

## CIRCUIT DIARY DATES

### Messy Church within the circuit

Moulsham Lodge	15 <sup>th</sup> September. 20 <sup>th</sup> October	11.00am
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## PREACHERS MEETINGS

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2019 - Trinity  
Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> November - South Woodham Ferrers

## NEXT PLAN Dec 2019 – Feb 2020

Church Plan Requests, Local Church  
& Circuit Diary Dates.  
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before 7<sup>th</sup> October 2019.



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September - November 2019

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Hi, In Scripture Faith is not just about believing and certainly not about mere thinking. Faith is about action, in fact faith is action. And no one demonstrates this kind of get your hands dirty approach to believing God for great things than Elisha. Elisha demonstrates that small steps and hard work prepares the way for supernatural favour. Read 2 Kings 3.

King Joram is king over Israel when the kingdom was divided. The king of Moab rebels against him and the scary cat king enlist the king of Judah and the king of Edom to help him. Their combined military force should be fearsome against the Moabites. However, they ran out of water and this military force is facing a death by thirst. Joram runs to Elisha for help, he was not seeking God but seeking a solution to his problem. Elisha is not impressed with Joram and his fancy words, but he is loyal to the king of Judah. So he agrees to enquire of the Lord.

The kings want a miracle. They want Elisha to tell them don't worry God will supply. But, Elisha says to them "make this valley full of ditches" (V16).

There is no rain on the weather forecast, so why on earth would anyone want to dig ditches to hold rain? Because that is how faith works. The kings wanted a miracle, they would get there miracle but first they got a work order. It would be great if all the army had to do was have some exercise to help them visualize the water. The Lord said "fill the valley with ditches"

You want a miracle then you have to dig ditches and then God will send the rain. As a preacher God has assigned a part to you. And it involves a shovel.

We are commanded to prepare for the move of God before he makes the first move. Ask the priests that carried the ark into the Jordan River in flood.

Hebrews 11:1 tells us that faith is the substance of things hoped for. Digging ditches means developing character when no one is around. It means praying long and hard and reading the word of God so that it is printed on our heart and mind. It means lots of hard work in preparation to take the word of God to His children. It means having the courage to ask people to respond after you have spoken the word of God. How many ditches are you willing to dig?

God bless,  
Barry Allen

AAW	All Age Worship	HC	Holy Communion	PV	Pastoral Visitors Rededication
Café	Café Church Style	HM	Home Missions	TS	Toy Service
Cov	Covenant Service	JC	Junior Church	US	United Service
CA	Church Anniversary	LA	Local Arrangement	WM	World Mission
CTiM	Churches Together in Maldon	MS	Messy Sunday	WL	Worship Leaders Rededication
CS	Contemporary Service	MHA	Methodist Homes Sunday		
FS	Family Service	NCP	Northumbrian Community Prayer		
HF	Harvest Festival	PS	Parade Service		

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**Bible Abbreviations:**

Ac	Acts	Hos	Hosea
AM	Amos	Is	Isaiah
Col	Colossians	Jer	Jeremiah
De	Deuteronomy	Jn	John
Eph	Ephesians	Kgs	Kings
Gal	Galatians	Lk	Luke
Ge	Genesis	Ps	Psalms
Heb	Hebrews	Pro	Proverbs

