



1030 - Communion Worship Service

Eagles & Owls are now on
holiday until 06/09/26

Prayer will be available
following the Service

SUMMER 2026

"By the seventh day God had finished the work he had been doing; so on the seventh day he rested from all his work. Then God blessed the seventh day and made it holy, because on it he rested from all the work of creating that he had done."

Genesis Chapter 2 Verses 2 & 3

Testimony Service



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Live at the hall - For those at the hall there will be opportunity for socialising. Refreshments will be served at the end of service.

Live on Zoom which will be open from about 10:20am. If you miss a sermon the recording will be made available the following week on our website. We continue to live stream the Sunday service on Zoom. **See the bottom of the newsletter for details of how to join Zoom via our website.**

Prayer chain: Nat Bond - 07832 090075

email: natfromfife@gmail.com

If you are not on the chain but would like to be, want to add a prayer request to the chain or would like more information, please talk to Nat.





*Please remember KCBC's
Summer diary in your daily
prayers*

Monday 3rd August

1000 KYB Women's Bible Study

1930 church@prayer - hosted Rob

Tuesday 4th

1400 Psalmists' Study Group

Wednesday 5th

Nick & Sarah to cr2ee warehouse

Thursday 6th

1400 & SASRA Prayer Meetings

1930

Sunday 9th

1030 Worship Service

Fellowship Picnic

Monday 10th

1930 Leadership Meeting

Tuesday 11th

1400 Psalmists' Study Group

Sunday 16th

1030 Communion Worship Service

Tuesday 18th

1400 Psalmists' Study Group

Sunday 23rd

1030 Worship Service

Monday 24th

1000 KYB Women's Study Group

1930 Leadership Prayers (Zoom)

Tuesday 25th

1400 Psalmist's Study Group

Sunday 30th

1030 Worship Service

Tuesday 1st September

1400 Psalmists' Study Group

1430 Weekly Bible Study - hosted by Rob

Wednesday 2nd

1930 Home Group - Rundle Road

Thursday 3rd

1930 Home Group - Haytor Drive

Sunday 6th

1030 Communion Worship Service

Speaker - Rose Millard

Eagles & Owls Meet

Guest Speakers

9th August - David Herring

16th August - Colin Opie

23rd August - Jude Coram

30th August - Caleb Perkins

Duty Deacons

2nd August - Rick Hillard

9th August - David Butler

16th August - Angela Harvey

23rd August - Nick Oddy

30th August - Sue Watkin

6th September - David Butler

"For as in one body we have many members, and the members do not all have the same function, so we, though many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another."

Romans 12: 4-5

If you have a regular group which meets and you wish to add it to the diary prayers, please do let me know -

kbcscscribe@hotmail.com

CHURCH MATTERS

KCBC Vision Day 26th September 2026

*"And they devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers."
Acts 2:42*

KCBC Summer Picnic
Sunday 9th August at
Mill Marsh Park, Bovey Tracey.
Bring your lunch, family and
friends and outdoor games for a
church family picnic and an
afternoon of fun and fellowship

We have received outline information about the Vision Day from Carl, SWBA, who will be leading us.

The aim of the day is to discern together the particular gifts, skills and experience God wants KCBC's next Minister to have. The day itself will be divided into 3 sessions, each lasting 45-60 minutes and will comprise:

10-15 mins of Carl explaining the session

25-30 mins small group discussion (with a member of the leadership team acting as scribe writing it all down)

15 mins feedback from each group

Over a three-week period, September's newsletters will include a segment entitled Pre-Vision Session Prayer Guide, which are self-explanatory and are an encouragement for each of us to prepare for the day. So please make sure you avail yourself of this vital information.

All the notes that have emerged from the day's sessions, will be gathered up so that the Leadership Team can create a single document, from a consensus of opinions, which will help to inform the Church Profile Document, adding to the 3 groups which have already been set up.

Carl suggests that younger people, 11+, should cope fairly well with the Vision Day and that their opinions are valuable and encouraged, including being a part of the discussion groups during the day. At the same time, and being entirely honest here, he feels younger children may get a little bored but would encourage parents to engage with them in the weeks leading up to the day through prayer, if you choose to do so.

Carl has provided this link
www.baptist.org.uk/Articles/612627/When_a_minister.aspx if you want further clarification on any of the processes.

From the Leadership

The Keswick Convention 2026

Helen and I have spent the last week at the Keswick Convention. The Convention is now in its 151st year having been started in a small way by a local Vicar in Keswick all those years ago. We first attended the Convention in 1975 which was the 100th Anniversary of the event, and one of the guest speakers was Billy Graham. Although we went a few times in the 70's we have only returned since 2022 and attended each year since then. So, it has been more of a regular annual event for us since then. We also went to the first Easter Weekend arranged by Keswick Ministries this year.

