Sandhurst and Yateley Methodist Church
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Sunday 8th November 2026			
3.00 pm	**Love Remembered Service**	**Preacher**	Reverend Sharon Gardner
		Music	Alison Bone & Mary Grossmann
		Multimedia	Douglas Brown
		Flowers	Margaret Picken
		Steward	Heather Brown
		Assistant	Karen Glossop

Church Diary Week Commencing 8th November 2026	
Tuesday	**Rejoice 10.30 am**
Tuesday	**Prayer and Bible Study 7.45 pm Zoom Link Below**
Wednesday	**Babes and Tots 10.30 am – 12 pm**

Sunday 15th November 2026			
10.30 am	**Morning Service**	**Preacher**	Peter Whalley
		Music	Alison Bone & Mary Grossmann
		Multimedia	Robert Godden
		Flowers	
		Steward	Matthew Rowell
		Assistant	Mike Bader

Prayer List on weekly notices If you have asked for a name to be added to the prayer list, please can you remember to let me know when it is appropriate to take it off.

LEPROSY MISSION PRAYER FOR NOVEMBER 2026 - ETHIOPIA

One of the oldest countries in the world, Ethiopia has a long and proud history. Yet today millions here are facing a humanitarian crisis. Climate change, poverty and violent clashes between armed groups are daily struggles.

Leprosy and disability make life even harder, but across Ethiopia, people affected by the disease are determined to build a better future. Thank you for walking with them in faith and lifting them up in prayer.

Week 2
Lack of heath care and awareness in Ethiopia means that leprosy is spreading. Many are diagnosed too late to prevent disability. Give thanks that health workers in rural regions are learning to recognise and treat the disease. Pray too that efforts to improve awareness about leprosy will encourage more people to seek treatment. AMEN!

LIGHTING IN THE VESTIBULE

The electrician came to church today, Friday, and has now resolved the lighting in the Vestibule, Creche and Vestry, so that's really good news!

The Camberley and District Silver Band Concert

What a lovely afternoon of listening to the band play American film tunes, marches, solos and a few others beside. We enjoyed a time to chat over a cuppa and biscuit!

The total raised for the afternoon was £283.50 which is an amazing amount. This means that the concert has raised £141.75 for both the Camberley & District Silver Band and the same amount for our church. Thank you to the Band for such an entertaining afternoon and also for the generosity of all who attended and donated.

Thank you from the Crowthorne Foodbank

We received a thank you card from the Crowthorne Foodbank which will be placed on the noticeboard in the vestibule. This is what the card said:

"Thank you so much for your harvest donation, you collected almost 40 kgs of food and essentials! We really appreciate your support throughout the year, as we together support our local community. Peace and blessings, Crowthorne Foodbank"

SAD NEWS

Ronnie from Hampshire Lakes sadly fell over and died on Wednesday evening.
Ronnie was a very elderly gentleman in his ninth decade who attended our church on occasion, mostly coming with Mike Bader. Ronnie's daughter attended a more lively church and took Ronnie along with her each week, but he looked forward to the odd occasion that he could come and worship at our church, where he felt very welcome and at home. He was a very quiet and gentle person and we give thanks to God for his life. Please pray for his family.

Time to Remember at St George's Church, Owlsmoor Sunday 8th November 2026

For those of you who are unable to come to our Love Remembered Service on Sunday 8th November 2026, there is a similar service at St George's Church, Owlsmoor and you would be very welcome. Please see poster below

LOVE REMEMBERED SERVICE - SUNDAY 8TH NOVEMBER AT 3PM

We shall not be having a morning service as it is Remembrance Sunday and many of our folk either watch the Remembrance Service on the television or attend the Civic service at Sandhurst Memorial Park. We shall be having a Love Remembered service. This is where we not only remember those fallen in conflicts, but also remember those who are dear to us who we have loved and lost.

There is an opportunity to have their names read out and a candle lit for them. If you are unable to join us, just email Keg or Sharon and we will ensure that your loved ones name(s) are read out. There will be refreshments after the service.



Christmas event at the Triangle Bookshop Farnborough 13th November 2026 @

The Staff at the Triangle Bookshop in Farnborough are promoting all their Christmas goodies and have invited us to join them. Please see the poster. They have extended this invitation to all your friends and family, so please spread the word! Many thanks – Karen Glossop



Tom Oborski - Fleet Methodist Church Saturday 14th November 2026 @ 11.00 am

You are invited to Fleet Methodist Church Saturday 14th November 2026 starting at 11.00 am. To complete one of his modules, Thomas Oborski, a Local Preacher in Training, has produced a project in consideration of looking after God's creation and he would like to share it to us.

Mr Thomas Oborski would love as many of you as possible to attend. Please do try and go along to support Thomas with his training and see the issues that he will be highlighting. More details are on the attached poster – Karen Glossop

BIRD IN HAND CHRISTMAS MEAL - SUNDAY 20th DECEMBER @ 12.45 pm

After our Christmas Carol Service come and join us for some Christmas Fayre. We are booked for 12.45 which will give us time to enjoy refreshments after our festive Carol service. Here is the menu. Please let Keg know if you are intending to go. £10 deposit per person please. Please see the attached menu.

Film & Pizza Night – SYMC Sunday 22nd November 2026 @ 6:30 pm

We shall be meeting on Sunday evening 6.30 pm to enjoy a film and pizza. You are all invited!!!! Come along and see why we do this every month and have done for the past 10 years!!! Film, fellowship and refreshments - a great evening. From the Film Night crew!!

CHARITY NOMINATIONS

Each year our Church gives donations to charities that have been nominated by the congregation. The amount we are able to donate to charities can vary each year. We are a little late in doing this, this year.

Please send your nominations to Keg (kegferretfan@aol.com)and if you are able to give us a little information on the charity of your choice, only a couple of sentences, that would be very helpful.

All nominations will be brought to our next Church Council in February 2027, and we will vote at that time – Karen Glossop

Weekly Notices **Items for the next week's notices should be sent to notices@sandhurstyateleymethodist.org.uk by Friday 12 noon**

Monthly Newsletter **items for the December 2026 edition should be with Sue Truby by Sunday 21st November 2026.**

Zoom Link for Prayer and Bible Study **Join Zoom Meeting** https://zoom.us/j/2799549300?pwd=YjVCazFHR0NwZE50OEhaRzhMdm13UT09 **Meeting ID**: 279 954 9300 **Passcode**: 3v25BE

Hymns and Readings Sunday 1st November 2026		
STF	132	O God our help in ages past (v 1, 3, 4 & 7)
		Where are you, Lord
STF	707	Make me a channel of your peace
STF	469	I watch the sunrise
Micah 4: 1 – 5 **John 15: 9 – 17**		