

CIRCUIT STEWARDS

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NEXT PLAN: December, January and February 2027

Please could Preachers and Ministers enter your availability via the online planning tool by **Monday 28th September 2026**

Please could Church Senior Stewards send church requests and pre-arranged preaching appointments to the office by **Monday 28th September 2026**

If you have forgotten your log-in details or need help with the online planning tool please contact the Circuit Office for help

CIRCUIT OFFICERS

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COVENTRY & NUNEATON CIRCUIT PREACHING PLAN

Circuit 3/8 – September, October & November 2026

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CHURCH Presbyter membership	Time	6th Sept 23rd in Ordinary Time	13th Sept 24th in Ordinary Time	20th Sept 25th in Ordinary Time	27th Sept 26th in Ordinary Time
Arley CC 16	10:30 am	Coates	Mudzamiri	McBratney	G Gee HC/Harv
Atherstone AS 30	10:45 am	Warner	Smith HC	Cashmore	Cartwright
Balsall Com CC 55	10:30 am	Crabtree HC	Holdforth 10am	N Bishop	Coates Harv
Bedworth JM 24	10:30 am	N Bishop	J Marsh	Coates HC	Mukorombindo
Central Hall BS 144	10:30 am	No am service 3:30pm Circuit Service (Woodside)	Stennett HC/Cov	A Gee *T	LA
Collycroft JM 15	10:30 am 5:45 pm	Sunday Scene 3:30pm Circuit Service (Woodside)	Sunday Scene Prickett	Sunday Scene LA	Sunday Scene J Marsh HC
Earlsdon BS 76	10:30am	No am service (church open) 3:30pm Circuit Service (Woodside)	Wor/WFA	G Gee HC	Stennett WFA
Fillongley CC 80	9:00 am 10:30 am	Anglican	Coates HC	Anglican	Anglican
Horeston Grange AS 30	10:45 am	Cartwright	Fry	Smith HC	Lowe
Meriden CC 15	10:30 am	St L/BC	Crabtree HC	LA	J Marsh Cafe
Nuneaton JM 84	10:00 am 6:00 pm	J Marsh HC Fry D	Salter Marshall D	Deigh LA/D	Warner Harv LA/D
Radford & H BS 45	10:45am	No am service 3:30pm Circuit Service (Woodside)	Welham	Miles	N Bishop HC
Ridge Lane CC 11	10:30 am	Parnham	C Marsh	Crabtree HC	LA
Ryton JM 27	10:00 am	Miles	Prickett Harv/11am	Warner HC	LA
Woodside BS 67	10:30 am	No am service 3:30pm Circuit Service	G Gee	Stennett HC/Harv	A Gee *T
Coffee Shop Sunday	2:30 pm	Open Doors		Open Doors	

PREACHERS		
LOCAL PREACHERS		
Ann Bayliss - Meriden *	(1998)	John Prickett - Bedworth (1982)
Alan Bennell - Balsall Common*	(1988)	Tony Ranger– Balsall Common (1987)
Helen Bishop - Meriden	(2003)	Corin Sitch - Ridge Lane (2018)
Gerald Bradshaw - Central Hall*	(1971)	Anthea Turner - Nuneaton* (1978)
Karen Brooks - Balsall Common	(1998)	Lorna Warrener - Earlsdon* (1993)
Anne Cartwright - Nuneaton*	(1998)	Christine Welham - Balsall Common (1998)
Tony Cashmore - Atherstone	(1996)	* Not preaching at the moment
Rosemary Clemo - Atherstone*	(1972)	(T*) Requires Transport
Angela Coleman – Nuneaton	(2007)	LOCAL PREACHER ON TRIAL
Michael Coleman— Earlsdon*	(1965)	Charne Mukorombindo
Elizabeth Crouch (T*) - Nuneaton	(2009)	LOCAL PREACHERS ON NOTE
George Oworae Danquah – Central Hall	(2024)	Vincent Malachie Agre
Deacon Susan Fry Ryto	(1981)	Oliver Mhandu
Trevor Gay - Central Hall	(2015)	PREACHERS - Ecumenical Partnership
Alison Gee (T*) - Central Hall	(1989)	Janet Agar
Michael Harris—Woodside*	(1958)	Brian Cartwright
William Holdforth - Earlsdon	(2006)	Pam Deacon
David Kershaw - Earlsdon	(1965)	Paul Lowe
Pat Lawes - Atherstone*	(1996)	Steven Ward
Clive Marsh - Nuneaton	(1989)	VISITING PREACHERS
Ethel Martin - Earlsdon	(2014)	Margaret Marshall
Penny McAinsh - Earlsdon	(2010)	Revd Siperire Mugazaweta
Dr Hugh McCredie - Balsall Common	(2005)	Revd Richard Wilde
John Miles - Central Hall	(2010)	Danielle Wilson
Heather Mills—Earlsdon*	(1991)	
Judith Mudzamiri—Central Hall	(2000)	
Sam Murray - Nuneaton*	(1984)	
Patricia Nightingale - Central Hall*	(2001)	
John Parnham - Arley	(1996)	

SAVE THE DATES!

