**Churches Together in Windsor: Newsletter:**

***Easter 2025:***

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***Death of Pope Francis: Evening Prayer 2 May***

The Catholic community in Windsor cordially invites members of all faith communities to join them at **St Edward's on Alma Road on Friday 2 May at 19:00 for Evening Prayer**.  The service will give thanks to God for the life and ministry of Pope Francis and pray for the election of the new Pope at the forthcoming Conclave. In the spirit of Pope Francis's strong concern for inter-denominational dialogue, all congregations are warmly invited so that the congregations of the town can pray together at this significant moment.

Over the 12 years of his papacy, Pope Francis worked tirelessly in the field of inter-religious dialogue and all who attest to the Christian faith will feel his passing keenly. His passion for justice, particularly for migrants, asylum seekers and refugees, care for the planet and all its people, and his determined criticism of capitalism, consumerism and over-development ensured that he was a leader speaking into issues that we are all concerned with. We are privileged to have lived in a time where such a man as Pope Francis should have led the Church in Rome. May he rest in peace and rise in glory.

***Matthew Scott’s retirement:***

The Reverend Matthew Scott will be retiring as Minister of Dedworth Green Baptist Church during April. Matthew was Chair of Churches together in Windsor for eight years, from November 2014 to November 2022. During that time the work of Churches together in Windsor has been carried forward and developed under his careful leadership, and members of the Core Group in particular have reason to be grateful for his gentle guidance and constant support. We thank Matthew for his work in CTW and wish him and Pauline every blessing as they begin their new phase in life.

***Thy Kingdom Come***

**Thy Kingdom Come (TKC) is a global ecumenical prayer movement that invites Christians around the world to pray from Ascension to Pentecost for more people to come to know Jesus.**

Since it began in May 2016, God has grown TKC from a dream of possibility into a movement which unites more than a million Christians in prayer, in nearly 90% of countries worldwide, across 85 different denominations and traditions- so that friends and family, neighbours and colleagues might come to faith in Jesus Christ. Every person, household and church are encouraged to pray during the 11 days in their own way. It is our hope & prayer, that those who have not yet heard the Good News of Jesus Christ and His love for the world, will hear it for themselves and respond and follow Him. Specifically, we again invite each and every Christian across the globe to pray that God’s Spirit might work in the lives of 5 people who have not responded with their ‘Yes’ to God’s call. Whether you have joined in ‘Thy Kingdom Come’ before or not, we invite you to take part & join in.

For more details of Thy Kingdom Come 2025, visit [Thy Kingdom Come | Thy Kingdom Come](https://www.thykingdomcome.global/)

Please find below a chart that tells you all the services, acts of worship and events that will take place during this season. Anyone and everyone is welcome to join in.

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| **Date** | **Time** | **Venue** | **Notes** |
| Thursday 29th May  | Midday | St Andrews | Ascension Day Midday Mass |
| 7.30pm | All Saints, Frances Road | Sung Eucharist for Ascension Day |
| Friday 30th May  |  9am | Holy Trinity Church | Morning Prayer with short reflection |
| Saturday 31st May  |  |  |  |
| Sunday 1st June  | 9.15am | All Saints, Dedworth | Holy Communion |
| 10am | All Saints, Frances Road | Sung Eucharist with Sunday Club |
| 10.30am | St Andrews | All Age Eucharist |
| 11am | All Saints, Dedworth | Holy Communion |
| 5pm | St Andrews | Eucharist |
| Monday 2nd June | 9am | All Saints, Frances Road | Morning Prayer with short reflection |
| Tuesday 3rd June | 18:00 | St Edward’s, Alma Road | Evening Prayer from the Divine Office |
| Wednesday 4th June | 8am | St Andrews | Morning Prayer  |
| 9am | St Stephen & St Agnes | Morning Prayer with short reflection |
| 09:30 | St Edward’s, Alma Road | Morning Prayer from the Divine Office |
| 1pm - 1:30 | Windsor Methodist Church, Alma Road | A time of open prayer for the Church, the world and our local community   |
| Thursday 5th June |  |  |  |
| Friday 6th June | 9am | Holy Trinity Church | Morning Prayer with short reflection |
| 4pm | All Saints, Frances Road | Messy Church for Pentecost |
| Saturday 7th June |  |  |  |
| Sunday 8th June | 9.15am | All Saints, Dedworth | Holy Communion |
| 10am | St Stephen & St Agnes | Family Eucharist for Pentecost |
| 11am | All Saints, Dedworth | Morning worship with kids groups |
| 3pm | Alexandra Gardens (by the bandstand) | **“Pentecost in the Park: Picnic & Praise”** |

Bringing us all together of Pentecost…..

