

## Children's and Youth Work at Guiseley Baptist Church

### Sunday

Sessions for children and youth run alongside our Sunday morning worship. The children's session is for children up to Year 6 and the youth sessions are for young people from Year 7 to 17 years of age.

**Youth Alpha:** every Sunday from 5:30-7pm. It allows young people to discuss different topics of faith. Food is provided.

### Midweek

**Table Tennis Club:** Mondays from 4-5:30pm for children from Year 5 to 17 years of age. Term time only.

**GCT Kids Club:** Mondays from 6-7:15pm for children aged 5 - 11 years old. Meets term time only at Guiseley Methodist Church.

**Mainly Music:** Fridays from 10-11am for pre-school aged children. £3 entry fee per family, includes refreshments for adults and children.

**GBC Youth:** Fridays from 7-8:30pm for young people from Year 7 to 17 years of age. Various different games and activities including pool, table tennis and Xbox.

**Please contact Joe Millar for more information.**

*All of our groups are led according to our GBC safeguarding policy, which can be viewed on the GBC website - [www.guiseleybaptistchurch.co.uk](http://www.guiseleybaptistchurch.co.uk)*

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## 28<sup>th</sup> June 2026

### **Our services for July:**

**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> July:** Stories of Jesus – Guests and hosts (Luke 14:7-14)  
(communion) (Martin)

**4PM-5PM:** Afternoon prayer in church

**Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> July:** Stories of Jesus – Jesus heals Ten men  
(Luke 17:11-19) (Steve)

**Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> July:** Stories of Jesus – The Lost Sheep (Luke 15)  
(Helen)

**Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> July:** Stories of Jesus – The friend at midnight  
(Luke 11:1-13) (David)

We look forward to seeing you at our services during July as we explore these stories and their meaning together.

*Audio recordings of previous sermons can be found on our website if you would like to catch up or revisit earlier sermon series*

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## Welcome to Guiseley Baptist Church!

If you are visiting us today, we give you a warm welcome and trust you will feel at home. Do make sure you take a 'welcome bag' they are full of information about the church, and they also have a contact card for you to fill in if you would like to keep in touch with us.

If you'd like to know more about GBC and what we do, please speak to Martin, our minister, or one of the leadership team. Alternatively, our website- [www.guiseleybaptistchurch.co.uk](http://www.guiseleybaptistchurch.co.uk) - gives up to date details of church activities.

### Ministry Musings

As I write this message I am sitting in my office with the sun streaming through the windows. I don't know about you, but life always feels better when the sun is shining. I feel more energised and optimistic about things.

That's certainly how I feel about GBC right now! I believe that the sun is shining, things are beginning to take shape, plans are beginning to crystallise, and it feels very much like God is at work.

I am reminded of the words we read in Isaiah 43:19 which say:

*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.*

As vision takes shape, as new initiatives begin, we have every right to be excited as a church. God is doing a new thing, I hope you can perceive it, I hope it fills you with excitement. I hope you feel the 'sun on your back' and feel good about all that God is doing in us and through us as a church.

Please continue to consider the part you can play in growing His church and pray about what it is we can do to support you as you serve. Martin.

## Foodbank

Donations are always gratefully received. You can place your donation into the basket in the lobby at church or you can leave your donations at Guiseley Morrison's or the Guiseley branch of Skipton building society.

### Urgently needed items (As of 10/06/2026)

Bags for life	Cooking sauce in jars
Instant mashed potato	Long-life juice
Pasta	Tinned custard
Tinned fish	Tinned fruit
Tinned rice pudding	Tinned tomatoes
Tinned vegetables	Vegetarian food items

If you would like to financially support the work of the Foodbank, there are a number of ways you can do this, like the 200 club. Please visit the Bradford North Foodbank website for more information <https://bradfordnorth.foodbank.org.uk/>

### Upcoming events:

#### **Aireborough Voices And Friends Summer Serenade**

(organised by Mark Cahill)

Saturday July 4<sup>th</sup> 2026 at 7pm at Guiseley Baptist Church

Tickets £10 (inc. refreshments) Contact 01274 594396

**GBC Holiday Club:** 10<sup>th</sup> -14<sup>th</sup> August 2026, 10am till 2pm every day. Please look out for a leaflet in the lobby with all the details and how to book.

#### **CARING FOR LIFE SUPPORTERS' DAY (SATURDAY 11th JULY)**

Annual Supporters Open Day **from 10am**. Find out more about the work of Caring For Life with lots of different events happening throughout the day all over the farm. The therapeutic projects will be open to look around, and there's a service in the barn where over 500 people meet to praise the Lord. **Gates close at 5pm**. You **MUST** have a pass in order to get in, so if you would like to go, please have a word with Caroline Wallace or call her on 07976 799229 and she can organise a pass in advance for you.

If you would like to put any information in the church notice sheet, please email

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