



Newsletter

SUNDAY 8TH FEBRUARY 2026

**WELCOME TO OUR 10.30 AM SERVICE
WHICH IS BEING LED BY REV AGNES SAM**

Daily readings

Monday

Psalm 115
1 Corinthians 14 26-40

Tuesday

1 Samuel 9 15—ch 10 v 1b
1 Timothy 3 1-9

Wednesday

Isaiah 8 1-15
Luke 5 27-32

Thursday

Psalm 1
Acts 13 26-34

Friday

Jeremiah 13 12-27
1 Peter 1 17- ch 2 v1

Saturday

Jeremiah 17 1-4
Luke 11 24-28



**Our remaining services in February
(both at 10.30 am) are as follows:**

15th—Maureen Spinks

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

Rota for next week (15th February)

Meet/greet—Sue

Steward—Alan

Offertory—Maira/Sue

Flowers—Jenny

Tea/coffee—Alan/Anita

**FOR THOSE WHO GET THE NOTICE SHEET BY EMAIL
ON A FRIDAY.....**

All are welcome to the next Circuit Prayer Meeting

Topic: Southend and Leigh Circuit Prayer Meeting

Time: Feb 7, 2026 08:30 AM London

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/94125353903?>

[pwd=Y3O4hxLf5Fyikh6filMGzB37LXIHQI.1](https://zoom.us/j/94125353903?pwd=Y3O4hxLf5Fyikh6filMGzB37LXIHQI.1)

Meeting ID: 941 2535 3903

Passcode: 210808

REMINDER

**THE NEXT CHURCH
COUNCIL IS ON
MONDAY 9TH
FEBRUARY
AT 7.00 PM ON
ZOOM**

**YOU WILL BE SADDENED TO HEAR OF THE
DEATH OF JULIA MURRAY EARLIER THIS
WEEK. PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FAMILY**

Finance Update — January 2026

Income £2,504.80 Expenditure £4,084.65

Deficit of £1,579.85

This month we give thanks to Funtime Toddlers for the donation of £500.00!

This year's budget assumes there will be a minimum shortfall of £15,000 between income and general payments for the day to day running of our premises. We have reserves which will cover this shortfall, but this is not sustainable in the long term.

Bank Details

If you would like to make a donation or set up a standing order for your offertory UMC's details are:

United Methodist Church

Sort Code 30 97 84 Account Number 52580268

NEWS FROM THE CIRCUIT

ORGAN CONCERT

with

DAVID STANLEY

And

SPECIAL GUESTS

Benfleet Methodist Church

Sunday 15th February

3:00pm

**Supporting the Musicman project
to perform their Broadway Dream**

Tickets £10 or at the door

For tickets call 07402868667

Refreshments available

HIGHLANDS METHODIST CHURCH
CENTENARY EVENT

On Saturday 21st February 2026
7pm (Doors Open from 6.30pm)

MICHAEL GLAYSHER as...

**ELVIS
PRESLEY**

With
The Fishermen's
Chapel
Gospel Choir



**Fifties Style Diner
& Dance Floor.**

**Refreshments:
Zero Bar
Rossi's Ice Creams**

Tickets £10

Contact: Jean Edmonds
at Highlands: 01702 801517

{ Tickets £11.55 if purchased on Eventbrite }

Get tickets from Highlands
or from Eventbrite Website

Hockley Methodist Church is looking for someone willing to re-start our puppet team with a (for now) small team of young people aged from 8 to 12. We have a full range of equipment, including the staging with a range of different sized puppets and characters, There is a back catalogue of previously performed music and printed words of songs and sketches as well as books of scripted sketches on a wide range of subjects.

Please contact Muriel on hmethssteward@gmail.com