The Convention has grown over the years and attracts around 15,000 visitors each year over three weeks in beginning in July and running into early August. This year there are 3400 children registered and an increasing number of young people. Each day there is a Bible Teaching Session in the morning and an Evening Celebration including a Bible Study which are held in the Marquee with a capacity for 2700 people, and two or three other venues to accommodate the overflow.

This year the main theme was Strength in His Strength with the morning studies taken from Genesis, and the evening studies from the Letters to the Seven Churches in Revelation. Having just finished studying Genesis with Rob at the Tuesday Bible Study and being encouraged to discern what the Spirit is saying to KCBC, based on looking at the Seven Letters we found this to be very helpful.

It is an opportunity to hear from renown Bible Teachers from the UK and other countries, plus to hear from Missions, and to engage in Sung Worship with a large number of Christians each day. With a choice of Seminars on various subjects and a large choice of Books and other resources, plus Exhibitors of a good numbers of Christian Organisations the whole experience is

one of informing, building up in our faith and sharing in fellowship with so many.

Entrance to the Convention is and always has been Free of Charge, and to attend there is a large choice of accommodation from Camping, Guest Houses and Hotels in the area which of course must be arranged personally.

It is one of those occasions when you don't want to come home and we would encourage anyone to consider attending another year if you would like to be refreshed, encouraged and taken into a deeper relationship and experience of knowing Jesus.

Please speak to us about the Convention as we can thoroughly recommend attending another year if you are interested and able to consider going.

Rick & Helen

WHAT'S ON

Training with Pathways, SWBA - If you are looking at expanding your gifts check out these modules, details for each can be found on the SWBA website, www.swbaptists.org.uk

2026 & 2027 Pathways Modules

Theology & The Doctrine of God -

19th September

Engaging with Contemporary Culture -

14th November

Introduction to the Old Testament -

9th January

If you are interested in the full 2026-2028 Pathways Programme, contact the SWBA Team on 01392 433533 or email james@swbaptists.org.uk

Here are just a few of the planned events for the rest of the year:

THINKFEST 2026- Academic Day Conference -

13th October (White River Community Church)

CYF Summit - 17th October (Exeter)

Kingsteignton Town Council events:

Community Coffee Mornings take place in the Main Hall from 1000-1200hrs, next date **12th September**: Special Events include: **26th September** Kingsteignton in Bloom Presentation. Keep an eye out for posters detailing these events and if you want to find out more the email address is events@kingsteignton.gov.uk or go to the website www.kingsteignton.gov.uk/events

"Therefore, holy brothers and sisters, who share in the heavenly calling, fix your thoughts on Jesus, whom we acknowledge as our apostle and high priest."
Hebrews 3:1



If you would like to find out more information on Barton Baptist's Bereavement Journey, please visit their website on www.bartonbaptistchurch.co.uk

SASRA Events – Virtual Prayer Meetings

6th August 1400 & 1930 hrs

3rd September 1400 & 1930 hrs

1st October 1400 & 1930 hrs

Email admin@sasra.org.uk to receive the meeting invited

Local Charity Information



Christian Response to Eastern Europe –

So much is going on at the moment BUT we can make a difference!

At the recent News and Prayer meeting Hugh gave us lots of updates following his latest visit to Moldova and Ukraine. This week we will focus on the situation in Ukraine.

Ukraine Prayer Points

- ▶ The number of dead and injured is increasing each day with little or no support for the widows or the soldiers who have lost limbs once they leave hospital. Hugh met Svava (who has lost two legs and an arm) and his wife Anya, they gave thanks for tourniquets that saved his life and the underwear that he had received. Little things but they make so much of a difference to the people who receive help.
- ▶ We give thanks for Pastor Dima, who is a part time minister and is ploughing in own money into building a church/community centre/soup kitchen for his local community, where the people can feel loved, accepted and safe. We pray that those he is helping come to know the hope that is knowing Jesus as their Saviour and friend.
- ▶ We pray for the disabled of Ukraine who find getting help almost impossible now, that we can find ways to help them.
- ▶ We give thanks for Pastor Maxime and his wife, Svetlana, she and a group of ladies are sewing uniforms, medical packs and oversized sleeping bags (the soldiers can sleep in their uniforms). She runs also runs much needed group for widows and wives
- ▶ Our partners: their ministry to displaced people, children and churches

- ▶ Pray for Pastor Neuri and his wife Natalia who despite the huge risk continue to live in Kherson, where there are daily drone attacks on civilians and landmines the size of pebbles dropped on pavements. They stay because the people need them and the support they can bring (such as running a school/soup kitchen/bakery). Despite the dangers they say they see God's love and mercy each day.
- ▶ Our partners: the personal and emotional challenges they face
- ▶ Christians in Ukraine: Strengthening and increase
- ▶ For a lasting peace

If you would like to know more about the ongoing prayer requests or answers to prayer, please ask Sarah. If you would like further information about cr2ee or have anything to donate, Nick & Sarah would be very pleased to hear from you.

www.facebook.com/groups/cr2ee

"Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God."

