



Welcome to Fleet United Reformed Church

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*The United Reformed Church is a union of the
Congregational Church in England, Wales and Scotland,
the Presbyterian Church of England and the Churches of Christ.*

Sunday, 24 September, 2017 – Mission Sunday Worship today is led by Mrs. Linda Mead

<i>Duty Elders:</i>	Elizabeth McClune, Tamyra Sherratt
<i>Door Stewards:</i>	Moira Johnstone, Maureen Coney
<i>Organist:</i>	Colin Johnston
<i>Reader:</i>	Stephen Turnbull
<i>Readings:</i>	Ruth 1 : 16 – 18 (O.T. 248) James 2 : 14 – 18 (N.T. 227)
<i>Footsteps:</i>	Grace Bagshaw, Maureen Coney
<i>Coffee:</i>	Mary Matthew
<i>Ministry of Flowers:</i>	Margaret & Brian Armes

*A Crèche is available for the younger children if required.
Visiting children are also welcome to any of the Young People's activities.*

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Monday 25, 10.00 am – House Group, 35 Frere Avenue
Thursday 28, 10.00 am – Coffee Morning
Friday 29, 10.00 am – Mothers & Toddlers
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The Pulpit for October

01	10.00	Revd. Ruth Dillon (<i>Harvest Festival</i>)
01	6.30	Revd. Ruth Dillon (<i>Including Holy Communion</i>)
08	10.00	Revd. John Whitton
15	10.00	Mr. Sydney Shore (<i>Including Holy Communion</i>)
22	10.00	Revd. Anthea Wickens <i>~~~~~</i>

If you are a **Visitor or recently moved into the area** you are invited to sign the Visitors Book which can be found in the Vestibule.

Mission Statement of Fleet United Reformed Church

We are a community of faithful Christian people, working to spread the love of God to all.

Birthdays in September:

6 Thomas Bagshaw **17** Rosemarie Scully **20** Gilbert Black

The list indicating birthdays can be found in the vestibule. If you would like to add (or delete) your name from the list please feel free to do so.

Foodbank is receiving food as well as financial donations. **Current Food Shortages, September** – Instant Mash / Tinned Potatoes, Tinned Sponge Puddings, Jam / Marmalade, Custard, Instant Coffee, Sweet Treats (e.g. bars of chocolate), Toiletries (especially washing powder / gel.) **Request – No sugar until further notice. Please ensure donated goods are well within use by date.**

Harvest Supper – Saturday, 7 October, 7.00 for 7.30 pm. Bring & Share Meal. There is a list in the Vestibule for you to add your names if you intend coming to the Harvest Supper. Please also tick box indicating the food you will bring. Further information from Val Cox (682675) or Margaret Kemp (613373).

Flower Rota – If you would like to be part of this important ministry by donating the flowers to decorate the church, please add your name to any vacant Sunday(s). See list in the vestibule. At the time of going to press there are vacancies on **8 & 29 October**. If you would like to know more please speak to Elizabeth McClune (628206) or Sandra Smith (623061).

Operation Christmas Child – Boxes are available from today if you would like to take and fill one. If you feel unable to fill a Box, you may like to help with the transportation which costs £5 a box. Boxes need to be returned by **Sunday, 19 November**. Any further information you require please speak to Bee Griffiths (660599).

Jill Durbin thanks everyone who sent Birthday Greetings and Good Wishes on the occasion of her 90th Birthday on Friday, 22 September.