



*Wantage*  
Methodist Church  
*With Childrey*

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**Sunday 14th April**

**Easter 3**

Lectionary: Acts 3:12-19; Psalm 4; 1John 3:1-7; Luke 24:36b-48

**At Wantage**

**10:30 am Morning Worship** led by Libby Bolton

**At Childrey**

**11:00 am Morning Worship** led by Rev Keith Underhill

## **Welcome to Wantage Methodist Church**

**We are sharing all services on Zoom.**

Please contact Gordon for joining details if you wish to join the Zoom broadcast. As we wait for people present in church to settle before the welcome and notices, so we do not start until all Zoom attendees are properly connected.

There are times in the service when most people will stand, such as for singing. However, please feel free to remain seated if you prefer.

**The Chapel is fitted with an induction loop;** Hearing aid users are advised to sit away from the edges of the room and please switch hearing aids to the "T" setting.

**Glasses of water** are available.

**Please join us in the Hall** after the service for tea, coffee and fellowship.

### **PRAYER FOCUS**

**Pray** for Wallingford Methodist Church

**Give thanks** for the joy we find in the beauty of creation.

**Please pray for** Bethan Grant, Anne, Carol Mackinder, Emma Wright & family, Caroline, Doug & Anne Hatto, Richard in York, Edwina, Adrian, Geoff, Diane, Meriel, Maggie, Diane's daughters Claire & Julie, June Hartle, Jane Robinson, Louise, Richard & Anne, Peter, John & Jo, Jane & Harry Rudd, Mary Spalding, Jane & Emma Soffe & family, Trudy, Jade, Sue, Gordon, Angela, Findley, Paul, Ann & family, Norma

All at Bullingdon Prison, staff, prisoners and visitors,

Our Ministers, Deacon, Community Chaplains, Local Preachers & Worship Leaders, kids@church and Street Pastors, Cornerstone and those members of our church family who, through frailty or ill health, can no longer worship with us.

**Verse for the week: Psalm 5:7-8**

You have filled my heart with greater joy  
than when their grain and new wine abound.  
I will lie down and sleep in peace,  
for you alone, O Lord, make me dwell in safety.

**Monday 15th April**

**9:00 am Community Drop-in Café** in the Hall

**Tuesday 16th April**

**2:00 pm Tuesday Prayer & Study Group** in the Parlour  
Holy Habits, Worship, Week 2, Caring for Creation as an act of worship.  
Reading - Psalm 8:1-5.

**Friday 19th April**

**3:30 pm Caritas** in the Hall

**7:30 pm Film Club** at Grove - "Dark Horse"

**Sunday 21st April**

**Easter 4**

Lectionary: Acts 4:5-12; Psalm 23; 1John 3:16-24; John 10:11-18

**At Wantage**

**9:30 am Kids@Church**

**10:30 am Morning Worship** led by **Libby Hawkness-Smith**

**DEADLINE FOR MAY CGW NEWS**

Copies of the **Wantage with Childrey Annual Report** are now available on the website in the Newsletter area and in print from the Chapel Vestibule.

Our **Annual General Church Meeting** will be part of the Morning Worship on Sunday 28th April.

**AGENDA**

**Apologies**

**Minutes of ACM 2023**

**Greetings and Remembrances**

**Annual Report 2024**

**Appointments**

**Church Stewards**

Sue Haithwaite, Helen Carter, David Worth nominated for reappointment

**Appointments**

**Representatives to Church Council**

Rita Lawrence and Mike Skinner have completed their two terms of 3 years and stand down. Gill Skidmore and Heather Wells have completed their first term of 3 years and are ex officio members of Church Council. Peter Bainbridge and Jane Kent have completed their first term of 3 years and can be nominated for re-appointment. There are therefore at least 4 vacancies as Elected Representatives

**Nominations** for Church Steward and Church Council Representatives must be received by Rev Keith Underhill or Gill Skidmore **by April 21st**. Nominations need the approval of the person nominated who must be a member of the Methodist Church.

# In Conversation

novelist

## William Horwood



Author of the acclaimed Duncton Chronicles, Hyd-denworld, Skallagrigg, the sequels to Wind in the Willows and the extraordinary The Boy With No Shoes

Wallingford Methodist Church, St Leonard's Square,  
OX10 0AS

**Tuesday 23 April 12 noon to 1.00 pm**

Free Admission

Further details [revbrucet@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:revbrucet@yahoo.co.uk)

Prayer Meeting for our local schools  
4pm--5pm on Wednesday 24th  
April,  
in the St John's Rooms at Grove  
Parish Church.

As always, we look forward to  
seeing as many as can come, and  
and extend the invitation to those in  
your churches and fellowships who  
might like to join us.



**Wantage and Grove  
STREET PASTORS**



## Afternoon tea

...and Commissioning Street Pastor  
and Prayer Support Recruits

*Everyone Welcome!*

You are warmly invited to our afternoon tea and  
commissioning of new Street Pastors  
and Prayer Support Volunteers

**3 pm, Sunday 19 May 2024**

**Wantage Baptist Church**

Mill Street, Wantage. OX12 9AQ

Tea - Coffee - Fruit Juice - Cakes - Scones - Jam - Cream

From 4 pm we will be commissioning  
our new Street Pastors and  
Prayer Support Volunteers

**Please RSVP by Thursday 9 May**

**Online form:** [www.bit.ly/wgsp-19may](http://www.bit.ly/wgsp-19may)

**Phone:** 07554 655 594

**RSVP**



Refreshments by  
**Cornerstone**

Wantage & Grove Street Pastors  
Registered Charity 1134429



<b>On Wantage Premises this week</b>		
<b>Sunday</b>	morn	Worship
	aft	Wantage Sings - Hall
<b>Monday</b>	morn	Community Café - Hall
	eve	Slimming World - Hall
	eve	CA - Parlour
<b>Tuesday</b>	morn	MIND - Hall
	aft	Tuesday Study Group - Parlour
	eve	Camera Club - Hall
<b>Wednesday</b>	eve	Wantage Sings - Hall
Thursday	lunch	KAWI - Hall
<b>Friday</b>	morn	Mothers & Toddlers - Hall
	aft	Caritas - Hall
<b>Sunday</b>	morn	Worship
	aft	Jigsaw

**Notices for next week by the end of Thursday** please

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