



Paignton
Baptist
Church

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Our 'Scripture for the year': "Let the Word of Christ dwell in you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom, and as you sing psalms, hymns and spiritual songs with gratitude in your hearts to God." Colossians 3:16

'What's happening'

Week beginning Sunday 10th August 2025

Sunday morning service at 10.30am, led by David Borrows

Mark Davies is speaking on Psalm 8

Pre-Service Prayer in Room 1 at **9.30am**

The children will be going out with Alison this week

OTHER ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

- Church Prayer meetings
 - Tuesday 7.30pm
 - Thursday 10.00am
- Life Groups, Wednesday
- Girl's Brigade, NEXT MEETING: 8th September
- Coffee morning, NEXT MEETING: 5th September
- Boys' Brigade, NEXT MEETING: 5th September

ADVANCE NOTICE - Fruitfulness of the Frontline

Next month we will embark on a 5-week journey to explore how being *gathered church* family on a Sunday relates to us being *scattered church* on Monday to Saturday. God gathers us to encourage and equip us for daily life as Jesus' disciples wherever he puts us the rest of the week. Through a series of 5 special Sunday services and opportunity for follow-up discussions, we'll consider different aspects of church life together.

FAMILY NEWS

Key audit and amnesty

For insurance and general risk management purposes, we will be undertaking an audit of all key holdings for the Winner Street building. As part of this, there will also be an 'amnesty' for the return of keys that are no longer needed. If you have any keys, please can you complete the record sheet available in the vestibule or CLC. If you can return keys, please pass them to Andrew Worth.

Children's church

As Debbie has become a Trustee of ICE Torbay, her role now involves visiting other churches, sharing about ICE Torbay's ministry, identifying and supporting volunteers and setting up prayer networks. Given the reduced resourcing we will be moving to a new monthly timetable, with children going out on the second, third and fourth Sundays each month. Please pray for Helen, Alison and the team, as well as for others to be called to support this important work.

Hope Now

We are now collecting Autumn and Winter clothing (particularly large sizes for men and women), blankets, and toys. Please bring anything you'd like to pass on to room 3, upstairs in the CLC. Thank you.

Paignton Community Larder

This week's requirements for the PCL are, pasta (500gms), porridge pots, rice, savoury rice, tinned meals, snacks for children, tinned meat, tinned spaghetti, and UHT milk. Please donate as you are able.

Opportunity to serve

If you feel called to support the welcome and stewarding on a Sunday morning, please see Andrew Worth.

PRAYER REQUESTS

- *Valerie Reddaway*. Please pray for strength and peace for Valerie and the family after their loss.
- *Angela Brown*. Your prayers would be very much appreciated, BUT please do not contact Angela directly. She will let a few selected people know how treatment is going as and when there is any news.
- *Lesley and the family*. Pray that they may experience "the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding".

NOTE: If you have prayer requests you'd like including in 'What's Happening', please send them to tmdavies777@gmail.com by Monday evening each week.

Live streaming and recording of services

Our live-streaming of Sunday services commences at 10.15am each week. The link is <http://www.youtube.com/@PaigntonBaptist>. The recording remains on site for at least 3 months.