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TRAFALGAR ROAD BAPTIST CHURCH
Newsflash



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TRBC Community Fair - [Update](#)

Not long to go now until our Community Fair!

Saturday 13th June

11am until 2pm

The church will be open from 9am on Saturday. We will then be meeting at **10:30am to pray** for the fair and share any practical information.

The **car park will be closed on the Saturday!**

Please make alternative parking arrangements or try to share lifts with others.

We also need extra helpers on the day in the following areas:

- Welcome
- BBQ
- Penalty shootout

If you have any questions or can help on the day, please don't hesitate to contact Rachel White at rachelwhite90@yahoo.co.uk

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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](#)

14th June 2026

Our time together will be led by church member Helen Tilley.

Our Pastor, Jon White, will be speaking on 'Going Deeper in God's Word' from Isaiah 55v10-11 & 2 Timothy 3v16.

We will also be celebrating communion and Tallulah's Baptism.

21st June 2026

Our time together will be led by Church Member, Steve Strange. Our Pastor, Jon White, will be speaking on 'Going Deeper in intimacy with God' from James 4v4-10.

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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:

- Monday 15th June - 7:15pm until 9pm - Trafalgar Community Choir
- Tuesday 16th June - 6pm until 8pm - Leaders meeting
- Wednesday 17th June - 10am until 12pm - Renew Café
- Thursday 18th June - 2:30pm until 4:30pm - The Welcome Afternoon Tea
- Thursday 18th June - 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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Praise & Prayer points for this week...

Mon 15th: Pray the Lord's blessings on Tim & Rebecca following their recent wedding.

Tue 16th: Our leaders meet tonight (6pm). Pray that each one can discern what God is saying in each situation we face.

Wed 17th: Mission groups across the UK are organising summer outreaches. Pray for a flood of volunteers to get involved to save a multitude of souls for His glory!

Thur 18th: Pray for peace & healing in the hearts of Libyan believers who have been persecuted for their faith, as reported by Open Doors.

Fri 19th: Pray that QEII's school visit to TRBC today will be a special & happy time!

Sat 20th: Pray for any you know in TRBC who are facing challenges, whether physically or spiritually; may the Lord minister to them (& bring them along tomorrow!).

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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 June, 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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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.

Please note Renew will not be meeting on **24th June**

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Prayer & Praise Evening

Our next prayer & praise evening will be on **Sunday 28th June**.

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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Board Games Afternoon

Join us for a board game or two!

Come on your own, with family or friends

Bring your own game(s) or use one from the games library

1st Saturday of the month starting on the **4th July**.

1pm - 5pm

Snacks and cold drinks available

Pick up a flier from reception or speak to Caroline for more information.

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A TRBC Social Cycle Ride

Do you cycle? Might you be interested in a short ride on **Saturday 11th July**, starting at TRBC at 9.30 am? We would be mostly off-road using the DownsLink up to Rudgwick. The actual destination will be the Milk Churn Cafe (8 miles - 16 there and back). Everyone is welcome, including under-16s, as long as they are accompanied and can cover the distance.

It doesn't matter what bike you have (old, new or electric), as long as it will cope with the

gravel track. Speak to me, or email if you are interested, so we can plan the numbers. If enough of us enjoy this kind of thing on an occasional basis, it could become an opportunity to invite family and friends to join us, too.

Graham grahamsward+trbc@gmail.com

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Gift Day 2026 - Total so far

Thank you to everyone who has given so far to our 2026 Gift Day.

To date, we have received £14,800, exceeding our target!

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Members Meeting

Coming soon

Church Members Meeting on **Wednesday 24th June** at 7:30pm for all church members.

Members should have received information about the meeting. If you haven't, please

contact [Faith](#).

If you're unable to join 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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[Prayer Chain](#)

The prayer chain is an email system that informs the church of prayer requests.

If you would like to send a prayer request or become a recipient of these emails, please email prayer@trbc.info.

If you send a prayer request, please do send a follow-up email to update people on the situation or to let them know if you've recognised the prayer being answered in a particular way.

Mick Duplock manages the prayer chain, and he monitors it between 9am-6pm each day.

If you have an urgent prayer request you want sent outside these hours, please contact [Jon White](#) 07513 821549 or [Kay Chesters](#).

If you want to start receiving prayer chain emails, please send an email to the address above with 'Subscribe' in the subject line.

