

# WIRRAL METHODIST CIRCUIT (18/09)

## Preaching Plan

December 2017 to February 2018



# Wirral Methodist Churches

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Christmastide Services**

## **Circuit Group 1**

Charing Cross Methodist Church  
226 Claughton Road,  
Birkenhead,  
CH41 4DX

St Luke's Methodist Church  
Market Street,  
Hoylelake, CH47 2AD

Tranmere Methodist Church  
Church Road,  
Tranmere,  
CH42 0LR

Woodchurch Methodist Church  
Pemberton Road,  
Woodchurch,  
CH49 8JL

	Charing Cross	Charing Cross	Tranmere	Tranmere
	10:45 am	6:30 pm	11:00 am	4:00 pm
3rd Dec Advent Sunday	A Clough	S Carpenter New Praise		
10th Dec 2nd of Advent	S Carpenter Lighthouse			S Carpenter Bible Study
17th Dec 3rd of Advent	P Reast	S Prest New Praise	S Carpenter Communion	
24th Dec 4th of Advent	S Carpenter	S Carpenter 11:30pm Communion		
31st Dec 1st of Christmas	T Edwards			
7th Jan 1st in Ordinary Time	S Carpenter Covenant	S Carpenter New Praise		
14th Jan 2nd in Ordinary Time	C Conway			S Carpenter Bible Study
21st Jan 3rd in Ordinary Time	S Carpenter Lighthouse	S Carpenter New Praise	R Staines	
28th Jan 4th in Ordinary Time	P Reast			
4th Feb 5th in Ordinary Time	S Carpenter Communion	S Carpenter New Praise		
11th Feb Sunday before Lent	A Fisher			S Carpenter Bible Study
18th Feb 1st of Lent	T Edwards	M Torchon New Praise	Own Arr.	
25th Feb 2nd of Lent	P Reast			

	Woodchurch	Hoylake	Hoylake
	10:30 am	10:30 am	6:00 pm
3rd Dec Advent Sunday	C Conway	P Reast Family	
10th Dec 2nd of Advent	A Rigby-Jones Communion	M Torchon	
17th Dec 3rd of Advent	Own Arr. W. Leaders Carols	A Rigby-Jones Communion Nativity	C Price Carols
24th Dec 4th of Advent	J Barnett 5:30pm Christingle	No Service	A Rigby-Jones 7:30pm Communion
31st Dec 1st of Christmas	P Reast Cafe Style	A Scaife	
7th Jan 1st in Ordinary Time	J Knott	A Rigby-Jones Cafe Style	
14th Jan 2nd in Ordinary Time	B Banton Covenant	P Reast	
21st Jan 3rd in Ordinary Time	S Price	A Scaife	
28th Jan 4th in Ordinary Time	Own Arr. W. Leaders Cafe Style	A Rigby-Jones Covenant	
4th Feb 5th in Ordinary Time	B Goodall	Own Arr. Family Cafe Style	
11th Feb Sunday before Lent	C Natton	P Reast	
18th Feb 1st of Lent	P Simms	A Scaife	
25th Feb 2nd of Lent	Own Arr. W. Leaders Cafe Style	J Crowther	

## **Circuit Group 2**

Claremount Methodist Church  
Claremount Road,  
Wallasey,  
CH45 6UE

St Andrews United Church (Methodist/United Reformed)  
Rowson Street  
New Brighton,  
CH45 2LY

