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THE JOURNEY BEGINS...

PROGRAMME FOR
SEPTEMBER-DECEMBER 2019

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CHURCH FOCUS FOR SEPTEMBER-DECEMBER 2019

SUNDAY MORNINGS - 10:30AM

	Speaker	Theme	Scripture/s
Sept			
01	Simon Rotheram	Isaac Born to Sarah	Genesis 18:1-15; 21:1-7
08	Simon Rotheram	Jacob Wrestles God	Genesis 32:(9013) 22-30
15	Simeon Locke		Open theme
22	Jonathan Moseley	Moses and God's Name	Exodus 1:8-14 (1:15-2:10)
29	TBC	Harvest	TBC
Oct			
06	Simon Rotheram	Hear O Israel	Deuteronomy 5:1-21; 6:4-9
13	David Firth	Ruth	Ruth 1:1-17
20	John Aitken	Kingdom Divided	1 Kings 12:1-17
27	Simon Rotheram	David Anointed King	2 Samuel 5:1-5; 6:1-5; Psalm 150
Nov			
03	Simon Rotheram	Elijah at Mount Carmel	1 Kings 18:(17-19) 20-39
10	Rev. Alex Brown	Church weekend - no service at Alma	
17	Simon Rotheram	Isaiah's Vineyard Song	Isaiah 5:1-7; 11:1-5
24	Philip Jinadu	Josiah's Reform	2 Kings 22:1-10 (11-20); 23:1-3
Dec			
01	John Proctor	Promise of the Messiah	Jeremiah 33:14-18
08	Simon Rotheram	Isaiah of the Exile	Isaiah 40:1-11
14		Carols by firelight	Carols by firelight
15	Eunice Burden	Rebuilding the Temple	Ezra 1:1-4; 3:1-4, 10-13
22	Simon Rotheram	Carols by candlelight	Carols by candlelight
25	TBC	TBC	TBC
29	TBC	TBC	TBC

Communion is on the first Sunday of each month

This Autumn, we begin an exciting journey through the Bible, starting with the Old Testament, looking the key episodes in the story of Scripture. We'll follow the Narrative Lectionary*, taking in the sweep of the biblical story, from Creation through to the early Christian church.

Each week we will hear stories of hope and disappointment, suffering and redemption, and in so doing, we will find a God who deals with the complexities of human life.

Our hope is that these stories will encourage and inspire us, as we face our own joys and sorrows, challenges and opportunities, and that we'll discover more of the God "who is over all and through all and in all." (Eph. 4:6)

*workingpreacher.org/narrative_faqs.aspx