



Newsletter

SUNDAY 25TH JANUARY 2026

WELCOME TO OUR 10.30 AM SERVICE
WHICH IS BEING LED BY JOHN PHILLIPS

Daily readings

Monday

Psalm 119 89-96
1 Corinthians 14 1-12

Tuesday

Jeremiah 36 1-26
2 Corinthians 7 2-12

Wednesday

Jeremiah 36 27-32
Luke 4 38-44

Thursday

Psalm 71 1-6
Acts 10 44-48

Friday

2 Chronicles 34 1-7
Acts 19 1-10

Saturday

2 Chronicles 36 11-21
John 1 43-51



Congratulations!

Our services in February (all at 10.30 am) are
as follows:

1st—Deborah Spinks

8th—Rev Agnes Sam

15th—Maureen Spinks

**22nd—Rev Agnes Sam
(with Holy Communion)**

Rota for next week (1st February)

Meet/greet—John

Steward—Bob

Offertory—Anita/Ann

Flowers—Moira

Tea/coffee—John/Sue

Birthday greetings go to Grace who
is celebrating on Friday.
Happy Birthday Grace



To Anne on achieving her
accreditation as a Local Preacher last
Sunday. What a wonderful and joyous
occasion it was with the service being led by Rev Pete. Rev
Agnes and Sue Hockett led prayers and Jane Fulford gave the
message. Mike Spaull led a song on his guitar and we also enjoyed a special
song from Rev Heather. Anne gave a testimony as to how she had arrived
at this point in her journey and the service included real hearty Methodist
hymn singing. We concluded with the statutory coffee and cake.

POSTERS AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH

A BBC RADIO 4 BROADCAST OF 'ANY QUESTIONS' AT HIGHLANDS

2 VACANCIES IN THE STREET PASTORS ORGANIZATION.

A VACANCY AT THE SOUTHEND FOOD BANK

A POSTER ADVERTISING THE MONTHLY PRAYER WALK THROUGH THE VILLAGE (SEE REPORT BELOW)

Monthly Prayer Walk – A Beautiful Time Together

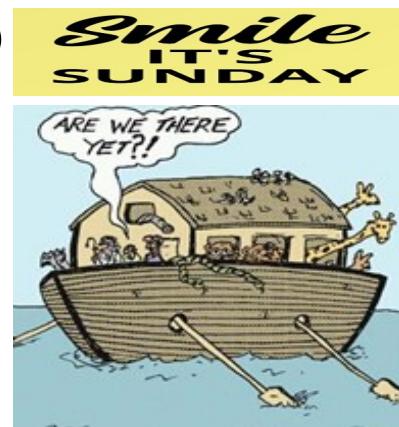


We began our Prayer Walk for January, and it was truly a blessing. The weather was lovely, giving us the perfect opportunity to enjoy a peaceful 30-minute walk through our community. As we made our way along the route, we paused at various local businesses, schools, and several streets where members of our congregation live, lifting each one up in prayer. Every stop invited us to reflect on God's presence in our community.

If you're free on the third Saturday of February from 11am, we would love for you to join us. As we continue to sow seeds of hope and blessing in our neighbourhood.

Thank you, Rev'd Agnes

A little girl was heard to finish her prayers with... 'Please God, look after yourself 'cos if anything happens to you, we're sunk!'



Southend & Leigh Circuit invites you to our



Wholeness & Wellbeing Services

2026

28th January
Zoom

22nd April
Benfleet Methodist Church

24th June
Benfleet Methodist Church

All dates are on Wednesdays and services begin at 7:45pm

For more details contact southendandleighcircuit@gmail.com

Congratulations to the whole Circuit for achieving an Eco Church Bronze Award.

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Eco Circuit

Bronze Award

This is to certify that

Southend and Leigh Circuit

has achieved a Bronze Eco Circuit Award in recognition of their efforts to care for God's earth in their work across the Circuit.
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Signed  Date 20/01/2026
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