



*Avenue St Andrew's United Reformed Church*

Ministers: The Reverend Tony Spring (557767)  
The Reverend Derek Cole (771447)

Sunday 5th October 1986

We welcome you to our Inaugural Service as a United Church, and give a particularly cordial welcome to the Mayor and Mayoress of Southampton, Councillors Jack and Irene Candy, who have joined us this morning. The Service includes the Admission of New Church Members and the Sacrament of Holy Communion.

All who confess Jesus Christ as Saviour and Lord are invited to share in the Communion, to whatever branch of the Christian Church they belong.

If you are worshipping with us for the first time, we hope you are feeling at home, and that you will introduce yourself after the service to one of the ministers or elders ( who are wearing badges so that you may easily spot them )

Evening Service is at 6.30pm.

THIS WEEK :

TUESDAY 2.15pm Women's Guild in the Donald James Room

WEDNESDAY 2pm Young Wives at 24 Reynolds Road :  
Action Aid Video

7pm WORKING PARTY to sort out and arrange furnishings, etc., brought from St. Andrew's. We also need instructions from organisations which will be using these items to ensure that the workers put them in the correct places! There is plenty to do so, please, men and women, come along and help.

SATURDAY 2.30pm Eric Moore and Ruth Cracknell invite you to their wedding in the Church.

Junior Church have a Fun Afternoon.

NEXT SUNDAY, 12th October. Family Worship at 10.30am will be followed by Coffee.

CHURCH MAGAZINE Articles should be handed in by next Sunday, October 12th.

UNA/UNICEF. Volunteers are required for a Street Collection on Saturday 18th October. Offers please, to Joan Denyer (844649).

On Sunday Evening 19th October the West Country Association of Hampshire will attend the Evening Service, which will include Holy Communion and will be followed by Coffee.

NOTICES OF MEETINGS. We intend to publish a Service Paper every Sunday which will include Church Notices. If you wish to have your notice included would you please send it to one of the ministers by Thursday evening?

ELDERS MEETING : Tuesday October 14th at 7pm.

Order of Morning Worship

Please stand when the Bible is brought in by the Elder

Introit "In God is my help and my glory" Watson Harding

Scripture Sentences

Hymn 243 Glorious things of thee are spoken

Prayers of Approach and Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Junior Church Talk

The Offering

Hymn (MP 21) Bind us together, Lord

Notices

Anthem "Rejoice in the Lord Alway" Rathbone

Children's Dismissal :

Minister : Jesus said, 'I am with you always!'

Congregation : The Lord be with you!

Children : And also with you.

1 St. John 4 verses 7 to 16

Hymn 539 Beloved, let us love, for love is of God

Ten Words for the New Church

Silent Prayer

Prayers of Intercession

Hymn NCP 87 A song of celebration

Admission of New Members

We share the Peace with our neighbours

The Communion (NCP page 134 or page 206)

Communion Offering for the Retired Ministers Housing  
Society

Hymn 251 Thy hand, O God, has guided

The Blessing

Organ Postlude

Organist Frank Boulton

Hymn "Bind us together, Lord"

Bind us together, Lord,

Bind us together

With cords that cannot be broken;

Bind us together, Lord,

Bind us together,

O bind us together in love.

There is only one God,

There is only one King.

There is only one Body,

That is why we sing :

Bind us together, Lord...

God has many gifts,

Given by his Son;

Building the Body of Christ,

Creating a faith that is one. Bind us together, Lord...

We are the family of God,

Joined by the Spirit above;

Working together with Christ,

Growing and building in love. Bind us, together, Lord...

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Order of Evening Worship

Welcome and Notices

Hymn 321 How glorious Zion's courts appear

Prayers of Approach and Confession

The Lord's Prayer

Revelation 21 verses 1 to 7. 22 verses 1 to 5.

Hymn 253 City of God, how broad and far

Sermon

Hymn 558 Son of God, Eternal Saviour

Prayers

The Offering

Hymn 593 Forth in thy name, O Lord

The Blessing

Organ Postlude

Organist John Singleton