Sunday 6th September 2026

Circuit Service - Welcome to a new Methodist Year

 Date: Sunday 6th September 2026

 Time: 3.30pm followed by tea and bring and share food

Wednesday 16th September 2026

Canva Training (online graphic design tool) time & venue tbc

“Living with Difference” talks by Revd Pauline Warner & Revd Clive Fowle

Both talks to take place at Coventry Methodist Central Hall

21st September at 6:30pm - Talk on Edith Stein and the Day of Atonement

19th October at 6:30pm – Talk on ‘Touch of Hope’

WORSHIP LEADERS

Balsall Common

Mary Cotterrell

Penny McCulloch

Nuneaton

Peter Dipple

Worship Leaders in Training

Tafadzwa Mukorombindo

Coventry Central Hall

Carol Ashby

Elaine Davenport

Jackie Moreton

Dianabasi Nkantah

Earlsdon

Helen Holdforth

Lynne Horsler

Alison Lawn

Tae Sigauke

Ben Rose

ABBREVIATIONS

AAW All Age Worship Service

Cafe Café Style

CA Church Anniversary

Cov Covenant Service

D Digital Service

Eco Eco Themed Service

GS Gift Service

HC Communion

LA Local Arrangement

Priz Prize Giving Family Service

SS Sunday Scene

Tree Christmas Tree Festival

WFA Worship For All

Wor Worship Band

CHURCH Presbyter membership	Time	4th October 27th in Ordinary Time	11th October 28th in Ordinary Time	18th October 29th in Ordinary Time	25th October 30th in Ordinary Time
Arley CC 16	10:30 am	Parnham	Coates	Cashmore	Crabtree HC
Atherstone AS 30	10:45 am	Smith Harv	Ward	Agar	Deacon HC
Balsall Com CC 55	10:30 am	Crabtree HC	Welham	McCredie	LA
Bedworth JM 24	10:30 am	Salter	Mudzamiri	J Marsh HC	LA
Central Hall BS 144	10:30 am	C Marsh	McBratney Harv	Stennett/Wilson HC	G Gee
Collycroft JM 15	10:30 am 5:45 pm	Prickett AAW/Harv	Sunday Scene Fry	Sunday Scene Prickett/J Marsh HC	
Earlsdon BS 76	10:30am	Holdforth	Eco/Harv/WFA	G Gee	Stennett HC/WFA
Fillongley CC 80	9:00 am 10:30 am	Anglican	Warner HC	N Bishop HC	Anglican
Horeston Grange AS 30	10:45 am	Warner	Lowe	Smith HC	Cartwright
Meriden CC 15	10:30 am	St L/BC	Crabtree HC/Harv	McBratney	Warner Cafe
Nuneaton JM 84	10:00 am 6:00 pm	J Marsh HC Marshall D	LA J Marsh D	Holdforth Fry D	J Marsh J Marsh D
Radford & H BS 45	10:45am	McBratney	Stennett HC/Harv	McAinsh	LA
Ridge Lane CC 11	10:30 am	H Bishop	Salter	Crabtree HC	N Bishop
Ryton JM 27	10:00 am	Miles	J Marsh HC	Prickett	Butterworth
Woodside BS 67	10:30 am	Coates	Jennings HC	Gay	LA
Coffee Shop Sun- day	2:30 pm	Open Doors		Open Doors	

CHURCH Presbyter/ Membership	Time	1st November All Saints	8th November 32nd in Ordinary Time	15th November 33rd in Ordinary Time	22nd November Sunday before Advent	29th November 1st of Advent
Arley CC16	10:30 am	Parnham	LA	Salter	Warner	Crabtree HC
Atherstone AS 30	10:45 am	Fowle	Agar	Cashmore	Smith HC	Agar
Balsall Comm CC 55	10:30 am	H Bishop	Stennett Rem	Crabtree HC	Jennings	Warner GS
Bedworth JM 24	10:30 am	Prickett	Fry	J Marsh HC	Rowland	G Gee CA
Central Hall BS 144	10:30 am	A Gee *T	Coates HC	Miles	Wilson	Joint at Earlsdon
Collycroft JM 15	10:30 am 5:45 pm	Sunday Scene McBratney	Sunday Scene Prickett	Warner Priz	Sunday Scene Coates HC	Sunday Scene J Marsh
Earlsdon BS 76	10:30am	Coates	Kershaw	Mugazaweta	McBratney HC	Stennett Joint with Central Hall Radford & Woodside
Fillongley CC 80	9:00 am 10:30 am	Anglican	Angl/Rem10am	Anglican	Anglican	Salter HC
Horeston Grange AS 30	10:45 am	Lowe	Cartwright	Smith HC	J Marsh	LA
Meriden CC 15	10:30 am	St L/BC	Crabtree Rem at St Lau	McAinsh CA	Salter Cafe	N Bishop
Nuneaton JM 84	10:00 am 6:00 pm	J Marsh LA/D	Rowland HC J Marsh D	C Marsh LA/D	N Bishop Fry D	J Marsh Marshall D
Radford & H BS 45	10:45 am	Stennett HC	Gay	G Gee	McCredie	10:30am joint at Earlsdon
Ridge Lane CC 11	10:30 am	LA	Salter Rem	Holdforth	Crabtree HC	Mudzamiri
Ryton JM 27	10:00 am	Cashmore	J Marsh HC	Mukorombindo	Coates	Fry Tree
Woodside BS 67	10:30 am	C Marsh	Wilde	A Gee *T	Stennett HC	Joint at Earlsdon
Coffee Shop Sunday	2:30 pm	Open Doors		Open Doors		

Welcome to the next Methodist year!

We have a welcome service on 6th Sept, as you will see, and we hope you will all join us there.

We will welcome a new combination of Circuit Leadership Team and of ministers to various churches.

We will also celebrate the rich diversity of gifts and activities happening around the circuit.

Things are changing all the time in Methodism, as in the world around us.

We are given the grace to respond to these changes with kindness and joy.

Thank you to those who have made this possible and, particularly, thanks to God for continuing mercies and inspiration.

We are looking forward to 2026-27 with hope.

Forward notice

This will be the last plan in the current format.

This is due to software changes beyond our control and also due to pressures on our administrator's time.

We thank Jane for all her work on the preaching plan thus far.

Like many other circuits, from Sept, we will have the directory (without a password but needing secure storage please)

And a plan simply with the preaching appointments on.