

Church	Time	1st June	8th June Pentecost	15th June	22nd June	29th June	6th July	13th July	20th July	27th July	3rd August	10th August	17th August	24th August	31st August
The Crossing LEP	10:30 a.m.	K Abel	Pothecary CM	Heathcote HC	Gee	T Abel	Pothecary HC	10:30 am at S.Anston	Heathcote	Own Arrangement	3:00 pm Coates BM1 TTP	Pratt BM2	Coates BM 3 HC	Pothecary BM 4	Heathcote & Pothecary US
The Grove	10:30 a.m.	Coates HC	10:30 am Hopkins ODCS 4:00 pm MeCh	Own Arrangement	10:45 am US at Hallcroft 5:00 pm Bhogal	9:00 am K Abel HC	Flower Festival – worship every hour	10:30 am at S.Anston 4:00 pm MeCh at Museum	A&B Letby US (with Hallcroft)	9:00 am Coates HC	Pratt BM1 US (with Hallcroft)	10:45 am BM2 US at Hallcroft	T & K Abel BM3 US (with Hallcroft) HC	10:45 am BM4 US at Hallcroft	US at Wheatley
Hallcroft		4:00 pm Coates	10:45 am Cantrill	4:00 pm Coates HC	10:45 am Newton US (with The Grove)	4:00 pm Pothecary GS	10:45 am Ferriter HC	10:30 am at S.Anston	10:30 am US at The Grove	10:45 am Hopkins	10:30 am BM1 US at The Grove	10:45 am Macdonald BM2 US (with The Grove) HC	10:30 am BM3 US at The Grove 4:00 pm Coates GS	10:45 am Coates BM4 US (with The Grove)	10:30 am US at Wheatley
Carlton	11:00 a.m.	Own Arrangement	10:30 am US at Parish Church	Burton HC	—	Pothecary CC	Sykes	10:30 am at S. Anston	Burton HC	—	Pothecary	—	Ferriter HC	—	10:30 am at The Crossing
Dinnington	10:30 a.m.	T Abel	3:00 pm US at N.Anston	Own Arrangement	Pothecary HC	Ferriter	Pinchbeck	10:30 am at S. Anston	Own Arrangement	Coates	10:30 am at North Anston	Pothecary BM2 US (with S.A N.A & Wales)	10:00 am at South Anston	2:00 pm at Wales	US at The Crossing
North Anston	10:30 a.m.	Pothecary US HC (with S.Anston)	3:00 pm Pothecary CC	Hurton	Coates	Sidney	10:00 am US at S. Anston	10:30 am at S. Anston	Own Arrangement Action for Children	Pinchbeck	Coates BM1 HC US (with Dinn, S.A & Wales)	10:30 am at Dinnington	10:00 am at South Anston	2:00 pm at Wales	US at The Crossing
South Anston	10:00 a.m.	10:30 am US at N. Anston	Pratt	Coates CC	Macdonald	Own Arrangement	Burton US HC (with N.Anston)	10:30 Hustler CA Circuit Service	Coates CC	Ferriter	10:30 am at North Anston	10:30 am at Dinnington	Macdonald BM3 US (with Dinn, N.A & Wales)	2:00 pm at Wales	10:30 am at The Crossing
Wales Kiveton	2:00 p.m.	—	Gee	—	Macdonald	—	—	10:30 am at S.Anston	—	Coates HC	10:30 am at North Anston	10:30 am at Dinnington 3:00 pm at Harthill Parish	10:00 am at South Anston	Coates BM4 US (with Dinn, S.A N.A)	10:30 am at The Crossing
Leverton LEP	10.30 a.m.	US at Hayton	Coates HC MC	9-11 am B/F MC	US at Clarborough	US at Sturton	US at Bole	Cantrill HC SLPC	9-11 am B/F MC	US at Wheatley	US at Clarborough	Ferriter & Walker Windmill	9-11 am B/F MC	US at Hayton	US at Wheatley
Wheatley LEP	10:30 a.m.	US at Hayton	US at Leverton MC	US at Bole	4 pm Sykes TTP	US at Sturton	US at Bole	US at SLPC	US at Sturton	Macdonald HC	US at Clarborough	US at Leverton Windmill	6 pm US at Sturton	US at Hatyon	Coates HC US

Forthcoming Dates

1st Sunday of every month at 2.15pm, short service at **Woodlands Care Home, North Anston**, led by Rev A Pothecary and members from North Anston

1st Wednesday of every month at 7pm, **Meditation Service** in the Oak Room at **South Anston**. All welcome.

Zoom Services for the former Whitwell congregation will be held at **6pm** on **1st June, 6th July and 3rd August** led by Rev’d Julie Coates
All welcome to join—contact one of the ministers for the zoom code.

There is a **Communion Service** at **11am every Thursday morning at The Grove**—this is a hybrid service, you can join on zoom, just ask for the link.