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\* Excused Appointments

Updated 1 <sup>st</sup> Sept 2019	SEPT						OCT				NOV			
		1	8	15	22	29	6	13	20	27	3	10	17	24
Prayers for Churches		Trinity	St Augustines	Hat Peverel	Maldon	SWF	Witham	Moulsham	Broomfield	Hall St	Braintree	Coggeshall	Gt Notley	Halstead
Lectionary Year C		Jeremiah 2:4-13 Psalm 81:1, 10-16 Hebrews 13:1-8, 15-16 Luke 14:1, 7-14	Jeremiah 18:1-11 Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18 Philemon 1-21 Luke 14:25-33	Jeremiah 4:11-12, 22-28 Psalm 141 Timothy 1:12-17 Luke 15:1-10	Jeremiah 8:18-9:1 Psalm 79:1-9 1 Timothy 2:1-7 Luke 16:1-13	Jeremiah 32:1-3a, 6-15 Psalm 91:1-6, 14-16 1 Timothy 6:6-19 Luke 16:19-31	Lamentations 1:1-6 Canticle: Lamentations 3:19-26 or Psalm 137 2 Timothy 1:1-14 Luke 17:5-10	Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7 Psalm 66:1-12 2 Timothy 2:8-15 Luke 17:11-19	Jeremiah 31:27-34 Psalm 119:97-104 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5 Luke 18:1-8	Joel 2:23-32 Psalm 65 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18 Luke 18:9-14	Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4 Psalm 119:137-144 2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12 Luke 19:1-10	Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4 Psalm 119:137-144 2 Thessalonians 3:6-13 Luke 21:5-19	Isaiah 65:17-25 Canticle: Isaiah 12:1-6 2 Thessalonians 3:6-13 Luke 21:5-19	Jeremiah 23:1-6 Psalm 46 or Canticle: Benedictus (Luke 1:68-79) Colossians 1:11-20 Luke 23:33-43
Special Days							Harvest Festival					Remembrance		
BROOMFIELD	11.00	Pengelly Cov	Griffin	Hume HC	Mussell	R Samuel HF	Johnson HC	Drewett	Pickett	Pengelly HC	D Chapman	Hobbs	R Samuel	Pengelly
HALL STREET	9.30	Shelbourne HF	Johnson HC	R Samuel	Hobbs	Pengelly HC	Shelbourne	Pengelly	R Samuel	Mussell	Shelbourne	Pengelly HC	Goodall	Powell Davies
MOULSHAM LODGE	11.00	Lowe	Pickett R Samuel Pet Service 3pm	Carter Messy Sunday	Pengelly HC	Ria Allen Cafe	R Samuel HF	Shrimpton HC	Powell-Davies Messy Sunday Johnson HC 6.30	R Samuel Cafe	Pengelly Parade	Shelbourne	Pengelly HC PV rededication	C Pickett Cafe
ST AUGUSTINE'S	10.45	-----	Pengelly HC	-----	-----	Griffin	-----	Pengelly HC	-----	-----	-----	Pengelly HC	-----	-----
TRINITY	9.30 3.00	R Samuel -----	Powell Davies -----	Pengelly Pengelly HC	Johnson HC -----	Lowe -----	Pengelly HF P HC 11.00	Carter -----	Hume Shrimpton HC	Pengelly HCPV/WL rededication	Pengelly JMA Shoe box	R Samuel -----	Gasteen CA Pengelly HC	Pengelly -----
HATFIELD PEVEREL	9.15	B Allen (C)	Combine with Maldon	Hosking	Carter	Clark	Burton	(L A)	R Allen	B. Allen HC	Griffin	B Allen	Clemo	Hosking
MALDON	9.15 10.30	L.A Bolton	Harvest B. Allen 10.30	L.A Crilley	----- Burton	----- Clemo	L.A Carter	----- Lowe	L.A B. Allen HC	----- Hobbs	L.A R Allen	----- Clark	L.A R Allen	----- B Allen HC
SOUTH WOODHAM FERRERS	11.15	Hobbs	Combine with Maldon	B Allen HC	MacKay	US CofE 10.30am	Bolton	B. Allen (Baptism )	Shelbourne	Clark	B Allen HC	US CofE remembrance	Crilley	Carter
WITHAM	10.30	R Allen	Combine with Maldon	Clark	B Allen HC	V Carter	B. Allen HC	Hobbs	Crilley	Carter	Clemo	Baxter	B Allen HC	Bolton
CHRIST CHURCH BRAINTREE	9.30 11.00	Sebley HC Sebley HC	Drewett Drewett	Sebley AAW HF 10.30	Sebley Sebley	Sebley Sebley	Sebley HC Sebley HC	S Chapman S Chapman	Sebley Sebley AAW	Sebley Sebley	Dickens HC Hume HC	Sebley Sebley 10.50	Carter Carter AAW	Sebley Sebley
CHRIST CHURCH COGGESHALL	10.30	Prothero HC	Scherer	Prothero	Prothero	Prothero	Prothero HC	Scherer	Prothero	Prothero	Prothero HC	United St Peters	Prothero	Prothero
GREAT NOTLEY	11.00	Bendrey AAW	Sebley HC	HC	Bolton	Bendrey	Bendrey AAW	Sebley HC	HC	Drewett	Sebley AAW	Bendrey HC	HC	LA
HALSTEAD	10.30	LA	King HC	Clemo	P Goodhall AAW HF	Powell-Davies	King	Dickens HC	Clemo AAW	Lowe	Mussell	King HC	Johnson	Griffin AAW