



Preaching Plan

**North West England District
September - November 2026**

Local Preachers

Mr Rodney Hoyle	1981
Mr Colin Fyles	1991
Mr Clifford Hill	1996
Mr John Venables	1998
Miss Lesley Goddard	2000
Mrs Shirley Potts	2008
Mr Nigel Mawdsley	2016
Mrs Jean McKenna	2016
Mr Tabz (David) Taberner	2018
Mrs Debs Attwater	2021

Local Preachers (Permission granted not to preach)

Mr Brian Simmons	1954
Mr Derek Taberner	1993
Mr Len Morris	2000
Mr Richard Cowan	2009
Mrs Cynthia May	2010

Visiting Preachers

The Rev'd Sue Edwards
The Rev'd Brian
The Rev'd Peter Lyth

Next Plan Deadline:

Preacher's dates for December 2026 - January 2027 should reach
the Circuit Office by 1st October
Please email: admin@southportmethodist.org.uk

Chair of District

The Rev'd. Dr. James Tebbutt 01768 866 342

Mission Area Lead, Liverpool Plus Area

The Rev'd Caroline Ainger 07473 862 190

Superintendent

The Rev'd. Christopher C. Humble BA BTh 01704 513 128

Circuit Presbyters

The Rev'd Ernie Grimshaw 07922 082 334

The Rev'd Sheila Prest 07831 591 737

The Rev'd Rachel Bray 07504 806 760

(Authorised Minister/ Church of England)

Ministers Resident in Circuit In other Appointments

The Rev'd P. Martin Abrams MBE 07467 374 824

The Rev'd Jan Fraser 07702 690 080

Supernumeraries

The Rev'd Geoffrey Barnard

The Rev'd Derek Bowker

The Rev'd E. Anne Cox

The Rev'd Patrick Evans

The Rev'd David King

Deacon Alison McCauley

The Rev'd Neil Stubbens

Presbyters of Other Denominations

Revd Hilary Smith 01704 530007

(United Reformed Church)

Revd Pat Willis 07731 331154

(Church of England)

Readers (Church of England)