	St Andrews	St Andrews	St Andrews	Claremount	Claremount
	9:00 am	10:45 am	3:00 pm	10:30 am	6:30 pm
3rd Dec Advent Sunday		P Beaman Communion		A Rigby-Jones Toy Service	B Exley Communion
10th Dec 2nd of Advent		L A-Threlfall Toy Service		M Thomas	A Rigby-Jones 4pm Messy Church
17th Dec 3rd of Advent		D Powell	4pm Carols around the tree	V Frances Tpt needed	B Exley Carols
24th Dec 4th of Advent		Own Arr. Worship Group		No Service	A Rigby-Jones 11:30pm Communion
31st Dec 1st of Christmas		No Service		Own Arr.	No Service
7th Jan 1st in Ordinary Time		L A-Threlfall Covenant		B Exley Covenant	K Goh
14th Jan 2nd in Ordinary Time	L A-Threlfall Breakfast Communion	S Andrew		J Stelfox	A Rigby-Jones 4pm Messy Church
21st Jan 3rd in Ordinary Time		L A-Threlfall Parade		A Rigby-Jones	M Torchon
28th Jan 4th in Ordinary Time		Utd Service @ Seacombe URC		Own Arr.	A Rigby-Jones
4th Feb 5th in Ordinary Time		L A-Threlfall		R Staines	Local Arr.
11th Feb Sunday before Lent		L A-Threlfall		A Rigby-Jones Communion	A Rigby-Jones 4pm Messy Church
18th Feb 1st of Lent		L A-Threlfall Traidcraft		Own Arr.	J Barnett
25th Feb 2nd of Lent		L A-Threlfall Healing		G Palmer	Local Arr.

## **Circuit Group 3**

St James' Ince (Thornton-le-Moors with Ince and Elton) LEP  
Pool Lane,  
Ince,  
Nr Chester,  
CH2

Hope Farm Methodist Church  
Hope Farm Road,  
Great Sutton,  
Ellesmere Port  
CH66 2LF

Little Sutton Methodist Church  
Chester Road,  
Little Sutton,  
CH66 1NL

MHA Mayfields - Ellesmere Port

Trinity Methodist Church  
Whitby Road,  
Ellesmere Port,  
CH65 0AE

	Little Sutton	Little Sutton	Mayfields	Trinity E. Port	Trinity E. Port	Trinity E. Port
	10:45 am	6:30 pm	2:30 pm	10:00 am	10:30 am	7:00 pm
3rd Dec Advent Sunday	J Bellfield	@Hope Farm 7 pm New Song	J Barnett		Own Arr.	
10th Dec 2nd of Advent	I Jackson	@Trinity EP 7pm Holy Port	Mrs S Cooper		R Uitterdijk	Own Arr. Holy Port
17th Dec 3rd of Advent	M Daley Carols	Own Arr. Carols	M Torchon	Own Arr. Glorious	P Simms	
24th Dec 4th of Advent	C Natton	J Bellfield 9pm Communion	MHA Chaplain		J Bellfield Carols	
31st Dec 1st of Christmas	@Trinity EP 10:30am Communion	J Bellfield 11:30pm Watchnight	No Service		J Bellfield Gp Service Communion	@Little Sutton 11:30pm Watchnight
7th Jan 1st in Ordinary Time	J Bellfield Covenant	@Hope Farm 7pm New Song	Mrs S Cooper		Own Arr.	@Hope Farm New Song
14th Jan 2nd in Ordinary Time	@Hope Farm 10:30am Jt Service	@Trinity EP 7pm Holy Port	S Anderson		@Hope Farm Jt Service	Own Arr. Holy Port
21st Jan 3rd in Ordinary Time	L Pillow		MHA Chaplain	Own Arr. Glorious	J Bellfield Covenant	
28th Jan 4th in Ordinary Time	J Bellfield Communion Gp Service		J Bellfield		@Little Sutton 10:45am Gp Service	
4th Feb 5th in Ordinary Time	J Bellfield	@Hope Farm 7pm New Song	Mrs S Cooper		Own Arr.	@Hope Farm New Song
11th Feb Sunday before Lent	Own Arr.	@Trinity EP 7pm Holy Port	J Knight		R Uitterdijk	Own Arr. Holy Port
18th Feb 1st of Lent	C Wood		MHA Chaplain	Own Arr. Glorious	J Bellfield	
25th Feb 2nd of Lent	@Hope Farm 10:30am Gp Service		A Fisher		@Hope Farm Gp Service	



