

ROSS BAPTIST CHURCH

Weekly Headlines

6th September 2026

Welcome to our Sunday Service

This Sunday, Ian Olliver will be speaking on

Genesis 22:1-18, 'Isaac - Trust'.

We will be sharing communion during our service.

Please join us downstairs after the service for refreshments.



**Global Week
of 24-7 Prayer**
6 – 13 SEPTEMBER 2026

The churches of Ross are coming together for this 24/7 Global Week of Prayer - Monday 7th to Friday 11th of September, 8am till 8pm each day. You can pray wherever you are outside of these hours. It would be good if every slot was filled so we have 24/7 cover over the whole week.

You can sign up online for a 1-hour slot or more by putting the following in your browser:

<https://signup.24-7prayer.com/signup/8c8548/login>

Sign up for 1 hour slots by entering your email and create a password.

You can then choose when you are available to pray.

Or there is a sign-up sheet on the landing table, just put your name down in the slot(s) you are able to pray.

It will be good to pray together with the expectation that God will answer our prayers which will be such an encouragement to our churches.

"Therefore God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name, that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue acknowledge that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father."

Philippians 2:9-11 NIV

Trustee Nominations: At the next church meeting, Sunday 4th October, there will be an opportunity to consider any nominations for individuals to become Trustees of Ross-on-Wye Baptist Church. Nominations need to be made in writing using our standard 'trustee nomination form'. A copy of this form will be available at the back of church on Sunday 6th September or can be obtained by emailing the church office: admin@rossbaptist.org or Andrew Downing: andrew@rossbaptist.org. Completed forms need to be returned to either the Church office or Andrew Downing by Sunday 13th September 2026. Anyone who would like to discuss becoming a trustee should contact Ian Olliver, Andrew Downing or any of the other trustees.

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. Youth will join us near the end of the service for communion.

Visit rossbaptist.org to find out more about us.

Follow us on Facebook

Ross Baptist Church Ross-on-Wye

Follow our children and families

Facebook page

Ross Baptist Church for Families

Visit our YouTube channel

Ross Baptist Church

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 request.

Prayer Before the Service, from 10am in the Prayer Room.

The prayer room is through the left hand door at the back of the stage.
All are welcome.

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

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UPCOMING EVENTS

GLOBAL WEEK OF PRAYER

Mon. 7th - Fri. 11th September - St. Mary's Hall Upper Room
See overleaf.

CHRISTIANS AGAINST POVERTY PRAYER MEETING

Monday 14th September 2pm - Online

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

PRAYER MEETING FOR MADDY

Tuesday 15th September 1pm - Venue Lounge and Online

Join us to pray for Maddy, who is working with Tamar in Pattaya, Thailand, helping free women who are trapped in the sex industry. To join the meeting on Zoom, visit the What's On page on our website and select Maddy's prayer meeting.

What's happening in Youth Work?

Youthweek part 2 (25-27 August) - On Tuesday we

gathered to sort recipes and make cakes for the following day. They were amazing. Afterwards we walked to Ian and Clare's home for a wonderful barbecue.

On Wednesday we served in Horizons. The young people were really involved with communion; Nathan

led and Ian Spoke, talking and playing games with the members, serving tea, coffee and biscuits, leading chairbics and sharing about Satellites and Youthweek part 1. We then cleared away and washed up.

Our treat day was on Thursday. We went along the River Wye in canoes from Hoarwithy to Ross. It was great fun, despite the inclement weather. We all arrived safely back, an hour later than expected, but with smiles on our faces.

Sunday Youth Group - We continued to look at "Bad Kings," Rehoboam, asking for advice but not asking God. We talked about how we get wisdom. Afterwards, we gathered for pizza and to discuss the Nativity production. The group came up with some great ideas.

Wednesday Youth Group - We met on Wednesday, we were a very small group, but we enjoyed spending time together as we looked at Elijah's fear after his "battle" with the prophets of Baal. We talked about the God who cares for and pursues us (Psalm 23:6). Please continue to pray for our young people.



REGULAR DIARY EVENTS

Mon	COMMUNION 10am Prayer Room	KINGDOM CLUB Years 1-6 3.30-4.45pm The Venue YOUTH GROUP Years 6-9 3.30-4.45pm The Venue
Tues	ART CLUB 10-12pm Church Hall	
Wed	COMMUNION 10am The Venue HORIZONS 10.30am-2pm The Venue	YOUTH GROUP Years 7-11 After school - 5.30pm Church Hall
Thurs	PRAYERS FOR UKRAINE 10am Prayer Room	YOUTH GROUP Year 10+ 6.30-8.30pm Church Hall
Fri	TODDLERS 9.30-11.30am The Venue	PRAYER TIME 7pm Online

Please pray for the team who are visiting **Prescoid Prison on Thursday 10th September**. The team provides help with letter writing to creditors explaining the situation of the prisoner, among other help.

September **Churches Together in Herefordshire** newsletter is available on the landing table.



From prayers for our brothers and sisters in Christ to pilgrimages and upcoming performances, there is a lot to read!

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

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PERSONAL ITEMS UNATTENDED

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