**Pentecost in the Park: Picnic & Praise:**

**Alexandra Gardens: Sunday 8 June: 3pm**

Join us as we celebrate Pentecost together. We will be gathering in Alexandra Gardens with our picnics, blankets, deckchairs for an afternoon of praise. We hope to be accompanied by the Salvation Army band on the bandstand, for our favourite hymns and worship music, we may even have a scratch choir for you to join. What a wonderful opportunity it will be to share our faith with our community here is Windsor! Please bring your friends and families for this afternoon out together.

**Christian Aid Week 11th – 17th May 2025**

Initial events being planned for Christian Aid week and during the month of May include:

* **Saturday 3rd May - Bix Walk** in the Country: a 5- or 10-mile sponsored walk in easy terrain through the beautiful, bluebell-filled woods of Oxfordshire. For more information and to book, contact Rosemary on rosemaryacroft@gmail.com or 07749 064 82 or contact ruth\_norris@yahoo.com to join a local group of walkers from All Saints
* **Saturday 10th May - Freedom Walk in London**
* **Saturday 17th May - Big Brekkie at All Saints Dedworth** starting at 9am.
* **Saturday 17th May –** 10am-12 coffee morning at St Andrew’s Rectory open garden.

**Key ecumenical events later in the Churches Together year – all welcome!**

**AGM and Songs of Praise**

Sunday 9th November 6pm at the Methodist Church – save the date!

**Carols on the Hill**

**Friday 12th December** at **6.15pm for 6.30 pm** at the statue of Queen Victoria by **Windsor Castle**.

Come and hear the Band of the Household Cavalry leading the music as we sing carols and hear Christmas reading. The event is free with a collection for two chosen charities.

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**Ecumenical Light of Peace Service**

**Tuesday 23rd December** at 5pm at **St Edward’s Alma Road**.

**Candlemas service**

**2nd February 2026** at 5pm in **St George’s Chapel, Windsor Castle**.

***Ongoing activities:***

**Messy Church:**

Dedworth Green Baptist Church: **3rd Sunday of the month, 9:30-11:45am**

Methodist Church: **Saturday afternoon** (3.45 to 5.30 pm) **in school holidays:** includes craft activities, a short, fun act of worship and a meal. All are welcome. Children to be accompanied by an appropriate adult.

**Joint ministries for Grace Church Windsor and Christ Church URC:**

**Busbees toddler group**, **Fridays (term-time) 10:30-11:30am**. [gracechurchwindsor.org/church-life/busbees](http://gracechurchwindsor.org/church-life/busbees)

**Kids' Club**: After school club for first school children (years R-4). An hour of fun, games, bible stories and more! **Wednesdays (term-time), 4:15-5:15pm**. A free parents cafe runs at the same time - a chance to grab a cuppa, chat or perhaps even get some work done! [gracechurchwindsor.org/church-life/kids-club](http://gracechurchwindsor.org/church-life/kids-club)

**Windsor Methodist Church**

**Toddlers Group:** our popular group continues to meet 09.15 – 11.15 am each Thursday during term time. All Toddlers, with an appropriate adult, are welcome.

**Youth Groups:**

* **GEESE is a Bible Study over food** run 6 - 7.30 pm alternate Fridays for 11-18-year-olds.
* **The Thames Valley Circuit Youth Club,** runs the same times on the alternate Fridays from Windsor Methodist Church.

We would welcome young people from other local churches to either of these term-time only activities.

**Breakfast Church:** 9 am on the first Sunday of each month has been running for several months now and proving to be a popular service. After breakfast there is a short Service and then attendees have the choice of three activities: a Bible Study; ‘What the papers say and where is God’ discussion table; or a craft table.

**TeaTime for the Soul:** 3 pm, also on the first Sunday of each month. This is a dementia friendly time with a 30-minute service followed by tea and cakes in our hall. Another popular Service and an alternative for folks unable to attend the morning services.

**Sunday Evening Service, 6.30 to 7.30 pm:** each Sunday (except the first Sunday of the month when there is TeaTime for the Soul, as above). These are friendly, peaceful, spiritual Services including prayers, Bible readings and a Sermon. Our numbers of attendees vary, but normally about 12 of us. All friends would be warmly welcomed.

