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TRAFALGAR ROAD BAPTIST CHURCH
Newsflash

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SPRING FORWARD

Set your clocks forward one hour on Saturday night

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

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

29th March 2026

Our Pastor, Jon White, will be leading our all in service and will be speaking on 'Jesus prays' from John 17v1-26.

The service is followed by a bring your own lunch, with our church members meeting & AGM at 12:45pm.

Thursday 2nd April 2026 @ 7:30pm

Maundy Thursday reflective communion service led by our Pastor, Jon White. Further details [later in the newsflash](#).

This service will not be live streamed.

Friday 3rd April 2026 @ 10am

Good Friday reflective service led by our Pastor, Jon White.

This service will not be live streamed.

Sunday 5th April 2026

Our All-Age Easter Sunday celebration will be led by our
Pastor, Jon White.

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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 1st April - 10am until 12pm - Renew Café
Thursday 2nd April - 8:30pm 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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Praise & Prayer points for this week...

Mon 30th: Thank the Lord for Dan & Annie Dupree & for all the lives He is touching through them at Tek Ura!

Tue 31st: Pray that all the young people involved at Tek Ura will grow into strong men & women of God!

Wed 1st: Pray for God to speak clearly into people's lives at Tek Ura, especially as they meet in smaller groups on Sundays.

Thur 2nd: Pray that as we meet at TRBC this evening, the Holy Spirit will minister deeply into each of our lives!

Good Friday: Pray that, as we meet at TRBC before going on to the Carfax, God will speak into many lives & that some will come to know Jesus personally!

Sat 4th: Ask the Lord to bless our Easter Eggstravaganza today & for tomorrow a wonderful Easter Celebration: Jesus is risen from the dead!!!

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Members Meeting

Coming soon

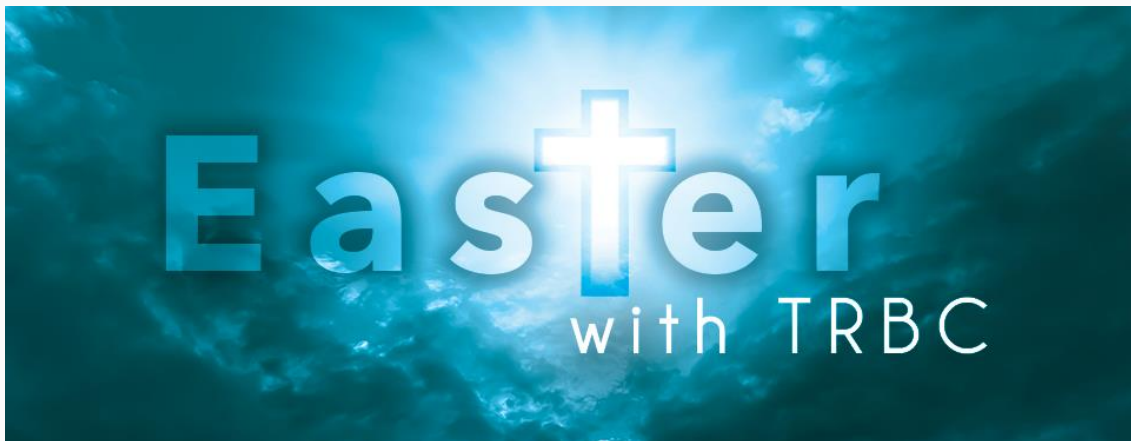
Church Members Meeting, including our AGM, on Sunday 29th March at 12:45pm
(following the service and bring your own lunch) for all church members.

Members should have received information about the meeting.
If you haven't, please get in touch with [Faith](#).

If you can't attend the meeting in person, you can join via Teams.
Visit trbc.info/meeting for details on how to log on.

Anyone who regularly attends services is welcome to attend, even if you aren't a member
(but only members can vote).

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Easter Services

Maundy Thursday, 2nd April

7:30pm Reflective Communion Service

A guided time of worship, prayer and discussion while meeting around tables as we join the story with the disciples at this crucial moment in Holy Week. Our time will include foot-washing and communion.

Good Friday, 3rd April

10am Reflective service

Our Pastor Jon will share about that first Good Friday before some time to pray.

