



Jerusalem Baptist Church



Newsletter

March 2026

Leading of Services

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Church Services

Sunday Morning:
11am - 12pm

Sunday Evening:
6pm - 7pm

Communion Services

Morning - 3rd Sunday
of every month

Evening - 1st Sunday of
every month

All services will be led by Pastor Matthew Tricker unless stated otherwise below.

Sunday 1st March - Prayer breakfast at 9:30am
Followed by morning service at 11am
- Evening service at 6pm

Sunday 8th March - Morning service at 11am followed by
fellowship meal.
- Evening service at 6pm

Sunday 15th March - Morning service at 11am
- Evening service at 6pm

Sunday 22nd March - Morning service at 11am
- Evening service at 6pm

Sunday 29th March - Morning service at 11am
- Evening service at 6pm
(Both services led by Mike Thomas)

Weekly Events happening in the Church

Mondays 7pm - 8pm - Prayer Meeting in the Sanctuary,
followed by Bible study

Tuesdays 9:30am - 11am - Mother and Toddler group

Wednesdays 5:45pm - 7pm - Kids Cross Zone

Wednesdays 7pm - 8:15pm - Youth Group (Year 6 and above)

Wednesdays 8pm - 8:45pm - Youth bible study (age 14+)

Fridays 10:45am - 12pm - Coffee Morning

Fridays 8:30pm - Fellowship and Prayer meeting

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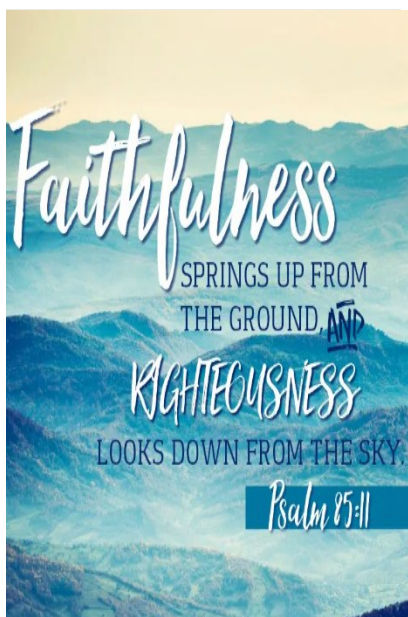
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Events happening outside the Church

House Group - Bible Study and Fellowship Meeting

Every other Tuesday afternoon, 2pm for a 2:30pm start - Ken and Doreen's house. Please see Ken or Doreen for further details.

Other Events taking place this month

'Altars and Crowns' Ladies Conference - Saturday 21st March

There will be a Ladies Conference at Jerusalem Baptist Church on Saturday, 21st March 2026 - 10am - 6pm (registration from 9.15am).

It will be a wonderful time to reflect and position us, as we seek to strengthen our faith, as daughters of the King, our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ. We have a great programme with four anointed guest speakers and are anticipating a full church.



Tickets are £5.00 each and are limited. This will be a child free event so it is only open to those over 16. This is to allow ladies to take time out for themselves, to focus and connect and go deeper spiritually. Please contact Julie Ridley on 07817554165 for ticket availability or if you have any questions.

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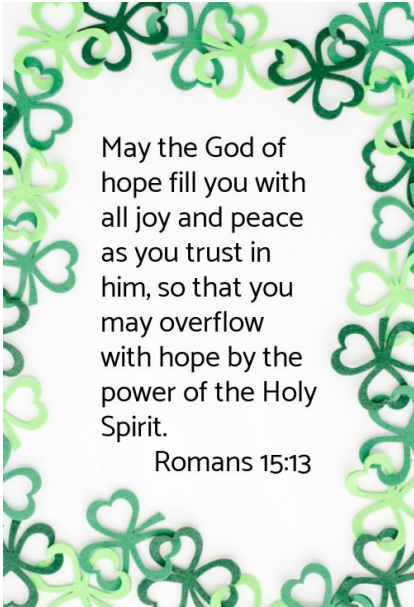
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May the God of
hope fill you with
all joy and peace
as you trust in
him, so that you
may overflow
with hope by the
power of the Holy
Spirit.

Romans 15:13

Esther's Fellowship Meeting

Tuesday 24th March 11:15am - 12.30pm - all ladies welcome.

Craft and Chat session - Tuesday 24th March 12:30pm - 2pm

An opportunity to share and learn new skills and experience various craft among friends (bring along your craft items of wool, needles, hooks etc.).

Free tea and coffee provided. A warm welcome to everyone to join us.



Youth Link - Saturday 28th March, 7pm - 9pm

This is an event for 11 - 18 year olds. It will be taking place on Saturday 28th March, 7pm - 9pm, at The Engine House, Dowlais. Please see Ilan for more information.

Other News

Payment of tithes and offerings

As a part of our worship we give tithes and offerings to the church for the work of the Lord. There is a box at the back of the church if people want to give cash but there is also the facility to pay online. Here are the church's bank details for anyone who wishes to pay tythes and offerings directly into the church bank account:

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Please could you put your name as the reference for your online payment as this will help the treasurer, especially with regard to claiming Gift Aid on offerings. Many thanks.

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Church 125th Anniversary Celebrations - Saturday 9th May 2026



Our church is celebrating its 125th anniversary and we will be holding a community event on Saturday 9th May as a finale to our celebrations. This will be in the form of an open afternoon, inviting the community of Pentrebach to share in our celebrations - an opportunity for everyone to share their memories of the church.

We need your help!

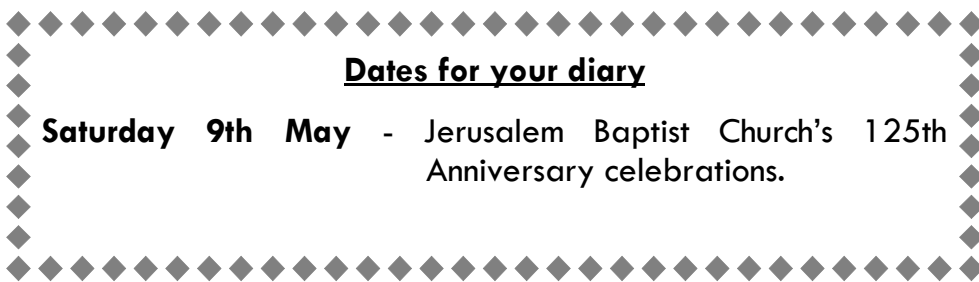
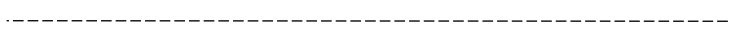
We are hoping to create a display of memories of the chapel over the years so if anyone has photographs of events such as Sunday school anniversaries, parties and outings or weddings held at the chapel we would love to have them to display.

Help us choose the music!

We would also like some ideas for hymns/choruses that could be sung at the event. Old classics? Modern favourites? - Please send us your suggestions.



Susan Pound is happy to help co-ordinate the event so if anyone is able to help with photos etc., please contact Sue - you can email her at pound.susan@gmail.com There will also be a buffet on the day as part of the celebrations.



Dates for your diary

Saturday 9th May - Jerusalem Baptist Church's 125th Anniversary celebrations.

Scripture Verse

Psalm 25: 4-5

Show me your ways, Lord, teach me your paths. Guide me in your truth and teach me, for you are God my Saviour, and my hope is in you all day long.