



**Everyone Welcome at
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.*

**2nd February 2025
10am Service and Holy Communion
led by Revd Helen Everard**

Vestry Elder:	Margaret Armes
Vestibule Elder:	Liz McClune
Stewards:	Rita & Glyn Powell
Communion Preparation:	Bee Griffiths
Peace Candle:	Carol Rayner
Organ:	Hymnal, operated by Carol Woods
Reader:	Rita Powell
Readings:	Romans 8: 26 - 27; Matthew 7: 7-11
Footsteps:	Helen Bailey & Angela Murray
Flowers:	Moira Bamfield
Coffee:	Carol Woods

There are activities for children during term-time services and visiting children are welcome to join them or to make use of the children's area

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**The 10am Sunday Pulpit - February**

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| <b>9th</b>  | Mr Alan Goldring      |
| <b>16th</b> | Revd Helen Everard    |
| <b>23rd</b> | Elders' Worship Group |

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February Diary Notes

5th	Wednesday coffee morning, 10.00 to 11.30 am
25th	Tuesday afternoon service, 2.00 pm

Bible Study continues at 2.00 pm on Tuesdays, February 11th & 18th.
For details, speak to Helen.

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**Christians Together Lent Groups 2025**, Wednesdays, March 12th to April 9th inclusive, daytime or evening. Studying the Bible, concentrating on the Beatitudes, with Christians who live near you, meeting in small groups in houses. For more details see the leaflet or speak to Helen.

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Commitment for Life: The Church meeting last Sunday voted on whether we continue with stories and literature from Zimbabwe or change region. The vote was very close - 7 for Zimbabwe, 8 for Israel and the Occupied Palestinian Territories (IOPT) and 1 for Bangladesh. So we in Fleet will now focus on IOPT:

Israel & Occupied Palestinian Territories in Focus Webinar – Presented by Phillip Woods, Wednesday, 19th February 2025 at 2.00 pm. An on-line meeting hosted by Commitment for Life. This will be the first of four sessions unpacking the issues surrounding IOPT, and is titled “Confronting Christian Zionism”. E-mail commitmentforlife@urc.org.uk for Zoom link to the meeting. See the poster on our C4L notice board, also detailed background resources on the Commitment for Life section of the URC website.

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**Band of the Hampshire Constabulary, Charity Concert**, fundraising for Phyllis Tuckwell Hospice Care. Saturday, 15th February, 7.00 for 7.30 pm at the Church on the Heath, Fleet. An evening of popular band music. Tickets: Adults £15.00, Children £6.00, available from the Phyllis Tuckwell shop in Fleet, or on the door.

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The Spring edition of our informative magazine “*In Touch*” is now being prepared and contributions for inclusion should be with the Editor, Christine Gibbons, no later than Sunday, 16th February.
Email to christine.gibbons@beech-ride.co.uk.
