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BIBLE VERSE FOR 2025

Our services are live-streamed so you may appear on camera if you sit in the front rows or come onstage. If you do not consent to being filmed, then please sit further back. Speak to one of the Welcome Team if you are unsure of what to do or require further information. Thank You

PRAYER BOX

Please remember in your prayers those who are unwell, grieving or have family problems.

We also have an email prayer network

If you would like to join the prayer network or wish us to pray for you or someone you know, please contact **Jen Bache** on 07545847115 or email: *jennifer.bache95@gmail.com*

If you have any items for the Weekly Welcome please contact **Michele Barkway** at **michelebarkway@gmail.com** or on **07999 975918** by Wednesday evening.

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We welcome you to our service today!

You are welcome here among our growing church family.

If you live in the town or are just visiting, then we pray that you will know the light of the Lord in your life as you join us. Whether it's your first time in church or you're regularly in a worship service then know that we have a relaxed, informal style. So you can sing or listen, stand or sit, be upstairs in the balcony or downstairs in the comfy seats.

Brixham Baptist Church are committed to **SHINE** for Jesus, **SHARE** and **SHAPE** our community for Jesus. We believe that you will meet with Jesus today and hear God's Word speak into your life. If you are troubled or worried, then do ask and we have a team who can pray quietly with you, or one of our Pastors can even visit you this week. If you want to get to know us as a congregation, then please stay for drinks after the service in the hall. And if you are visiting, please do sign our Visitors Book in the foyer.

For children and families there is a session called SHINE where you can enjoy a brunch and some age-appropriate activities.

PRAYER PRIORITY

Praise God for the encouragement that BMS partner workers are receiving from churches in the UK. Workers like Wissam Nasrallah in Lebanon and workers in sensitive countries as they encourage their church family to pray faithfully for this crucial work. They greatly value these new connections and faithful prayers in challenging times.

Each Sunday we hear from God's Word. We love it when <u>the regular</u> <u>congregation</u> want to add an insight arising from that, or to share an answer to prayer. If appropriate to be included in the livestream, why not share that in the time that will usually be given after the sermon?

At Brixham Baptist Church we believe in the power of prayer. If you have heard something in the service that prompts you, or simply want someone to pray with you, or pray for someone you know, then please come to the front after the service and our Prayer Ministry team will be happy to pray with you.

OUR SERVICES

Today, 4th May 2025

10.15am :	Prayer Time (Front of Church)		
10.30am :	10.30am : Communion Service : Colin Opie : <i>Surprise the</i>		
	World - "Eat"		
10.30am:	Shine (Hall)		
11.45am:	Drinks and biscuits (Hall)		
2.30pm :	Furzeham Lodge Service		
Sunday, 11th May 2025			
<u>Sunuay,</u>	<u>11th May 2025</u>		
	Prayer Time (Front of Church)		
10.15am :			
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CHURCH DIARY

Mon 5th	1.00pm-3.00pm 5.30pm-7.00pm	Drug Alcohol Rehab Drop-in (Front Room) Ignite (Front Room)	
Tues 6th	8.30am 10.00am-1.00pm	Mens' Breakfast (Brixham Holiday Park) Front Room open	
Wed 7th			
Thurs 8th	10.00am-10.30am 10.00am-12.00pm 5.45pm-7.00pm	Thursday Prayers (MG) (Lounge) Coffee Morning (Hall) Girls Brigade (Hall)	
Fri 9th	10.00am-1.00pm 10.00am-11.30am 2.00pm-4.00pm	Front Room open Toddlers Group (Hall) Craft and Chat (Front Room)	
Sat 10th	9.00am-10.30am 10.00am-2.00pm	Ladies Prayer Breakfast (Front Room) Christian Aid Coffee and Lunch (Christian Community Centre)	
Sun 11th	10.15am 10.30am 10.30am 11.45am	Prayer Time (Front of Church) Baptismal Service : Darrell Holmes : <i>Surprise</i> <i>the World - "Listen"</i> Shine (Hall) Drinks and Biscuits (Hall)	

THANK YOU

I would like to thank my wonderful friends at Brixham Baptist for your love and support on the passing of Alan. Thank you so much for attending and helping at his Celebration of Life Service.....such a sorrowful occasion (for us) but a joyful one (for Alan). It is wonderful to see so many gifts of the Spirit in action. It really made an impression on 2 non-Christian families that I know of. God bless you for your love and care. Verity Range

PIRATE FESTIVAL ACTIVITY DAY

Claire Jo Harmer, a local artist, is running a family friendly drop-in art activity on the **3rd May** (Saturday of the Pirate Festival), **9.00am–5.30pm** in the Church Hall. The activity is for a Daisi local heritage project 'Brixham's Red Earth'. We'll be making our own natural paint and learning about the 'red ochre' used for the original Brixham Trawler sails. Everyone makes their own textile swatch for a collaborative 'patchwork sail' which will be exhibited in the summer.

All ages welcome, no charge.

CLEANING OPPORTUNITY

My wife and myself have been coming to Brixham for over 20 years. We live in Marlow, Buckinghamshire but consider Brixham just as much our home as Marlow.

We have 2 holiday lets in Brixham and our passion is to introduce people to this amazing town, being in the midst and supporting people in the town.

We are looking for someone to do some adhoc cleaning of our holidays lets on Higher Street and Overgang, namely 2 cleans per week. We thought that it may suit someone in your congregation that may want a little extra cash. Please contact **Andrew and Annie on 07821 311494**