

ROSS BAPTIST CHURCH

Weekly Headlines

1st March 2026

Welcome to our Sunday Service

This Sunday Ian Olliver will be speaking on Matthew 10:23-42, 'Training the Harvesters - Provisions'.

We will be sharing communion during the communion. The bread is gluten free.

Please join us downstairs after the service for refreshments.

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,
We were deeply touched by your good wishes and the gift that arrived today. We are so grateful for your prayers, especially. The picture is perfect! Thank you so much.
with love, Helen & Mark

Please pray for the team who will be visiting Ross Court Care Home on Tuesday, 3rd March to share sung worship, prayer, a bible message, and fellowship.

What is happening in the Youth Work?

Sunday - Last Sunday we looked at Psalm 139, the majesty and power of God, how God knows me, how God surrounds me, how God has made me, and how God tests me.

Monday Youth Group (years 6-9) - We started with games and snacks. We bandaged members of our team with toilet paper before looking at The Good Samaritan and how we can be good neighbours.



Wednesday Youth Group (year 7+) - Before half term we continued to look at the Gifts of the Spirit, looking at the top 10 famous people of all time. Jesus was the top, even though he didn't do many of the things that usually make people famous. We looked at Pentecost and how the Holy Spirit helped them to start their mission, how God doesn't change, what Christians are to be, and how we are to use the gifts we have been given. We ended with them praying for each other and a game of blindfold tag.



Thursday Youth Group (year 10+) - Before half term we continued our series from the Fusion Student link-up box. The student link-up box is a guide to how we live after finishing full-time education. We looked at prayer, culture, opportunities, and being part of small groups. We started with another lovely meal cooked by Jason.

Weekend Socials - Our Valentine Pancake Party was great. Lots of pancake games, heart-shaped pancakes, and everyone received a Valentine Card from God with Isaiah 43:1-3 in it. It was such a good way to end the term.



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

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

Kingdom Crew (Pre-school to Year 6)

Families and children meet in church at the beginning of the service. Please look out for the slide prompting you to take your child to the Venue for their Kingdom Crew session.

Youth Work (Y7+)

Please go across to the Venue for your group. Ask the welcoming team for directions. The young people will join us later in the service for communion.

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If you have a prayer request you would like shared confidentially with a dedicated prayer group contact Judith Reynolds - prayer@rossbaptist.org. Email Judith if you would like to join this group or call the church office and they will pass on your prayer request.

If you have any pastoral issues please contact
Dave Berry, 07711 067807

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

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UPCOMING EVENTS

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

Friday 6th March 11am - St. Mary's Parish Church

Our sisters in Nigeria invite us to join them for this World Day of Prayer. The service they have prepared reflects on the theme, "I will give you rest." The World Day of Prayer is an international, women-led, ecumenical movement that shares the hopes, concerns, and prayers of women from around the globe. Each year, women from a different country craft a service, sharing their unique spiritual journey and culture. For 2026, the women of Nigeria have created a service that speaks to our need for peace and solace, drawing on their faith and experiences in a world filled with struggles and anxieties. The day is a powerful demonstration of global solidarity. It begins in Samoa and moves across the world in a continuous wave of prayer, finishing 38 hours later in American Samoa. It truly is a worldwide day of prayer!

RAISE THE ROOF - Modern Worship with a Different Sound

Friday 6th March 7pm - St. Marys Church, Newent

Raise The Roof is a worship event for all ages with extended worship, word, prayer and fellowship.

THE HEREFORD PASSION

Fri. 6 & Sat. 7 March 7.30 pm - Hereford Cathedral

The production will bring the story of Jesus' final days to life using words, music, and action to tell the events of that fateful week against the stunning architecture of the cathedral nave. Tickets cost £10 per adult and £6 per child. Tickets available from Hereford Cathedral 01432 374 251.

MEN ONLY BREAKFAST

Saturday 7th March 8.30am - Church Hall

Enjoy a breakfast of fruit juice, sausage, bacon, baked beans, scrambled eggs, toast, marmalade, tea, and coffee. Please let Martin know if you're coming by Thurs. 5th March mandft@hotmail.co.uk).

FREecycle

Saturday 7th March 2.30-3.30 (helpers 2-4 pm) - the Venue

ONLY clean & resaleable donations as St Michael's have to pay to get rid of items we pass on to them that they can't sell. Portable items only. Speak to Sheila Shephard to find out more or wish to help or donate a cake for the refreshment stall.

YOUTH BRANCH

Saturday 7th March 6.15pm

Branch is the local area Youth Worship event. Food, worship and hear some great speakers. Meet other young people from other Churches/Youth groups too. Contact Pete 07305 185093.

REGULAR DIARY EVENTS

Mon	COMMUNION 10am Prayer Room	KINGDOM CLUB Years 1-6 3.30-4.45pm The Venue
	PRAY4KIDS 1.00-1.30pm Online	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	YOUTH GROUP Years 7-11 After school - 5.30pm Church Hall
	COMMUNION 10am Church Hall	
	HORIZONS 10.30am- 12 noon The Venue	
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

Kingdom Club (Mondays during term time 3.30-4.45pm) This week, we explored the parable of the good Samaritan. We thought about the importance of showing kindness to others.



**Prayer Before the Service
from 10am in the Prayer Room**
All are welcome.

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