**Bible Study classes for adults:** these are run by Rev’d Vicci on alternate Wednesday evenings from 7.30 to 9 pm. The dates are published on the website and also in the church newsletter. Again, all friends are welcome.

The Methodist Church would also warmly welcome friends to our **Prayer Group meetings 1 to 1.30pm on alternate Wednesdays in the Cornerstone Chapel**. Dates are published on WMC website and in the weekly newsletter. If you would like to receive the Methodist newsletter electronically, please email rosemarycracknell@btinternet.com Prayers can be silent or spoken and are said for Christian growth in all Windsor Churches, our community, and anything else folks may be prompted to pray for.

If you would like us to publicise an event to our Churches Together in Windsor contacts to encourage participation, please email: jacobyvpatterson@gmail.com or add your event to our CTW Facebook page (<https://www.facebook.com/ChurchesTogetherInWindsor>).

***Contact details for the churches are as follows:***

***CHURCH OF ENGLAND CHURCHES***

**Windsor Parish Church: Parish Church of St John the Baptist**

The High Street, Windsor SL4 1LT

**Telephone:**  01753 862419

**Minister:** The Revd Canon Sally Lodge

**E-mail:** team@windsorchurches.org.uk

**Website:** [www.windsorparishchurch.org.uk](http://www.windsorparishchurch.org.uk)

**Services:** *Eucharist*: SUNDAY: 10.00am for one hour (rotates between St Stephen & St Agnes; Holy Trinity; All Saints' and Windsor Parish Church)

[***https://www.facebook.com/Windsorparishchurch***](https://www.facebook.com/Windsorparishchurch)

**All Saints’ Church**

Frances Road, Windsor, SL4 1HU

**Telephone:** 01753 862419

**Minister:** The Revd Canon Sally Lodge

**E-mail:** team@windsorchurches.org.uk; windsor.rector@gmail.com

**Website:** [www.allsaintswindsor.org.uk](http://www.allsaintswindsor.org.uk)

**Services** *Eucharist*: SUNDAY: 10.00am for one hour (rotates between St Stephen & St Agnes; Holy Trinity; All Saints' and Windsor Parish Church)

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**Holy Trinity** (Parish and Garrison Church),

Claremont Road & Trinity Place, Windsor, SL4 3AX

**Telephone:** 01753 862419

**Minister:** The Revd Canon Sally Lodge

**E-mail:** holytrinitychurchwindsor@gmail.com

**Website:** holytrinitywindsor.org.uk

**Services:** *Eucharist*: SUNDAY: 10.00am for one hour (rotates between St Stephen & St Agnes; Holy Trinity; All Saints' and Windsor Parish Church)

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**St Stephen & St Agnes, Clewer**

Vansittart Road, Windsor, SL4 5EA

**Telephone:** 01753 862419

**Minister:** The Revd Canon Sally Lodge

**E-mail:** team@windsorchurches.org.uk

**Website:** www.ststephenwindsor.org.uk

**Services:** *Eucharist*: SUNDAY: 10.00am for one hour (rotates between St Stephen & St Agnes; Holy Trinity; All Saints' and Windsor Parish Church)

[***https://www.facebook.com/ststephensclewer***](https://www.facebook.com/ststephensclewer)

**All Saints’ Church**

Dedworth Road, Windsor, SL4 4JW

**Telephone:** 01753 569037

**Minister:** Revd.Paul Walker

**E-mail:** via website contact us page (<http://allsaintschurchdedworth.com/contact/>)

**Website** <http://www.allsaintschurchdedworth.com/>

**Services:** SUNDAY: 9.15am – Traditional Service with Communion; 11.00am – Family Service

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**St Andrew’s** **Clewer**

Mill Lane, Windsor, SL4 5JH

**Telephone:** St Andrews Rectory 01753 852334

**Minister:** Revd. Rosie Webb

**E-mail**: rector@clewerparish.org; office@clewerparish.org

**Website**: <http://www.standrewsclewer.org>

**Services:** *Eucharist*: SUNDAY: 10.30am, and other service times available on [website](https://www.standrewsclewer.org/events/)

[***https://www.facebook.com/standrewsclewer***](https://www.facebook.com/standrewsclewer)

