeremiah 31:31-34 Psalm 51:1-12 or Psalm 119:9-16 Hebrews 5:5-10 John 12:20-33	<i>Entry into Jerusalem</i> Mk 11:1-11 or Jn 12:12-16. Ps 118:1-2, 19-29. <i>The Passion: Isa 50:4-9a.</i> Ps 31:9-16. Phil 2:5-11. Mk 14:1 – 15:47 or Mk 15:1-39 (40-47)	Acts 10:34-43 or Isaiah 25:6-9. Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24. 1 Corinthians 15:1-11. or Acts 10:34-43. John 20:1-18 or Mark 16:1-8
Bishop's Waltham	Bailey	French	Johns	Griffin	Gilbert HC
Hambledon	Griffin	Chambers	French	Freemantle	R Banks HC
Shirrell Heath	Westerduin	Griffin CC	R Banks HC	Tizzard	French
	6pm Prayer & Share				
Swanmore	Gilbert	Freemantle	Barber	Elvy	Griffin HC
Waltham Chase	9.30am BF	Westerduin/ Weckwerth	Griffin	Kitching HC	Westerduin

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April 2024

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	10.30am*	10.30am	10.30am	10.30am
	Second Sunday of Easter	Third Sunday of Easter	Fourth Sunday of Easter	Fifth Sunday of Easter
Lectionary Readings	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
Bishop's Waltham	Bailey	Castle	T Banks	Kitching HC
Hambleton	Jenkins	Stupple	Griffin HC	Rust
Shirrell Heath	Griffin HC	Cole CC	Waldron	Milliken
Swanmore	Morgan	Kitching HC	Chester	LA (Letts)
Waltham Chase	9.30am BF	Boswell	Miller	Griffin HC

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Church details

Bishops Waltham United Free Church

Membership: 28*

Basingwell Street, Bishops Waltham, SO32 1AL

Emergency Sunday Contact: Liz S on 07828 414518

Notes & resources: Occasional Toddler group inclusion in service on arrangement with preacher. Mission Praise Complete 2009, screen, Readers.

Worship Leaders: Liz Sorsky

Hambledon Methodist Church

Membership: 13

Green Lane, Hambledon, PO7 4ST

Emergency Sunday Contact: John on 02392 632305 or Val on 02393 072088

Notes & resources: Songs/Hymns & readings to John Sargent by Thursday before. Mission Praise Complete 2009, NIV, Readers, OHP, PowerPoint projector. Open prayer during praise time, intercessory prayers appreciated.

Worship Leaders: Val Jenkins, John Sargent

Shirrell Heath Methodist Church

Membership: 65

High Street, Shirrell Heath, SO32 2JN

Emergency Sunday Contact: Marion on 01329 833520 or 07883 484033

Notes & resources: All Age Worship for first 15 mins to involve children. H&P and many digital resources, PowerPoint projector, Choir, NIV, Readers.

Worship Leaders: Maureen Donnan, Anne Gilbert, Ena Mears, Derek Morgan

Swanmore Methodist Church

Membership: 48

Chapel Road, Swanmore, SO32 2QB

Emergency Sunday Contact: Kathy on 07860 148598

Notes & resources: Hymns & readings to stewards@s-m-c.org.uk by Thursday before. H&P, MP Combined words edition, PowerPoint, DVD/CD facilities, GNB.

Worship Leaders: Jill Letts **Musicians:** Marcus Charig, Graham Pearce

Waltham Chase Methodist Church

Membership: 72

Curdridge Lane, Waltham Chase, SO32 2LD

Emergency Sunday Contact: Jay on 07976 818658 or Mark C on 01489 895179

Notes & resources: All Age Worship for first 15 minutes to involve children. The Source, PowerPoint projector, Praise Group, Readers.

Worship Leaders: Margaret Hunt **Service Leaders:** Jay Kirby, Mark Tizzard

Musicians: Catherine Griffin, Margaret Hunt, Daisy Weckwerth

**Membership for Bishops Waltham includes Methodist and United Reformed members.*

We are therefore Christ's ambassadors, as though God were making his appeal through us. 2 Corinthians 5:20 [NIV]

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