11:15am Service by the bandstand in the Carfax.

A walk of witness will be leaving TRBC at **10:30am** for anyone who wishes to walk down to the Carfax.

All-Age Easter Sunday, 5th April

10:30am Easter Celebration

To celebrate Easter, we will have a special all-age service with activities for adults and children alike.

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Easter Eggstravaganza

Saturday 4th April

10am until 12pm

Fun Easter crafts and games, aimed at those aged 0-11.

If you would like to help on the day, please speak to Rachel White.

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**Cadbury Dairy milk Buttons Shell
EASTER Egg 90g**

Small Easter eggs needed

For an upcoming Easter event, we are in need of donations of small, typically 90g Cadbury Easter eggs (nothing with nuts). The above picture is an example of the kind of egg we're looking for.

Tesco sell them for £2 but they are currently £1.25 with a club card.

Also, any other individually wrapped mini Easter chocolates would be gratefully received too.

Please bring them into the church and leave them in the kitchen by **Sunday 29th March**.

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Annual Leave

Our Pastor, Jon, will be on annual leave Wednesday 1st and Monday 6th April.

Our administrator, Faith, will be on annual leave from Friday 3rd until Wednesday 8th April inclusive.

Our Housekeeper, Emily, will only be working Monday 30th March and Tuesday 7th April over the next two weeks.

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Seek first prayer evening

Our next seek first prayer evening will be **Sunday 12th April**.

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 26th April**.

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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Renew Café

at TRBC

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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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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Faith Talk Seminar

Led by Rev. Andy Twilley, SEBA Regional Minister

Sunday 12th July, 4pm – 6pm

Refreshments from 15.30.

Trafalgar Road Baptist Church

This seminar is designed to help folk 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 us for what is sure to be an enjoyable and informative evening, one which could transform us as church and as disciples of Jesus. Interested?

For more information or to book, please contact Andy Twilley andy@seba-baptist.org.uk

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Horsham Churches Together



GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

AT THE CARFAX BANDSTAND IN HORSHAM

11:15AM ON 3RD APRIL 2026

www.horshamct.org.uk

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:

- [Easter story trails in the Carfax and Broadbridge Heath](#)
- [New style HCT notices - coming soon](#)
- ["Called to influence" course](#)
- 20 years of Horsham Matters
- Open the Book
- SEND Cafe @ St Mark's Church Holbrook

Events:

- Saturday 28th March: Love Roffey Easter Fair
- Saturday 28th March: Women spending time with God event
- Monday 30th March: Easter SEND cafe
- Tuesday 31st March: 'Food for thought' Horsham Green Film Festival
- Friday 3rd April: HCT Good Friday Service in the Carfax
- Friday 3rd April: Wintershall's The Passion of Jesus in Trafalgar Square
- [Bounce at the Drill Hall](#)
- Wednesday 15th April: CAP Money Coaching Course
- Saturday 18th April: Billingshurst Choral Society's Haydn: The Creation
- Sunday 19th April: HCT Prayer & Worship evening

- Saturday 25th April: Horsham Matters' Quiz Night
- Monday 8th June: 'Left to their own devices' Care for the family event
- Sunday 14th June: HCT Prayer & Praise in the park

Prayer of the week: Approaching Palm Sunday

Employment opportunities:

- Casual housekeepers for the 2026 summer season at Dalesdown
- Turning Tides: Project Worker
- **Church and Community Relationship Coordinator (West Sussex and Hampshire)**

Volunteering Opportunities:

- Could you be there for a child in care?

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 - Bookings open!

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

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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Upcoming events at Dalesdown

Dalesdown is a residential conference and activity centre at Dial Post, set in the open countryside about 8 miles south of Horsham. They have a variety of upcoming events. You can find more information on each event and how to book via [their website](#).

Hope in Adversity study day

Tuesday 14th April - 10am until 4pm

A study day exploring how knowing that God is with us provides us with strength, courage and perseverance during challenging situations. The day will incorporate a mixture of teaching, worship, reflection and fellowship, with an opportunity for prayer ministry.

Guest speaker: Alison Fenning

Tickets are £20 and include lunch.

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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 what kind of love the Father has given to us,
that we should be called children of God;
and so we are.

1 John 3v1a

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