	Hope Farm	Hope Farm	Hope Farm	St James' Ince
	09:00 am	10:30 am	6:30 pm	10:00 am
3rd Dec Advent Sunday	J Bellfield Communion	J Crowther AA 45mins	J Bellfield 7pm New Song	Anglican Arr
10th Dec 2nd of Advent		J Bellfield	@Trinity EP 7pm Holy Port	Anglican Arr
17th Dec 3rd of Advent		Own Arr.	J Bellfield Carols	J Bellfield
24th Dec 4th of Advent		Mr S Cooper	J Bellfield 4pm Christingle	Anglican Arr
31st Dec 1st of Christmas		@Trinity EP Communion	@Little Sutton 11:30pm Watchnight	Anglican Arr
7th Jan 1st in Ordinary Time		Mrs S Cooper AA 45mins	J Bellfield 7pm New Song	Anglican Arr
14th Jan 2nd in Ordinary Time		J Bellfield S Anderson Anniversary Covenant	J Bellfield Anniv.	Anglican Arr
21st Jan 3rd in Ordinary Time		Own Arr.	J Bellfield Communion	P Colyer
28th Jan 4th in Ordinary Time		@Little Sutton 10:45am Gp Service	Local Arr.	Anglican Arr
4th Feb 5th in Ordinary Time		J Knott AA 45mins	J Bellfield 7pm New Song	Anglican Arr
11th Feb Sunday before Lent		M Daley	@Trinity E P 7pm Holy Port	Anglican Arr
18th Feb 1st of Lent		CM Jones	Own Arr.	A Rigby-Jones Communion
25th Feb 2nd of Lent		J Bellfield Communion Gp Service	J Bellfield	Anglican Arr

## **Circuit Group 4**

Greasby Methodist Church  
Greasby Road,  
Greasby,  
CH49 2PN

Irby Methodist Church  
Mill Hill Road,  
Irby,  
CH61 4UE

West Kirby Methodist Church  
29a Westbourne Road,  
West Kirby,  
CH48 4DQ

	Greasby	Greasby	Irby	West Kirby	West Kirby	West Kirby
	10:45 am	6:30 pm	10:30 am	9:00 am	10:30 am	6:30 pm
3rd Dec Advent Sunday	K Goh Communion	@West Kirby United Svce	Own Arr.	Own Arr. Bacon Butty	J Stelfox	K Goh United Svce
10th Dec 2nd of Advent	Own Arr.	Own Arr. Cafe Style	K Goh		G Palmer Communion	M Torchon
17th Dec 3rd of Advent	J Stelfox	K Goh	Own Arr.		K Goh	Own Arr.
24th Dec 4th of Advent	K Goh	Own Arr. 7:30 pm	A Lovelady		Own Arr.	K Goh 4:30 pm
31st Dec 1st of Christmas	Own Arr.		K Goh		A Rigby-Jones	
7th Jan 1st in Ordinary Time	A Clough	Own Arr. United Svce	K Goh Covenant	J Barnett Bacon Butty	A Scaife Covenant	@Greasby United Svce
14th Jan 2nd in Ordinary Time	K Goh Covenant	K Goh Cafe Style	A Rigby-Jones		Own Arr.	J Stelfox
21st Jan 3rd in Ordinary Time	Own Arr.	Own Arr.	K Goh		J Knott	J Knight
28th Jan 4th in Ordinary Time	C Wood	J Stelfox	Own Arr.		K Goh	K Goh Utd@St Bridg
4th Feb 5th in Ordinary Time	K Goh	@West Kirby United Svce	A Scaife	Own Arr. Bacon Butty	Own Arr.	K Goh United Svce
11th Feb Sunday before Lent	Own Arr.	Own Arr. Cafe Style	C Price		Mr S Cooper	V Gasteen
18th Feb 1st of Lent	L Pillow	K Goh	Own Arr.		K Goh Communion	Local Arr.
25th Feb 2nd of Lent	Own Arr.	Own Arr.	K Goh Communion		Own Arr.	K Goh Utd@WKMC

