

Jerusalem

And did those feet in ancient time
Walk upon England's mountains green?
And was the holy Lamb of God
On England's pleasant pastures seen?
And did the Countenance Divine
Shine forth upon our clouded hills?
And was Jerusalem builded here
Among these dark satanic mills?

Bring me my bow of burning gold!
Bring me my arrows of desire!
Bring me my spear! O clouds unfold!
Bring me my chariot of fire!
I will not cease from mental fight,
Nor shall my sword sleep in my hand,
Till we have built Jerusalem
In England's green and pleasant land.

William Blake



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Notes:

Our meeting is held on the
first Wednesday of the month
at 7.30 pm in
Water Lane United Reform Church,
Water Lane, Bishop's Stortford CM23 2JZ

Members only at meetings marked *
Visitors welcome at other meetings

2025 –26 Federation & National meeting dates

11 October 25 - HFWI Annual Council Meeting
The Vineyard, St. Albans AL1 5UG

04 June 26 - NFWI Annual Meeting
To be held On-Line

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Bishop's Stortford WI

2025–26 Programme

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| President | Kim Henson president@bswi.co.uk |
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2025

4th September

NHS Screening & Immunisation Programmes

Speaker: **Hayley McCarthy**

Competition Theme: **“Sunflowers”**

Stall: **Summer’s Bounty**

2nd October

“Man on the Spot”

Speaker: **Bill Hamilton**

Competition Theme: **“Spooky”**

6th November

Fast & Easy Paper Boxes & Envelopes

Speaker: **Karen Odinga**

Competition Theme: **“Whizz Bang”**

4th December

Christmas Meal* at Bishop’s Stortford Bowling Club

Bowling Lane, Off Beldams Lane

CM23 5FE

2026

Wednesday, 7th January

The Hospice Movement & Isabel Hospice

Speaker: **Barbara Doherty**

Competition Theme: **“Tartan”**

Wednesday, 4th February

“Eddie Chapman—The Life & Crimes of Agent Zigzag”

Speaker: **Paul Barwick**

Competition Theme: **“Love”**

Wednesday, 4th March

“Legendary Women in East London”

Speaker: **Eleanor Bloom**

Fish & Chip Supper

Competition Theme: **“Fish”**

New Subscription year

Wednesday, 1st April

Speaker: **To be announced**

Competition Theme: **“Springtime”**

Stall: **Let’s grow - seedlings & cuttings**

Dates for your diary:

Wednesday, 6th May

BSWI Birthday Celebration

Wednesday, 3rd June

BSWI Annual Meeting *