**St George’s Chapel**

Windsor Castle, Windsor, SL4 1NJ

**Telephone:** 01753 848888; recorded information line 01753 865538

**Minister:** Dean and Canons of Windsor

**E-mail:** chapteroffice@stgeorges-windsor.org

**Website:** <http://www.stgeorges-windsor.org/>

**Services:** WEEKDAYS**:** Holy Communion 8am; Evensong 5.15pm

SUNDAYS: Holy Communion 8.30am; Mattins and sermon 10.45am

[***https://www.facebook.com/stgeorgeswindsor***](https://www.facebook.com/stgeorgeswindsor)

**Grace Church Windsor (Anglican Mission in England)**

c/o Christ Church URC, William St, Windsor, SL4 1BA

**Telephone:** 01753 257868

**Minister:** Rev Tim Hiorns

**E-mail:** tim@gracechurchwindsor.org

**Website:** [www.gracechurchwindsor.org](http://www.gracechurchwindsor.org)

**Services:** SUNDAY: 4pm

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***NON-DENOMINATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH***

**Kings Church International**

Office: King's House, 77a Frances Road, Windsor, SL4 3AQ

**Telephone:** 01753 832444

**Ministers:** Pastors Wes & Adriana Richards

**E-mail:** hello@kcionline.org

**Website:** [kcionline.org](http://kcionline.org/)

**Services:** SUNDAY: service 10am onlineTHURSDAYevening weekly prayer meetings online

[***https://www.facebook.com/kingschurchinternational***](https://www.facebook.com/kingschurchinternational)

***KERITH COMMUNITY CHURCH***

Unit 3B, Fairacres Industrial Estate,

Dedworth Rd, Windsor SL4 4LE

**Telephone:** 01344 862699

**Minister**: Leon Johnson

**E-mail:** info@kerith.church, leon.johnson@kerith.church

**Website:** <https://kerith.church/>

**Service:** SUNDAY 10am

[***https://www.facebook.com/KerithWindsor***](https://www.facebook.com/KerithWindsor)

***BAPTIST CHURCHES***

**Dedworth Green Baptist Church**,

Smiths Lane, Windsor, SL4 5PE

**Telephone:** 01753 832002

**Minister:** Revd. Matthew Scott

**E-mail:** minister@dgbc.org.uk, secretary@dgbc.org.uk

**Website:** http://www.dgbc.org.uk/

**Services:**  SUNDAY: 10.30am

[***https://www.facebook.com/DGBCWindsorUK***](https://www.facebook.com/DGBCWindsorUK)

**Windsor Baptist Church**,

Victoria Street, Windsor, SL4 1EH

**Telephone:** 07971 298158

**Minister:** Revd.Kat Bracewell

**Community Manager**: Kate Saunders wbckate@gmail.com

**E-mail** windsorbaptists@yahoo.co.uk; kathryn.bracewell@yahoo.co.uk

**Website** [https://windsorbaptistchurch.org.uk](https://windsorbaptistchurch.org.uk/)

**Services:** SUNDAY 10.30am

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***ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCHES***

**St. Edward’s Church**

44 Alma Road, Windsor, SL4 3HJ

**Telephone:** 01753 865163

**Minister:** Canon David Hopgood

**E-mail:** canondavid@catholicwindsor.org

**Website:** <http://catholicwindsor.org/>

**Services:** SATURDAY: Mass 6.00pm

SUNDAY: Mass: 11.00am.

TUESDAY: Mass: 6.30pm

WEDNESDAY: Mass: 10.00am

THURSDAY: Mass: 10.00am

FRIDAY: Mass: 12.00am (weekday service times may change due to funerals etc)

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**St Mark’s Church**

Dedworth Road, Windsor, SL4 4JS

**Telephone:** 01753 865163

**Minister:** Canon David Hopgood

**E-mail:** canondavid@catholicwindsor.org

**Website:** <http://catholicwindsor.org/>

**Services:** SUNDAY: Mass 9.30am

***UNITED REFORMED CHURCH***

**Christ Church**

William Street, Windsor, SL4 1BA

**Telephone:** 01753 862007

**Minister:** vacancy

**E-mail:** secretary@windsorurc.org.uk

**Website:** <http://www.windsorurc.org.uk/>

**Services:** SUNDAY: 10.30am (also on zoom – see website for details)

***METHODIST CHURCH***

Alma Road, Windsor, SL4 3HH

**Telephone:** 01753 536357

**Minister:** Revd. Vicci Davidson

**E-mail:** rev.vicci@mail.com

**Website:** <http://www.windsormethodist.church/>

**Services:** SUNDAY *Morning service* 10.30am

*Evening service* 6.30pm

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