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Our services are live in the building from 10:30am each Sunday morning.

If you are unable to attend in person, you can watch the live stream via [our website](#)

24th August 2025

Our Pastor, Jon White, and church member, Rachel White, will be leading our all-in service.

7:30pm Prayer & Praise

31st August 2025

Our Pastor, Jon White, will be leading our time together.

As we prepare to start our week of prayer, he will be speaking on 'how to pray' from Matthew 6v6-13.

12:30pm Church Picnic

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Pre-Service Prayer.

Pre-Service Prayer

Each week, all are invited to come and pray over our time together before the Sunday Gathering from 9:45 in the Prayer Room (upstairs in the Blue Room).

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Activities at TRBC this week:

Wednesday 27th August - 10am until 12pm - Renew Café

Thursday 28th August - 7:30pm until 9:30pm - Worship Group

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My Testimony

If you can testify of how God is moving in your life, we would love to hear about it. Speak to your small group leader or email jon.white@trbc.info

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Global Week of 24-7 Prayer

Monday 1st until Sunday 7th September

As a church we will be taking part in 24-7 Prayer as part of the Global Week of Prayer, along with other churches in Horsham and round the world!

You can find out more information about the week, a video on how to pray for an hour, and how you can sign-up to pray for an hour, on [our website](#). There is also a paper sign-up sheet in the Gathering Space.

Please consider how much time you could give to prayer during this week.

To end the week, there will be an additional Prayer & Praise service on **Sunday 7th September** from 9pm until 10pm.

Check the [HCT notices](#) for information on prayer meetings happening at different churches during the week.

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Praise & Prayer points for this week...

SEBA Church of the Week: Life Community Baptist Church

Mon 25th: Thank the Lord for something He either showed you or spoke into your life last week, wherever you were. He saw you and is concerned for you!

Tue 26th: Ask the Lord to show you how much He is inviting you to be involved in the 24/7 prayer next week.

Wed 27th: Pray for everyone involved in the Renew Café as they begin again today after their short break. Pray for a deepening of friendships & fellowship.

Thur 28th: Ask the Lord's hand on Teach Beyond as they plan & prepare to lose Stephen & Pam in the coming weeks. May the team be fully assured of His hand on the ministry.

Fri 29th: Ask the Lord to bless & encourage you & your friends as you walk with Him!

Sat 30th: Pray God will clearly speak into Horsham Christians' lives as we meet across the town tomorrow!

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Annual leave

Below are the staff annual leave dates over the summer:

Our **Pastor** will be on a 3 day retreat from Wednesday 27th until Friday 29th August. He will be uncontactable during these days.

Our **Administrator**, Faith, will be away on Thursday 4th September.

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Prayer & Praise Evening

Our next prayer & praise evening will be on **Sunday 24th August**.

7:30pm until 8:30pm in the prayer room

A time of worship with music and singing interspersed with times of prayer and waiting on the Lord.

There will be an additional Prayer & Praise service on
Sunday 7th September from 9pm until 10pm.

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Prayer Walk

On **Sunday 7th September**, instead of our prayer evening, we will be doing a prayer walk in the Trafalgar area and Horsham Park, with the opportunity to do some prophetic evangelism.

We will be meeting at 12:30pm, after the service.

If you would prefer to meet at a different time, please speak to Jon.

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Church Picnic

At Horsham Park on **Sunday 31st August**

12:30pm until 3pm

Bring your own picnic and something to sit on

Including an inter-church football match with Brighton Road and Life Community!

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Quiz Night and Puddings @ TRBC

Date: **Friday 19th September** Time: 7pm

Come and join us for a church family fun quiz night.

There will be desserts served during a mid-quiz break, along with tea and coffee.

Soft drinks will also be available during the evening

Bring your family and friends to make up a quiz team (suggested team size - 6 (+/- 2))

There is a sign-up sheet available on Sundays. Please put your name down if you plan on attending, so that we can get an idea of numbers.

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Renew Café

You are welcome to join us to share in a chat, a cuppa and perhaps something creative (bring something you are working on or join in with something on offer in the session) or play games, along with a space for prayer.

Every Wednesday 10-12noon.

