



AMERSHAM FREE CHURCH

Notices for week beginning Sunday 4th October 2026

SUNDAYS

Sunday 4th October

10.30am: Holy Communion

Led by The Revd Ian Green and The Revd Heather McIntyre

Followed by Morning Coffee and Tea in the Church Hall

Sunday 11th October

10.30am: Morning Service

Led by The Revd Ian Green and The Revd Erna Stevenson

Followed by Morning Coffee and Tea in the Church Hall

WEEKDAYS

Tuesday 6th October

12.00pm: LunchBreak including at

1.10pm: Bite Sized Service for Harvest

2.00pm: Hands Together (Carey Room)

3.00pm: Tea at Three

Friday 9th October

10.00am: Elders' Meeting

10.15am-11.00am: Friday Coffee

11.00am: Bring & Share Prayer Group

1.00pm: Fun at One (Hall)

MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

Thank you to everyone who supported the Macmillan Coffee Morning at AFC last Friday. A total of £302.40 was raised, including donations given on Sunday.

USE OF SANCTUARY

Preparations for the work to clear the organ chamber will start on Friday 9th October, when scaffolding will be built in the Sanctuary. The clearance work will take place from 12th to 16th October. Due to the presence of asbestos containing materials inside equipment in the chamber, we are using a licensed, specialist contractor. The Sanctuary will only be available for pre-existing bookings during this time, there must be no other access to the Sanctuary. This is to ensure the integrity of the scheduled work. All the work will be carried out within strict health & safety protocols, including daily air testing and a containment unit in the car park near the garden. Other use of the premises will continue as normal. Thank you

FRIDAY LUNCH FORUM

The next Friday Lunch Forum will be on 16th October. Following a successful trial last month, a 2 course hot lunch will be served. The speaker is Anne Samson who will be giving a talk on African national anthems. Indicative tickets are available from 4th October.

REFORMED MAGAZINE

There is a copy of the latest edition of Reformed, the magazine of the URC, available in the Sanctuary vestibule. Please borrow and return it once read.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

CHURCH LUNCH

The next Church Lunch will be on Sunday 18th October.

RAYNERS CARE HOME

The next service at Rayners Care Home will be on Friday 16th October at 11am.

Ministers' Diary

Revd Ian Green

Tuesday 6th October: Leading Bite Sized Service.

Wednesday 7th October: Speaking at Rotary Club and attending COTHA AGM.

Friday 9th October: Chairing Elders' Meeting and attending Order for Baptist Ministry Cell Group.

Revd Erna Stevenson

Tuesday 6th October: attending LunchBreak and Tea at Three. Leading the Hands Together Group.

Sunday 11th October: taking part in leading worship.

GENERAL INFORMATION

OCTOBER's MISSION OFFERING is for Street Kids Direct

VIDEO RECORDINGS OF SUNDAY SERVICES

If you do not wish to be seen during the video recordings of Sunday services please sit in the seats towards the back of the Church that have Image Free notices on. If you are unsure where these seats are, please ask the Stewards.

AFC ROOM BOOKINGS

If you wish to use a room at AFC for a meeting or other reason please book the room in advance. This includes the Sanctuary. This recognises the level of room bookings & for fire safety reasons we need to be aware of the use of the building. You can book online through the bookings' calendar on the Church website or email admin@amershamfreechurch.org.uk or speak with Alison or Beverley.

PASTORAL CARE & STAYING IN TOUCH

The AFC Pastoral Team (The Ministers, Ann Clark, Carolynn Croisdale-Appleby, Norma Jenns, Heather McIntyre, Gillian Munro, Christine Payne, Beverley Underwood & Liz Waumsley) are available to offer a listening ear & be a point of contact when needed. If you would like a chat, please do get in touch with Ian, either by email at minister@amershamfreechurch.org.uk or phone on: **07396 711156**.