## **Circuit Group 5**

Heswall Methodist Church  
91 Telegraph Road,  
Heswall,  
CH60 0AE

Little Neston Methodist Church  
Mellock Lane,  
Little Neston,  
CH64 4BN

Neston Methodist Church  
Liverpool Road,  
Neston,  
CH64 3RB

Willaston Methodist Church  
Neston Road,  
Willaston,  
CH64 2TN

	Little Neston	Neston	Willaston	Heswall	Heswall	Group Evening Service 6:30pm
	10:30 am	10:45 am	10:45 am	09:30 am	10:45 am	
3rd Dec Advent Sunday	M Torchon Communion	Local Arr.	A Scaife Communion		S Carpenter / C Vickers Communion	
10th Dec 2nd of Advent	P Colyer	L Twist	Own Arr. Toy Service		Own Arr.	
17th Dec 3rd of Advent	R Staines	M Torchon Communion	C Brown		R Ackroyd Communion	Willaston Own Arr. Carols
24th Dec 4th of Advent	C Price	Local Arr.	Own Arr. Nativity		Local Arr.	
31st Dec 1st of Christmas	M Torchon	@ Little Neston	@ Little Neston		S Carpenter	
7th Jan 1st in Ordinary Time	Mr S Cooper	M Torchon	P Colyer		C Vickers	
14th Jan 2nd in Ordinary Time	Own Arr.	A Lovelady	L Twist Covenant		S Carpenter Covenant	
21st Jan 3rd in Ordinary Time	M Torchon	V Frances	C Price		B Goodall	Neston Utd Service NDCT
28th Jan 4th in Ordinary Time	P Jones	A Clough	M Torchon	S Carpenter 4th Sun Fun	S Carpenter Communion	
4th Feb 5th in Ordinary Time	P Wildman	M Daley	J Barnett		C Vickers	
11th Feb Sunday before Lent	M Torchon Communion	Own Arr.	J Knight		S Carpenter	
18th Feb 1st of Lent	R Ackroyd	M Torchon	C Natton		Own Arr.	M Torchon Gp 5 Communion
25th Feb 2nd of Lent	L Twist	I Jackson	V Gasteen World Church	S Carpenter 4th Sun Fun	S Carpenter	

## Circuit Group 6

Bromborough Methodist Church  
Allport Lane, Bromborough,  
CH62 7HW

Higher Bebington Methodist Church  
School Lane, Higher Bebington,  
CH63 2LW

Lower Bebington Methodist Church  
Bromborough Road, Bebington,  
CH63 7RA

Moreton Methodist Church  
Pasture Road, Moreton,  
CH46 7TT

Prenton Methodist Church  
Glenavon Road, Prenton,  
CH43 0RE

Trinity with Palm Grove URC/Methodist  
63 Alton Road, Oxton, CH43 1UZ

	Bromborough	Bromborough	Higher Bebington	Lower Bebington	Prenton	Prenton
	10:30 am	6:30 pm	10:45 am	10:45 am	11:00 am	6:30 pm
3rd Dec Advent Sunday	B Banton Communion	S Price	R Staines	S Prest Baptism	J Barnett	S Prest ctog
10th Dec 2nd of Advent	Mrs S Cooper	P Colyer	S Prest Communion	M Daley Communion	B Goodall	A Fisher
17th Dec 3rd of Advent	P Colyer Carols	Own Arr. Carols	L Pillow	P Wildman	S Prest Communion	Own Arr. Carols
24th Dec 4th of Advent	Own Arr.	B Banton Communion	Own Arr. Christingle	S Prest Christingle	T Edwards	S Prest 6pm Christingle
31st Dec 1st of Christmas	M Daley		C Conway	Local Arr.	J Knight	
7th Jan 1st in Ordinary Time	B Banton Covenant	Own Arr.	R Staines	S Prest Covenant	D Softley Covenant	S Prest
14th Jan 2nd in Ordinary Time	M Goh	M Torchon	S Prest Covenant	Own Arr.	P Simms	Local Arr.
21st Jan 3rd in Ordinary Time	P Reast	@St David's ctog	J Knight	C Brown	S Prest	J Barnett
28th Jan 4th in Ordinary Time	@Hr Bebington Gp Service	M Torchon	L Twist Gp Service	@Hr Bebington Gp Service	@TwPG 10:30am Gp Service	J Knight
4th Feb 5th in Ordinary Time	B Banton Communion	J Barnett	Mrs S Cooper	S Prest Communion	G Palmer	S Prest Communion
11th Feb Sunday before Lent	P Jones	Own Arr.	S Prest	Own Arr.	S Peck Ch. Anniv	Own Arr.
18th Feb 1st of Lent	G Palmer	Local Arr.	Own Arr.	I Jackson	S Prest	Local Arr
25th Feb 2nd of Lent	J Barnett	M Goh ctog	V Frances	J Knight	C Brown	M Torchon

