

ROSS BAPTIST CHURCH

Weekly Headlines

12th October 2025

Welcome to our Sunday Service

This Sunday is our all age Harvest. Ian Olliver will be speaking on Luke 8:4-8, 'The Sower'.

There will be a collection for the BMS Refugees Welcome campaign. Donation envelopes are available on the landing table.

Please join us downstairs after the service for refreshments.

If you are visiting us today, a warm welcome to you. Welcome cards are available if you would like to fill one in.



Printed copies of the **Churches Together in Herefordshire** **October Newsletter** are available on the landing table.

Kingdom Crew (Sundays during the service) Last Sunday the Kingdom Crew looked at how Jesus performed the miracle by healing a man, who was lowered through the roof.



Kingdom Club (Mondays during term time 3.30-4.45pm) This week at Kingdom Club we explored blessings.



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Please pray for the team who will be visiting Usk Prison on **Thursday 16th October**. The team provide help with letter writing to creditors explaining the situation of the prisoner.

What is happening in the Youth Work?

Sunday - We looked at Job 2. We started by building towers which looked good, then destroying them with tennis balls, relating this to Job 1 and 2 before we looked at how uncomfortable boils must be, choosing a partner wisely, how we can encourage someone going through a tough time and how we speak to people when they say or do something wrong.

Monday Youth Group (years 6-9) - We looked at Blessings, love for enemies and how Jesus practiced what he preached when he went to the cross. We then played games before some joined the choir for a very good meal.

Wednesday Youth Group (year 7+) - We continued the Youth Alpha course looking at "Why would I want a relationship with God?" The questions were, What do you think good friendship looks like? What do you think about the idea of having a relationship with God? What is the most meaningful gift you have ever been given?

Thursday Youth Group (year 10+) - We finished our jealousy series looking at The Pharisee's jealousy of Jesus. We looked at Do you accept that sometimes there is someone better than you and how do you deal with it? The disciples in the Garden of Gethsemane tried to defend Jesus but he could have done it easily but he gave up his life for us and died so we could have a relationship with God.

Weekend Socials - 11 young people from RBC were at Branch. We enjoyed sung worship and Dan from FCC Ross spoke well. We then had fun with pool, darts and connecting with other groups.

Thank you for your love, support and prayers. Please keep praying.



PLEASE BE CAREFUL ABOUT LEAVING PERSONAL ITEMS UNATTENDED

We are committed to the safeguarding of children and adults at risk and ensuring their well being.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

CHRISTIANS AGAINST POVERTY PRAYER MEETING

Monday 13th October 2pm - Online

Join us to pray for the work of Christians Against Poverty Wye Valley Debt Centre. Go to our website to join the meeting on zoom.

BOARD GAMES EVENING

Monday 13th October 5-7pm - The King Charles

Join us for an evening of fun, friendly competition, and lots of laughs at our Board Games Evening! We'll provide a selection of board games, (please feel free to bring your own favourites along!). This event is open to everyone aged 11+.

AFRICA INLAND MISSION PRAYER MEETING

Tues. 14th Oct. 7pm - Zoom and Peter & Dots home

Join us to pray for Alan and Pauline's work in Nanyuki, Kenya. Go to our website to join the meeting on zoom.

WOMEN'S AUTUMNAL AFTERNOON WITH ARIEHETTA

Saturday 18th October 3-5pm - The Venue

Tea and cake, a flower arranging demo and the opportunity to have a go yourself. Flowers provided but please bring your own secateurs or strong scissors. Tickets £5. Sign up sheet is on the landing table.

YOUTH HEAVEN'S KITCHEN

Saturday 18th October 6-9pm - Church Hall

We will be planning, shopping, cooking a meal for the other team. We will then sit down and enjoy the food together and decide who made the best meal.

BRING AND SHARE LUNCH

Sunday 19th October - the Venue

We need help at 9.15am to prepare the room for the shared lunch. Please contact Steph in the church office if you can help.

CHURCH MEETING

Sunday 19th October 4pm - the Venue and on Zoom

PRAYER MEETING FOR MADDY

Tuesday 21st October 1pm - Venue Lounge & online

Join us to pray for Maddy who is working with Tamar Products in Pattaya, Thailand, helping free women who are trapped in the sex industry.

REGULAR DIARY EVENTS

Mon	COMMUNION 10am Prayer Room	PRAY4KIDS 1.00-1.30pm Online	KINGDOM CLUB Years 1-6 3.30-4.45pm The Venue
			YOUTH GROUP Years 6-9 After school - 5.30pm The Venue
Tues	PRAYER TIME 10am Online		
	ART CLUB 10-12pm Church Hall		
Wed	PRAYER TIME 10am Online	COMMUNION 10am Church Hall	YOUTH GROUP Years 7-11 After school - 5.30pm Church Hall
		HORIZONS 10.30am- 12 noon Church Hall	
Thurs	PRAYERS FOR UKRAINE 10am Prayer Room & online		YOUTH GROUP Year 10+ 6.30-8.30pm Church Hall
Fri	TODDLERS 9.30-11.30am The Venue		PRAYER TIME 7pm Online



Printed copies of the **Maddy's October Newsletter** are available on the landing table.

Bulembu Gospel Choir

What an amazing day we had last Monday hosting the Bulembu Ministries



Eswatini Choir. Ian took them for a walk in Symonds Yat, then they had supper with the children and their families from the Monday evening groups. Later we were privileged to hear them sing and share some testimonies. An inspirational and uplifting evening. A HUGE thank you to everyone who helped to make the day and evening a success. The choir were very grateful.



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