

# Preaching Plan & Duty Elder 2026

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Updated 9 April 2026

4 Jan - Mr Wilfred Rhodes  
Duty Elder: Hilary Redman

11 Jan - Mr Stuart Dew  
Duty Elder: Val Berry

18 Jan - Rev Richard Brunton (Living Hope)  
Duty Elder: Valerie Cooper

25 - Rev Dawn Mather  
Duty Elder: Val Gill

1 Feb - Rev George Butterworth  
Duty Elder: Jonathan Cooper

8 Feb - Rev John Jennings  
Duty Elder: Caroline Hibbs

15 Feb - Rev David Hill  
Duty Elder: Hilary Redman

22 Feb - Mr Laurie Mellor  
Duty Elder: Matthew Smith

1 Mar - Mrs Hilary Redman  
Duty Elder: Bobby Hitchin

8 Mar - Rev Clive Langston  
Duty Elder: Wilfred Rhodes

15 Mar - Mrs Jode James  
Duty Elder: Val Berry

22 Mar - Mr Wilfred Rhodes and  
Open the Book Team (Bible Society)  
Duty Elder: Val Gill

Palm Sunday  
29 Mar - Rev George Butterworth  
Duty Elder: Valerie Cooper

Maundy Thursday  
2 Apr - 6:00pm at Emmanuel URC

Good Friday  
3 Apr - 10:00am at Sompting URC

Easter Sunday  
5 Apr Valerie & Jonathan, Caroline  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

12 Apr - Mr Jason Wood  
Duty Elder: Caroline Hibbs

19 Apr - Rev Julian Thomas  
Duty Elder: Matthew Smith

26 Apr - Rev George Butterworth  
Duty Elder: Hilary Redman

3 May - Rev David Hill  
Duty Elder: Bobby Hitchin

10 May - Rev Martin Knight  
Duty Elder: Wilfred Rhodes

17 May - Rev David Beazley  
Duty Elder: Valerie Berry

24 May - Rev Sean Carter  
Duty Elder: Valerie Cooper

31 May - Rev George Butterworth  
Duty Elder: Val Gill

7 Jun - Jason Wood  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

14 Jun - Mrs Tina Twaites  
Duty Elder: Jonathan Cooper

21 Jun - Rev George Butterworth  
Duty Elder: Carolione Hibbs

28 Jun - Mr Laurie Mellor  
Duty Elder: Matthew Smith

5 Jul - Mrs Jode James  
Duty Elder: Hilary Redman

12 Jul - TBA  
Duty Elder: Bobby Hitchin

19 Jul - Rev John Jennings  
Duty Elder: Wilfred Rhodes

26 Jul - Rev George Butterworth  
Duty Elder: Valerie Berry

2 Aug - TBA  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

9 Aug - Rev Dawn Mather  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

16 Aug - Rev David Hill  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

23 Aug - TBA  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

30 Aug - Rev George Butterworth  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

6 Sep - TBA  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

13 Sep - Mr Philip Williams  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

20 Sep - TBA  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

27 Sep - Rev George Butterworth  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

4 Oct - Rev Martin Knight  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

11 Oct - TBA  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

18 Oct - Rev George Butterworth  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

25 Oct - Mrs Tina Twaites  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

1 Nov - Rev David Hill  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

8 Nov - TBA  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

15 Nov - Rev John Jennings  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

22 Nov - Rev Martin Knight  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

1st in Advent  
29 Nov - Rev George Butterworth  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

2nd in Advent  
6 Dec - TBA  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

3rd in Advent  
13 Dec - TBA  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

4th in Advent  
20 Dec - TBA  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

Carols by Candlelight  
Date TBA  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

Christmas Day  
TBA  
Duty Elder: Not yet known

27 Dec - Rev George Butterworth  
Duty Elder: Not yet known