

Church Family News

Sunday 27th Sep 2026 – Sunday 4th Oct 2026

- 1 **Explore Course** - taking a closer look at the person of Jesus, and exploring the big questions of life. 'Christianity Explored' started Tues 22nd Sept, 7.30pm in church. To book - please fill in a Response Card
- 2 **Growth Group** - want to join for Bible study and prayer? Fill in a Response Card!
- 3 **Friday Flyering** - join us as we seek to engage in gospel conversations in the town centre. 1-2pm every Friday. Meet in church at 12.55pm.
- 4 **Welcome desk** - please see desk for info, flyers, sign ups and response cards - pop completed cards / forms in the post box!
- 5 **Book of the term:** do pick up a copy at church today for the bargain price of just £5! Alistair Begg's new book, 'We will be changed', is all about how we can become more like Jesus through the work of the Spirit in us.
- 6 **Lunch on the Lawn** - This Sunday 4th Oct - bring your own lunch to eat, and share fellowship together following our morning service.
- 7 **Explore Notes Oct-Dec 2026** are available from Neil Povey for £4 each, after the morning service. Payment by cash or card. Or why not come and visit us at the Equip Bookshop, 20 The Waterfront.
- 8 **Growth Group Leaders Meeting** - Mon 5th Oct
- 9 **Prayer and Praise** Wed 7th Oct. Please join us either in person or online for the most important midweek meeting of the month. 7:45 for 8pm start, finish at 9:15pm
- 10 **Seminar Series** - our upcoming seminar series which runs from 12.30 - 2pm aims to equip us as we live lives that honour God: 11th Oct - Marriage Seminar; 22nd Nov - Parenting Seminar.
- 11 **Sheep Dog Demo & BBQ** - Sat 17th Oct, 2-5pm. Pop the date in your diary and think about who you can invite to this evangelistic event! There will be a sheep dog demo by Henry & Emily, and Marcus will be giving a short gospel talk, which will all be rounded off with a BBQ! All welcome. Flyers available now.
- 12 **Church Weekend Away** Next year's dates for your diary - July 16th-18th 2027!
- 13 **Feedback:** if you were on the Church Weekend Away in the summer, please give us your feedback via the following link. It only takes a few minutes. Thank you to the 17 people who have done it so far! <https://forms.gle/UhhoYb988rankaPT6>
- 14 **PCC Meeting** - Mon 26th Oct
- 15 **Bonfire Event** - 7th Nov - pop the date in your diary - more details to follow!
- 16 **'Draw Near' Womens Teaching morning** - 14th Nov, 9:30am-1pm - 'The Why, The When, The Wonder of Prayer', join us to explore the wonder of prayer with Jane Tooher. Flyers available soon.

Discussion Questions - Sep 27th

Topic: One People

Passage: Ephesians 2:11-3:21

Big Idea: God's family includes people who are very different from one another, but united because they trust in Jesus.

Question: Who can be part of God's family?