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The Welcome — Cake, Tea and a Chat

This takes place on the third Thursday of each month, with the next on
18th September, 2:30pm until 4:30pm

All are welcome

Invite your friends along

Why not carry an invitation in your pocket for that person you just happen to meet who
might just love some company - and cake!!

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Mission, Vision & Values

Our **Mission** is the Biblical mandate that never changes
and is expressed in our mission statement as:

'Following Jesus. Serving our Community'

Vision

In September 2022 we started a journey looking at the vision of the church.
For 12 months we had various meetings, times of prayer and conversations on what the
vision is for TRBC.

After this time, the church felt we were being called:

**'To be a God-centred and family-focused community
that helps everyone meet Jesus'**

You can read more about our journey to this vision by reading our [Vision Booklet](#).

Values

Following our agreement on our Vision, we went on a journey to look at the values of the church. We looked at who we are and spent time in prayer and meetings looking at what our core values are.

In June 2025, the church felt that we are to value:

- **Welcoming**

We believe that God welcomes people into His arms

We want everyone to feel welcomed when they are with us

- **Caring**

We believe in a caring God

We want to show care for people and the world

- **Listening**

We believe that God listens to us when we call on Him

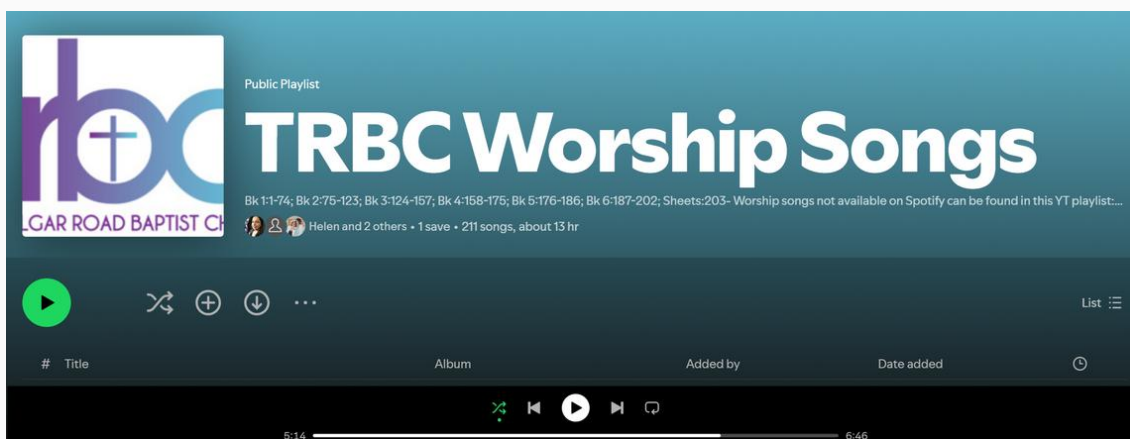
We want to listen well to God and to people

- **Sharing**

We believe in a generous God who shares His love and resources with us

We want to share life, faith and Jesus with people in a generous way

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TRBC Spotify Worship Songs playlist

As Pastor Jon shared, we now have a 'TRBC Worship Songs' playlist!

Although not exhaustive, this covers a good number of the songs we sing - it is 211 songs long, roughly 14 and a half hours!

The list is in order of the Songs of Fellowship numbering system, with newer songs (approximately written 2016 and onwards) following on at the end.

To access this playlist, please [click here](#)

You do need to have a Spotify account to listen. If you have a free Spotify account, you are able to listen to a shuffled version of this playlist, with a few Spotify suggested songs (which should be labelled as 'Smart Shuffle').

Any questions or if you are having difficulties accessing this playlist, please speak to Faith, Helen Tilley, or the Worship Group Coordinator, Chris Teager.

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Link to Hope

At the end of July, Kay launched this year's shoebox appeal for Link to Hope.

There is a box in the Gathering Space to receive items, including shoeboxes. A [list of items](#) suggests the most useful items for the boxes, but other small gifts can be included.

Knitted and crocheted items are always well received, and we have patterns and wool for anyone who would like to make something. (We can send knitted toys containing stuffing, but they have to go separately and not in the shoebox due to customs controls. They still get given out and are much loved.)