	Trinity w Palm Grove	Trinity w Palm Grove	Trinity w Palm Grove	Trinity w Palm Grove	Moreton	Moreton
	9:30 am	10:30 am	4:00 pm	6:30 pm	10:30 am	6:30 pm
3rd Dec Advent Sunday	Own Arr. Early Bird	A Brame Communion			Own Arr. Family	
10th Dec 2nd of Advent		B Gould		Mr S Cooper Carols	Own Arr.	
17th Dec 3rd of Advent		C Jones (A)			Own Arr.	Own Arr. 4:30pm Carols
24th Dec 4th of Advent		Own Arr. W. Leaders Christingle			Own Arr.	
31st Dec 1st of Christmas		C Jones (A)			Own Arr.	
7th Jan 1st in Ordinary Time	Own Arr. Early Bird	C Jones (A) Covenant			A Fisher Covenant	
14th Jan 2nd in Ordinary Time		A Brame		C Jones (A) Bible Study	V Gasteen	
21st Jan 3rd in Ordinary Time		B Gould	Own Arr. 3pm Nazareth Hse		P Wildman	
28th Jan 4th in Ordinary Time		S Prest Gp Service			@TwPG Gp Service	
4th Feb 5th in Ordinary Time	Own Arr. Early Bird	A Brame Communion			J Crowther Family	
11th Feb Sunday before Lent		B Gould		C Jones (A) Bible Study	L Twist	
18th Feb 1st of Lent		C Jones (A)	Own Arr. 3pm Beechcroft		C Brown	
25th Feb 2nd of Lent		R Staines			A Fisher Communion	



## Additional Christmastide Services as known when plan published

		Christmas Eve	Christmas Day
Charing Cross		11:30pm - S Carpenter Communion	
Tranmere		5pm - S Carpenter Christingle	
Woodchurch		5pm - J Barnett Christingle	10:30am Own Arrangement
Hoylake		7:30pm A Rigby-Jones Communion	
St Andrews		11:30pm - L A-Threlfall Christmas Communion	11:15am L A-Threlfall Family Worship
Claremount			
Little Sutton		9pm: J Bellfield Communion	@ Hope Farm
Trinity E. Port			@ Hope Farm
Hope Farm	Friday 22nd: 6pm Screening of "Its's a Wonderful Life"	4pm - J Bellfield Christingle	10am J Bellfield
St James' Ince			
Greasby			10:30am K Goh
Irby			
West Kirby			10:30am I Jackson
Little Neston		9:30pm M Torchon Communion	10:30am M Torchon
Neston		@ Little Neston	@ Little Neston
Willaston		@ Little Neston	@ Little Neston
Heswall			10am - S Carpenter
Higher Bebington			@ Bromborough
Lower Bebington			@ Bromborough
Prenton			@ Moreton
Trinity w Palm Grove			10:30 C Jones (A)
Bromborough			10:30am B Banton
Moreton			10am - S Prest

## Circuit Dates

### December

Thursday 7th: Local Preachers Meeting @ Circuit Centre @ 7:30pm

Saturday 9th December—Christmas Big Sing @ St Luke's Hoylake 6:30pm

Sunday 31st December: Group 3 are hosting a New Years Eve Social Event and Watchnight service @ Little Sutton 8pm onwards. All are invited.

### January:

Wednesday 17th: Core Skill: Family Ministry Course @ Circuit Centre 7:30pm

Saturday 13th January—Safeguarding Foundation Module Refresher @ Circuit Centre 10am.

Wednesday 24th: Core Skill: Family Ministry Course @ Circuit Centre 7:30pm

Wednesday 31st: Core Skill: Family Ministry Course @ Circuit Centre 7:30pm

### February:

Thursday 15th: Leaders of Worship and Preachers Fellowship @ Circuit Centre 7:30pm

**Circuit Events being Planned for future quarters**—please note for and avoid arranging events locally at the same time wherever possible.

Thursday 30th March: Circuit Meeting @ Charing Cross 7:30pm

Sunday 29th April: Circuit Easter Offering Dedication Service—details to follow

Wednesday 14th June: Circuit Meeting @ Moreton 7:30pm