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TRAFALGAR ROAD BAPTIST CHURCH
Newsflash



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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](#)

4th January 2026


Our Pastor, Jon White, will be leading our all-in covenant service
and will be speaking on our verse of the year, Isaiah 43v19a.

11th January 2026

Our Pastor, Jon White, will be leading our time together.
He will also be speaking on 'New Wine' from John 2v1-12.
We will also be sharing communion together.

7:30pm Seek First Prayer Meeting

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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:

Tuesday 6th January - 6pm until 8pm - Leaders meeting
Wednesday 7th January - 10am until 12pm - Renew Café
Thursday 8th January - 7:30pm until 9:30pm - Worship Group
Friday 9th January - 7:30pm until 9pm - Friday youth
Friday 9th January - 7:30pm - The Chosen showing

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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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Praise & Prayer points for this week...

Mon 5th: Thank the Lord for all His goodness to you, your family & to all of us in TRBC last year. God is good!

Tue 6th: Our Leaders / Trustees meet tonight. May our Lord encourage & inspire us to dream big dreams for our church!

Wed 7th: Pray that new people coming into Renew Cafe will find friendship and support.

Thur 8th: Open Doors asks us to thank the Lord for the ministry of Cho, an evangelist (he's now in the glory) who used to find & share the gospel with N. Korean's who had fled their country. Cho had the joy of seeing many of them come to faith in Jesus!

Fri 9th: "The Chosen" Season 5 will begin in TRBC tonight. Ask the Lord to use it for His glory!

Sat 10th: Pray that new people who started to come to Horsham churches over Christmas will be blessed by the Lord & want to continue coming!

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Seek first prayer evening

Our next seek first prayer evening will be **Sunday 11th January**.

The prayer evenings are on the 2nd Sunday of the month.

We will be meeting from 7:30pm until 8:30pm in the prayer room upstairs.

A time of prayer together where our intention is to seek after God as we 'seek first his kingdom and his righteousness' (Matthew 6v33)

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Prayer & Praise Evening

Our next prayer & praise evening will be on **Sunday 25th January**.

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.

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Thank you from Horsham Matters

We have received the following thank you message from Horsham Matters for all the donations we made to their foodbank during the year:

To all at Trafalgar Road Baptist Church,

On behalf of all of us at Horsham Matters thank you so much for your support over the past year.

The generosity of your congregation has stopped children in our district from facing hunger and given parents the reassurance they can provide for their families.

Thanks to you our foodbanks have been there at a time of crisis, our cafes have eased loneliness and our advice services have put residents on a path of stability for the future.

You have donated enough food to feed a family of 4 for 27 days.

It is only with the help of the community that we can make a difference so we are grateful to everyone that donated to us.

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The logo for Renew Café at TRBC is displayed on a solid green rectangular background. The word "Renew" is in a large, white, sans-serif font. To its right, the word "Café" is also in a large, white, sans-serif font. Below "Café", the words "at TRBC" are written in a smaller, dark green, sans-serif font.

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 Chosen - Season Five!

We are going to be showing season five, which will begin on **9th January 2026**, on Friday evenings from **7:30pm - 9:30pm**. Due to Friday Youth meeting downstairs, we will use one of the rooms upstairs.

We will follow the format we used for season four. Each week, we will watch one episode followed, after a break for refreshments, by the Round Table discussion hosted by Dallas Jenkins.

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Upcoming Events in 2026

We have a variety of events scheduled for 2026. Put them in your diary now! More information will come out at a later date.

Sunday 18th January – Board games afternoon for all ages, 3pm – 5pm

Sunday 1st March – Horsham Baptist together service

Starting March – Alpha Course

Saturday 21st March – Family film showing 'King of Kings' 3:30pm

Easter Saturday, 4th April – Easter extravaganza

Saturday 13th June – Community Fair TBC

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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

15th January, 2:30pm until 4:30pm

All are welcome

No need to book - just turn up

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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Volunteer sign-up

We hope to run lots of different events at TRBC but to do this we need your help! We would love to have a 'bank' of volunteers who we can call upon to help at different events at TRBC. This doesn't commit you to every event, but helps us to know who to ask! Feel free to tick more than one!

You can either fill in the form [online here](#), or fill in the paper copy, which is available on the Information Table on Sundays.

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Mission, Vision & Values

Our **Mission** is '**Following Jesus. Serving our Community**'

Our current **Vision**, which we feel we are being called to, is '**To be a God-centred and family-focused community that helps everyone meet Jesus**'

You can read more about our journey toward this vision in our [Vision Booklet](#).

Our **Values** are to be **Welcoming, Caring, Listening & Sharing**

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Horsham Churches Together

HCT notices

You can view the latest Horsham Churches Together notices via the [link here](#). They include:

News:

- Horsham Eco Churches December news
- Register your Christmas tree collection 2026
- The Oasis Festive Newsletter
- Old mobile phones required for HDAS
- The Sound of Christmas fills Horsham's Carfax
- Dalesdown's 2026 Calendar of events

Events:

- Saturday 10th January 2026: The Way of the Spirit
- Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2026
- Advance notice of HCT events

Employment opportunities:

- Horsham Matters: Frontline Administrator
- Horsham Matters: Retail Assistant - 20 hours per week

Volunteering Opportunities:

- Horsham Matters
- Dalesdown - maintenance

- 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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Partners in Mission Day - Save the date!

An inspirational day conference designed to support and equip God's people for His mission.

Saturday 25th April 2026

10am until 3:30pm

Crawley Baptist Church

Bookings will open in January. More information coming soon on the [SEBA website](#).

The key note speaker will be Roy Crown who previously led Youth for Christ, spearheaded the HOPE initiative and more recently launched "Gospel Entrepreneurs", which focuses on developing people who are inspired, energised and equipped to take a strong Christian lead in business, social justice and ministry.

The day will include missional stories of what God has been doing these past months across SEBA plus a whole new set of seminars for both leaders and church members... it's definitely an event for everyone.

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OTHER ITEMS



CONTACT US

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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See, I am doing a new thing!
Now it springs up; do you not perceive it?
I am making a way in the wilderness
and streams in the wasteland.

Isaiah 43v19

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