Mrs Christine Moyes

		Southport Circuit Preaching Plan September - November 2026									V1				
		September				October				November					
		Sunday	Sunday	Sunday	Sunday	Sunday	Sunday	Sunday	Sunday	Sunday	Sunday	Sunday	Sunday	Sunday	
		6th	13th	20th	27th	4th	11th	18th	25th	1st	8th	15th	22nd	29th	
		23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	24th Sunday in Ordinary Time	25th Sunday in Ordinary Time	26th Sunday in Ordinary Time	27th Sunday in Ordinary Time	28th Sunday in Ordinary Time	29th Sunday in Ordinary Time	30th Sunday in Ordinary Time	All Saints	Remembrance Sunday	33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sunday before Advent	Advent Sunday/Year B	
Lectionary		Exodus 12: 1-14 Psalm 149 Romans 13: 8-14 Matthew 18: 15-20 Related Ezekiel 33: 7-11 Psalm 119: 33-40 Romans 13: 8-14 Matthew 18: 15-20	Exodus 14: 19-31 Psalm 114 or Canticle: Exodus 15: 1b -11, 20-21 Romans 14: 1-12 Matthew 18: 21-35 Related Genesis 50: 15-21 Psalm 103: (1-7) 8-13 Romans 14: 1-12 Matthew 18: 21-35	Exodus 16: 2-15 Psalm 105: 1-6, 37-45 Philippians 1: 21-30 Matthew 20: 1-16 Related Jonah 3: 10 – 4: 11 Psalm 145: 1-8 Philippians 1: 21-30 Matthew 20: 1-16	Exodus 17: 1-7 Psalm 78: 1-4, 12-16 Philippians 2: 1-13 Matthew 21: 23-32 Related Ezekiel 18: 1-4, 25-32 Psalm 25: 1-9 Philippians 2: 1-13 Matthew 21: 23-32	Exodus 20: 1-4, 7-9, 12-20 Psalm 19 Philippians 3: 4b -14 Matthew 21: 33-46 Related Isaiah 5: 1-7 Psalm 80: 7-15 Philippians 3: 4b -14 Matthew 21: 33-46	Exodus 32: 1-14 Psalm 106: 1-6, 19-23 Philippians 4: 1-9 Matthew 22: 1-14 Related Isaiah 25: 1-9 Psalm 23 Philippians 4: 1-9 Matthew 22: 1-14	Exodus 33: 12-23 Psalm 99 1 Thessalonians 1: 1-10 Matthew 22: 15-22 Related Isaiah 45: 1-7 Psalm 96: 1-9 (10-13) 1 Thessalonians 1: 1-10 Matthew 22: 15-22	Deuteronomy 34: 1-12 Psalm 90: 1-6, 13-17 1 Thessalonians 2: 1-8 Matthew 22: 34-46 Related Leviticus 19: 1-2, 15-18 Psalm 1 1 Thessalonians 2: 1-8 Matthew 22: 34-46	Revelation 7: 9-17 Psalm 34: 1-10, 22 1 John 3: 1-3 Matthew 5: 1-12 Isaiah 25: 1-9 or Isaiah 52: 7-12 or Micah 4: 1-8 Psalm 9: 9-20 or Psalm 46 Romans 8: 31-35, 37-39 or Revelation 22: 1-5 Matthew 5: 1-12 or Matthew 5: 43-48 or John 15: 9-17	Isaiah 25: 1-9 or Isaiah 52: 7-12 or Micah 4: 1-8 Psalm 9: 9-20 or Psalm 46 Romans 8: 31-35, 37-39 or Revelation 22: 1-5 Matthew 5: 1-12 or Matthew 5: 43-48 or John 15: 9-17	Judges 4: 1-7 Psalm 123 1 Thessalonians 5: 1-11 Matthew 25: 14-30 Related Zephaniah 1: 7, 12-18 Psalm 90: 1-8 (9-11) 12 1 Thessalonians 5: 1-11 Matthew 25: 14-30	Ezekiel 34: 11-16, 20-24 Psalm 95: 1-7a or Psalm 100 Ephesians 1: 15-23 Matthew 25: 31-46	Isaiah 64:1-9, Psalm 80: 1-7, 17-19, 1 Corinthians 1:3-9, Mark 13:24-37	
Ainsdale	10:45	Humble S CA	Bowker	LA HF	Trudgian	Stubbens S	Goddard	Tabz	LA	McCauley	10.45 CTiA on Green	Edwards	Humble S	Circuit Service 11am @PPW	
Cornerstone	10:30		Fyles		Hoyle HF		Grimshaw S		Hill	Fraser Hospital Service	Tabz		LA		
	15:00	LA		Grimshaw S		Potts		LA				Grimshaw S		Circuit Service 11am @PPW	
Connell Court	14:30			Humble S				Grimshaw S				Humble S			
Formby	08:30								Bowker S						
	10:30	Prest S	Potts	Hill HF	Humble	Prest S	LA	Trudgian	Hoyle	Prest S	Bowker	Goddard	Mawdsley	Circuit Service 11am @ PPW	
	18:30			Humble HF				Humble				Fyles			
Leyland Road	10:30	Mawdsley	Grimshaw S	McCauley	Venables	Tabz	Attwater	Grimshaw AAW	Potts	Fyles	Hill	Grimshaw AAW	Hoyle	Circuit Service 11am @PPW	
	18:00				Raising Praise				Raising Praise					Raising Praise	
Liverpool Road	10:45	Grimshaw S	Mawdsley	Potts	Goddard	Grimshaw HF	McCauley	Edwards S	Trudgian	Hoyle	Grimshaw AAW	Bowker	Hill	Circuit Service 11am @PPW	
	18:30	LA	Circuit/ Grimshaw	LA	LA	LA	Circuit/Humble	LA	LA	LA	Circuit/Fyles	LA	LA	LA	
Lord Street West	10:45	Lyth S		Trudgian	Mawdsley HF	Bowker	Fyles	Potts	Humble S	Mawdsley	Humble	Lyth S	Bowker	@Birkdale URC	
Russell Road	10:45	Stubbens S	LA	Grimshaw HF	Bowker	Fraser S	LA	Mawdsley	Venables	Grimshaw S	Attwater	Moyes	Fraser	Circuit Service 11am @PPW	
St Francis of Assisi	10:30	Anglican S	Anglican S	Humble S	Anglican S	Anglican S	Anglican S	Humble S	Anglican S	Stubbens S	Anglican S	Humble S	Anglican S	Anglican S	
St Philip and St Paul with Wesley	09:00			Humble S				Humble S				Grimshaw S			
	10:30	Bray B/ 3pm Civic Service	LA IGS	Bray S	Fyles	Humble S	Anglican HF/New Life Ghana	Moyes	Bray	Bray S	LA IGS	Attwater	Venables	11am Circuit Service/ Ainger	
	AAW – All Age Worship; AVC - Ainsdale Village Church; BM -Bible Month; Cir Ser - Circuit Service; CMC - Cornerstone Methodist Church; Cov - Covenant Service; CTiA - Churches Together in Ainsdale; CTiB - Churches Together in Birkdale; IGS- Intergenerational Service; LA - Local Arrangement; LeRMC - Leyland Road Methodist Church: Mem Ser - Memorial Service; P - Parade; PPW - St Philip & St Paul with Wesley; S - Sacrament of Holy Communion;														

Mid-week Services as follows:
 Ainsdale Wed 10am Morning Prayer ,
 Leyland Rd Wed 12noon Prayer meeting,
 Liverpool Rd Thurs 9.15am Iona worship,
 Lord Street West Wed 11am mid week devotions,
 St Francis Wed 10am Holy Communion,
 PPW second Thurs 12 noon Holy Communion