Everybody is encouraged to come along to the **5:00 pm** service at **The Grove** on **Sunday 22nd June**. Preacher: **Rev’d Inderjit Bhogal**, former President of Conference, who was ordained at The Grove 45 years ago. Theme: Sanctuary

Abbreviations

AA = All Age
B = Baptism
BM1, BM2, BM3, BM4 = Bible Month
B/F = Breakfast Church
CA = Church Anniversary
CC = Café Church
CM = Church Meeting
GS = Garden Service
HC = Sacrament of Holy Communion
MC = Methodist Church
MeCh = Messy Church
NLPC = North Leverton Parish Church
OA = Own Arrangement
ODCS = Open Door Calm Space
SLI = South Leverton Institute
SLPC = South Leverton Parish Church
TTP = Tea Time Praise
US = United Service

Chair of District Rev'd Gill Newton

Circuit Staff

Rev'd Julie Coates Methodist Superintendent

Rev'd Angela Pothecary Methodist Presbyter

Deacon Emily Hoe-Crook Methodist Deacon

Rev'd Mark Cantrill
Anglican Presbyter/Authorised Methodist Presbyter

Rev'd David Bean
Anglican Deacon/Associate Methodist Deacon

Supernumerary Ministers and Retired Clergy

Rev'd Meg Burton covering Carlton & South Anston

★ Rev'd Canon Peter Dadd

Rev'd Felicity Ferriter

Rev'd Bob Heathcote

Rev'd Alan Hindmarch

★ Rev'd Ann Le Mare

Rev'd Philip Macdonald

★ Rev'd Brian Peters

★ Rev'd Ron Taylor

★Not generally available to lead worship at present

Days off

Rev'd Mark Cantrill Monday

Rev'd Julie Coates Friday

Deacon Emily Hoe-Crook Thurs or Sat

Rev'd Angela Pothecary works four days per week usually Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday.

Rev'd Meg Burton works two days per week, Mondays and alternate Tuesdays & Wednesdays.

For contact details

please see the Circuit Directory or contact
Rev'd Julie Coates 01777 702573

Methodist Local Preachers

1997 Keith Abel

2021 Teresa Abel

2000 ★Josie Dunster

1986 ★Christine Moyle

2006 Julian Pratt

2014 Roger Pinchbeck

1963 ★Sylvia Sercombe

In loving memory of
2011 Joan Simpson

2015 ★Judy Smith

1969 Janice Sykes

URC Lay Preacher

★Gwen Grant

Methodist Worship Leaders

Bea Hopkins

Nicola Hurton

Daphne Sidney

Sue Walker

Visiting Preachers

Rev'd Inderjit Bhogal

Rev'd Louise Gee

Rev'd Dr Jonathan Hustler

Rev'd Andrew Letby

Deacon Belinda Letby

Administrative Staff

Richard Dearden Circuit Operations Manager

Dave Burton Financial Administrator

Clare Biddle Facilities and Community Manager

Special Services
for the Chair of District
Goodbye and Thank You to Gill Newton,
Sunday 20th July
3:00 p.m. at Greenhill Methodist Church
Hello and Welcome to Vicky Atkins
Sunday 31st August
3:00 p.m. at Chesterfield Central Methodist Church

Worship Liaison Contacts

Carlton Mrs Helen Hindmarch

The Crossing (Duty steward will contact the preacher)

Dinnington (Duty steward will contact the preacher)

The Grove (Duty steward will contact the preacher)

Hallcroft Mrs Nicola Rowson

Leverton Mrs Sue Walker

Mr Mike Vessey

North Anston Mrs Ann Hall

South Anston (Duty steward will contact the preacher)

Wales Kiveton Mr Paul Joynes

Wheatley Mr Andrew and Mrs Jan Walster

Available Hymn Books

Carlton StF

The Crossing H&P; RS, SoF (2003), StF

Dinnington H&P; SoF(2003) StF

Hallcroft H&P; MP(2009) StF

The Levertons OC

North Anston H&P; JP; MP; SoF(1998) StF

Retford: The Grove H&P; MP(2009); StF

South Anston StF, H&P, JP

Wales Kiveton H&P; MP; also StF; SoF(2003)

Wheatley H&P, MP(1999) & Digital Hymnal

Key to available hymn books

- H&P Hymns & Psalms
- JP Junior Praise
- MP Mission Praise
- OC Hymns Old & New: One Church, One Faith, One Lord
- RS Rejoice & Sing
- SoF Songs of Fellowship
- StF Singing the Faith

Digital provision

Hymns can be projected onto screens at Carlton*, The Crossing*, North Anston, The Grove*, South Anston* and Wheatley. * = Wi-Fi available

The Methodist Church
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June - August 2025

Dear Friends,

I am writing this on Bank Holiday Monday, May 5th, at the beginning of the week in which we are celebrating the 80th anniversary of VE day. We have been so fortunate. Since the end of WWII we have not had war in Europe until Russia invaded Ukraine, largely thanks to the existence of the UN, the EU and NATO. But other countries have faced war, frequently in the Middle East, and centred around Palestine.

It is ironic that the birthplace of Jesus, a place that is holy to the three Abrahamic religions, Judaism, Islam and Christianity, and where Jesus taught about the supremacy of love, should be a melting pot of dissension. And that is a gross understatement.

It is all too easy to become disillusioned. Governments throughout the world are wanting to spend more on weapons. I wonder what would happen if they were to put as much money and effort into working for peace.

The 1945 Methodist Service of Thanksgiving for use on the Cessation of Hostilities in Europe ends with this Choral Supplication, which was sung by the congregation, kneeling. It is as pertinent today as then:

God bless our native land!
May heaven's protecting hand
Still guard our shore:
May peace her power extend,
Foe be transformed to friend,
And Britain's rights depend
On war no more.

Nor on this land alone,
But be God's mercies known
From shore to shore:
Lord make the nations see
That men should brothers be,
And form one family
The wide world o'er.

As I cease working in the circuit,
I ask God's blessing on you all. **Meg.**

We will be thanking Meg, for her work amongst us, at the Circuit Service at South Anston at 10:30 a.m. on Sunday 13th July