Hebrews 13:16



CAP Teignbridge offers free debt help, practical & emotional support, to show people that there is always hope. Working in partnership with local churches across Teignbridge, we help to lift the weight of debt from your shoulders.

If you would like to become a befriender, or would like further information, please contact Tim Wigley, Debt Centre Manager at timwigley@capuk.org

THAT FOODBANK

Thank you for the donation that was dropped off to the food bank yesterday. We're really grateful for the ongoing support as it really makes a difference to the residents in the Teignbridge District.

,Best wishes
Joe Downes
Foodbank Manager



KCBC FELLOWSHIP TOGETHER



Father God, we thank you for the precious gift of rest and for the blessing of holidays that allow us to pause from the busyness of life. Thank you for the joy of spending time with family and friends, sharing laughter, making memories, and strengthening the relationships you have given us. Help us never to take these moments for granted, but to appreciate every blessing you pour into our lives. As we enjoy the beauty of your creation, may we marvel at the wonders of nature, the changing seasons, and the world around us, remembering that every good and perfect gift comes from you. Fill our hearts with gratitude for all that we have and teach us to be good stewards of your creation.

Lord Jesus, thank you for showing us the perfect example of balancing work with times of quiet, prayer, and renewal. Just as you often withdrew to be alone with the Father, help us to make space in our lives to seek you, to listen for your voice, and to find peace in your presence. May our times of rest refresh not only our bodies but also our minds and spirits, drawing us closer to you. As we return to our daily responsibilities, may we do so with renewed strength, thankful hearts, and a deeper desire to follow your example of prayer, trust, and faithful service. In your holy name we pray.

AMEN

From time to time, we all need an extra word of encouragement, a boost or a spiritual hug, so if you have something you'd like to share with the whole fellowship, please do pass it along – a Bible Verse, a particular passage, a faith song, study resource, an idea or simply a passing thought. If you feel that something has been of benefit to you, and you want to share
kbcsubscribe@hotmail.com

Do you find it hard to get away? Would you like to go away with some company?
We are thinking about organising a short getaway for a chance to relax, enjoy some good company, and have a change of scenery for a few days.
At the moment there are no firm plans, but we wanted to see if there would be any interest before we start looking into it.
If this is something you might be interested in, please let us know. There's no commitment at this stage; we just want to get an idea of numbers and hear any thoughts on destinations or dates.

Thank you,
Christina and Sheila

Be Inspired...

“Happy is the man who possesses a Bible!
Happier still is he who reads it! Happiest of all is he who not only reads it, but obeys it, and makes it the rule of his faith and practice!”

J.C. Ryle Anglican Bishop, Preacher, Writer
& First Anglican Bishop of Liverpool

“Wide awake club”

In March 2025 I compiled a list of those who would like to be part of the Wide-Awake Club and now seems a good time to remind people what it is and ask if anyone else would like to be on the list.....

Someone once told me that if I was struggling to sleep to use the time to pray for those, I knew who were struggling too, to use it as a positive experience and a moment to be in God's presence. Over time, I shared this with a few fellow “sleepless in Devon” friends, and soon there were about six of us who promised that when we were awake at night, we would pray for those who might also be in the “wide awake club” too. It helped to know that others were praying for me, and I discovered that it was true for them too.

So, I am passing along this invitation to whomever might find it beneficial - please join with the “Wide Awake Club” and pray for anyone known to you who is also struggling with sleep, when you are awake in the wee small hours....

If you would like to be included please let me know and I will provide a list, so we all know who to pray for. We do not need to know the reason you would like to be included, God knows!
Sarah

For information - The next edition of the newsletter will be on 6th September.

How to join the Sunday Service via Zoom

1. Go onto the internet and type kcbchurch.org.uk
2. On the Home Page in the top right-hand corner is a green bar and on it is written "online service" with an arrow.
3. Click on the green bar/arrow and you'll go to the online services page.
4. On Sunday morning there will be a link title "Join Zoom Meeting" click the link and Zoom should open and connect you to the meeting.



Sermon Recordings

The Sunday service is recorded but we only post the sermon on the website.

From the website homepage there is a link on the righthand side labelled "Recent Sermons" - this will take you to a page with all the recent sermons. The latest sermon is at the top, click either the audio only link or the video link.