During October we will be packing boxes and there will be opportunities to help with that.
We will let you know dates nearer the time.

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This scheme allows you to make a difference to world mission in a real and practical way.
On your Birthday you are sent a card and in return, you send a gift to the BMS. Why not join the scheme today? Every little helps! Contact the church office for more information.

Happy Birthday to those whose birthday is coming up this week:

25th August - Jackie Hutchinson

If you would like BMS World Mission to claim Gift Aid on your donation to the Birthday Scheme, please ask for a BMS Gift Aid declaration from either Helen West or David Chesters.

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Horsham Churches Together

HCT notices

Each week we receive notices from Horsham Churches Together. You can find this week's notices in the [link here](#). This week they include:

News:

- **This bank holiday weekend - 'Entwined in Harmony' festival of flowers & music**
- **YMCA Youth Matters Awards**

- **Global Week of Prayer**
- Back to School
- Alpha in the Autumn
- Season of Creation 2025 - "Peace with Creation"
- CAP Money Coaching Courses
- Celebrate the Season of Giving
- Turning Tides Harvest Food Appeal
- Fire Camp
- Foodbank Requirements and revised Schedule

Events:

- Saturday 30th August: Sussex Green Hub
- Saturday 6th September: Woof! Walkies for a worthy cause
- *Correction* Saturday 6th September: Summer Fair and Fun Dog Show
- Sunday 7th September: Come and Sing - Evensong from Scratch at Holy Innocents
- Sunday 21st September: HCT Prayer & Praise
- Saturday 11th October: The Oasis 'Quiz of all Quizzes'
- 15th - 16th October: Christian Resources Exhibition
- Tuesday 4th November: 'An evening with Rob Parsons - Reflections on the Journey'
- Advance notice of HCT events

Prayer of the week: Unplanned

Volunteering Opportunities:

- YMCA DownsLink Group: Volunteer Chaplains
- Trustees required at The Oasis

Please note:

Whilst HCT carefully chooses these events and notices because they hope they will be useful to you and your church family, they are not directly responsible for the content from external groups and organisations.

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Silent Vigil

"We oppose genocide"

Saturday 13th September

9:20am

Meet outside Horsham Oxfam

We will walk together from Oxfam to a safe location in central Horsham. We will remain there until 10am with one simple message - WE OPPOSE GENOCIDE

Feel free to bring your own signs with that message.

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Faith talk seminar

Sunday 21st September

6pm until 8pm

Led by Rev. Andy Twilley, SEBA Regional Minister,
at West Worthing Baptist Church, South St, Worthing, BN14 7LU

This seminar is designed to help people talk openly with fellow Christians about faith recognising that as we do this, we develop a naturalness in talking to others about our faith.

Please join in for what is sure to be an enjoyable and informative evening,
one which could transform us as church and as disciples of Jesus.

For more information, or to book your place, contact [Clive Latter](#).

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Dalesdown Open Day

Wednesday 8th October

10am until 1pm

The day will include a chance to view their facilities, experience the beautiful setting and view
and discuss how they might be able to host any forthcoming events you might be planning.

Presentations will run at 10:30am and 12pm;

Guided tours at 11am and 12:30pm

Refreshments will be provided.

Tickets are free but please [email to book your place](#)

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If you need to contact our Pastor, Jon White, his number is 07513 821549
or email jon.white@trbc.info (please note his day off is Saturday).

If you want to email all the leaders, please send it to leaders@trbc.info
and all the leaders will receive your email.

The Church Office number is 01403 240729.

If you need to contact Faith, our administrator, email admin@trbc.info

If you need to contact Emily, our housekeeper, email housekeeper@trbc.info.

Her working hours are Monday and Friday 9:30am until 2:30pm.

If you have any safeguarding concerns, you can contact Rachel White, our Designated Person for Safeguarding, via email at safeguarding@trbc.info or by contacting our safeguarding leader, Kay Chesters, via email at kay.chesters@trbc.info

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The Lord is my strength and my song; he has
become my salvation.

Psalm 118v14

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