ROSS BAPTIST CHURCH

Weekly Headlines 18th October 2026

Welcome to our Sunday Service

This Sunday, we celebrate the work of our local Christians Against Poverty (CAP) Debt Centre. Elaine Loe will speak about CAP's work in the Wye Valley: Genesis 3:1-13, God's Masterpiece, Restoring Beauty for Ashes.

Please join us downstairs after the service for refreshments.

COMING SOON!!!

We've got a great opportunity to help the kids and families in our community to encounter Jesus!

Family Fun Day

Thursday 29th October

10am - 12noon.

Thank you to everyone who has already signed up to be part of the amazing team for the day.

The good news is… there's still plenty of space for you to join the team!

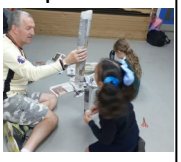
If you'd like to be involved, please let Rachel know this week.

rachel@rossbaptist.org

What's happening in Youth Work?

Sunday Youth Group (Kudos2) - Thank you for all your encouragement regarding the all-age service and serving refreshments afterwards.

Kingdom Club for years 6-9 - We looked at the sword of the spirit sharing the good news, how the sword is used for an attack, but we need to do this with gentleness and respect. Next Monday is "invite a friend" week.



Wednesday Youth Group (Lewangoalski) - We looked at quail and manna falling from the sky and how God's people were constantly disobedient. God provides, God wants us to live obedient to him and God gives us rest. It was a positive time.

Thursday Year 10+ Youth Group - Dave Thomas from Counties Evangelism shared about their leadership programme for 16-25 year olds, one2lead. Some were interested in it. We looked at Romans, how we are to live in the new nature of the spirit and not by the sinful nature. We had some really good discussion.

Weekend Socials - We gathered to bake cakes, and they were really good. Some of you will have eaten them on Sunday afternoon. We had a good game of World Domination and sampled all the cakes.



Please continue to pray for our young people.

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 meet the group leader by the main door when prompted by a slide, to walk across to the Venue together.

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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 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.

UPCOMING EVENTS

CHURCHES TOGETHER PRAYER MEETING

Sunday 18th October 7.30pm - the Community Church, Henry St. Join the other churches in Ross to pray for our community. All are welcome.

PRAYER MEETING FOR MADDY

Tuesday 20th October 1pm - The 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.

FILLING STATION

Wednesday 21st October 7.30pm - the Larruperz Centre
Gathering focusing on worship, prayer, spiritual renewal, and sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ.

FAMILY FUN DAY

Thursday 29th October 10am-12noon - The Venue
A morning of autumn family fun! Get creative with autumn crafts. Fun games for everyone. All welcome.

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

TODDLERS




It's been great watching the smallest members of our community join us each week as we play, eat, sing, and share a Bible story. We had a new mum this week - this was her email to us…

Thank you so much for making us feel so welcome this morning. It was such a lovely experience, and I'm honestly so pleased we've found the playgroup! It was wonderful to see so many lovely people and children together, and such a warm and welcoming atmosphere. We're really looking forward to coming along again!

KINGDOM CLUB





This week, at Kingdom Club, we completed our series on ' The Amour of God' We thought about the Sword of the Spirit and how important God's word is. It was great to hear how much of the past few weeks they could recap - please pray with us that these amazing kids remember all they have learned about how much God loves and protects them.

Drawn to Imperfection
Hereford Cathedral
Open until Tuesday 2 November
Admission is free

A touring art exhibition that brings the Bible to life through a collection of 21 large-scale contemporary portraits created by artist Dave Nevard and writer David Painting. The exhibition gives visitors the opportunity to come face to face with the humanity of the people whose stories fill the pages of the Bible.

We raised £672.06 at the Harvest Lunch for the Wye Valley Christians Against Poverty Debt Centre. Thank you for being so generous.

PLEASE BE CAREFUL ABOUT LEAVING PERSONAL ITEMS UNATTENDED

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