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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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Parking when visiting our building

We have received an email from a local County Councillor about where some people park

when they visit the building. If you usually park in the Kempshott Road area, please read the following message that they have sent through:

"There is some concern from residents of Kempshott Road that pressure is being put on parking in the area by events at the Baptist Church, which is making it difficult at times for them to park anywhere near their homes. Although the nearby roads are not restricted and available to anyone for parking on a first come first served basis, I wondered if it was possible to try to discourage people using your facilities from parking in Kempshott Road or Trafalgar Road south of West Parade, as those areas do not have off-street parking for residents and road space is at a premium."

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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

Sunday 14th June 2026

Service at 5pm in Horsham Park

Bring a picnic from 4pm

Prayer & Praise

IN THE PARK



HCT notices

Each week, we receive notices from Horsham Churches Together. [Sign up to receive them straight into your inbox.](#) You can find this week's notices in the [link here](#). This week they include:

News:

- [2026 Volunteer Awards](#)
- [The Hidden Reality of Rural Homelessness](#)
- [Conversation with Linda and Kelvin from Horsham Matters](#)
- [Dalesdown Volunteer Recruitment Open Day](#)
- [Celebrating 500 Years of Tyndale's New Testament](#)
- [Faith Security Training](#)
- Horsham Eco Churches June news

Events:

- Saturday 13th June: Horsham Matters' Yard Sale
- [Saturday 13th June: St Mark's Fun Day](#)
- Sunday 14th June: HCT Prayer & Praise in the park
- 18th until 20th June: Life of Christ at Wintershall
- [Saturday 20th June: Men Together Conference](#)
- Saturday 20th June: Horsham Chamber Choir "Strange and Exotic" concert
- Friday 26th June: People's Emergency Briefing
- Sunday 28th June: Trinity Church Players summer concert
- Wednesday 8th July: 'Still Waters' retreat at Dalesdown
- [Saturday 11th July: Healing Conference with Chris Gore](#)
- Thursday 16th July: 'The Healing Ministry of Jesus' at Dalesdown
- [Saturday 12th September: Southwater Church Fair and Fun Dog Show](#)

Prayer of the week: Prayer & Praise in the park

Volunteering Opportunities:

- [Love It Again shop](#)

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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[News from the Association](#)

Each month we receive details from across SEBA, updating us on news from the SEBA Team, from the Sector Ministers and news from the Networks (we are part of the Gatwick Network). Each section is full of news and prayer items. Please click on the links below to

find out what they have to share.

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Eco Tips Calendar 2026 - June

[A Rocha UK](#) is a Christian Charity working to protect and restore the natural world and is committed to equipping Christians and churches in the UK to care for the environment.

They have produced an Eco Tips Calendar for 2026, featuring fresh ideas each month and helping foster a lasting commitment to a greener lifestyle. Sustainability isn't a one-time effort; it's a continuous journey. Small actions can lead to significant impact. Everyone can contribute, regardless of their lifestyle or schedule.

June's Eco Tip

Take part in citizen science or a local nature event. Citizen science is a way for ordinary people to get involved in scientific research or data collection. There are many projects to choose from, and it's easy to make a contribution. Invite others to get involved with you too. Here are some projects that you could help with:

- Search your local beach with a [shore survey](#)
- Spend ten minutes [counting pollinators](#)

- Join in with [Churches Count on Nature](#) (6th - 14th June)
- Do a [Bee Walk](#)
- Join [Great Big Green Week](#) (6th - 14th June)

For more eco-tips, practical ways to enjoy, nurture and defend nature, sign up to [A Rocha UK's Wild Christian email](#).

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Non-parent Governor at Trafalgar Community Infant School

Are you looking for a new experience to further your career?

Are you able to volunteer your spare time for a great cause?

Do you have an interest in education, finance, safeguarding or health & safety?

The school currently has vacancies for non-parent governors.

These vacancies are available to anyone who wishes to serve the local community, has an interest in the education of future generations and feels they have the qualities and experience to offer from another part of their life.

The time commitment involves preparing for and attending a maximum of 13 meetings per year, each lasting up to two hours.

The times of these meetings vary depending on your area of interest.

Additionally, you will be able to visit the school once a term and see the staff and children in action. Training and support are available for this rewarding role.

And if you work, employers can often give time off for volunteer roles.

If you are interested in becoming a governor or would like any further information, please contact the [school by email](#).

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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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Therefore, if anyone is in Christ,
the new creation has come:

The old has gone, the new is here!

2 Corinthians 5:17

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