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Darrell is on Sabbatical until 1st September.

Please contact Colin Opie with any queries. Thank you.

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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 Julia Andrews at

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or phone 07840 694099

*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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"Shining for Jesus in the darkness"

27th July 2025

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

Thank God for the resources He has blessed BMS (Baptist Mission Society) with. Pray that they will be good stewards of those resources, enabling the growth of His Kingdom through the Global Church. Give thanks for every gift BMS receives from generous supporters and pray for wisdom for BMS' finance team as they manage investments to produce a good return.

Each Sunday we hear from God's Word. We love it when the regular congregation 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, 27th July 2025

10.15am : Prayer Time (Front of Church)
 10.30am : Morning Service : Colin Opie : *Gospel/Transformation Part 1 - Matthew*
 10.30am: Shine (Hall)
 11.45am: Drinks and biscuits (Hall)

Sunday, 3rd August 2025

10.15am : Prayer Time (Front of Church)
 10.30am : Morning Service : Colin Opie : *Gospel/Transformation Part 2 - Mark*
 10.30am: Shine (Hall)
 11.45am: Drinks and biscuits (Hall)
 12.00pm : Special Members' Meeting (Church)
 12.30pm : Church Picnic (Furzeham Green)
 2.30pm : Furzeham Lodge Service

CHURCH DIARY

Mon 28th	1.00pm-3.00pm	Drug Alcohol Rehab Drop-in (Front Room)
Tues 29th	10.00am-1.00pm 2.00pm-4.00pm 7.30pm	Front Room open Classic Gold (Hall) Church Members' Meeting (Hall)
Wed 30th		
Thurs 31st	10.00am-10.30am 10.00am-12.00pm	Thursday Prayers (MG) (Lounge) Coffee Morning (Hall)
Fri 1st Aug	10.00am-1.00pm 2.00pm-4.00pm	Front Room open Craft and Chat (Front Room)
Sat 2nd	10.00am-11.00am	Church Prayer Meeting (Hall)
Sun 3rd	10.15am 10.30am 10.30am 11.45am 12.00pm 12.30pm 2.30pm	Prayer Time (Front of Church) Morning Service : Colin Opie: <i>Gospel/Transformation Part 2 - Mark</i> Shine (Hall) Drinks/Biscuits (Hall) Special Members' Meeting Church Picnic (Furzeham Green) Furzeham Lodge Service

CHURCH MEMBERS' MEETINGS

Our next Church Members' Meeting will be on **Tuesday 29th July at 730pm.**

Among other things Geoff Andrews will be explaining about upgrading the Trust Deeds for our Church building and Manse in line with advice from the Baptist Union and recommendation from our Trustees.

Then on the following **Sunday 3rd August** there will be a short **Special Church Meeting** following the morning service and a break for coffee, for Church Members to pass a resolution to adopt the Baptist Trusts for Churches 2003 and the Baptist Trusts for Manses 2004. If members are unable to come to the Tuesday Church Meeting but would like to know more, please speak to Geoff or myself. **Julia Andrews**

CLASSIC GOLD

Tuesday, 29th July : 2.00pm-4.00pm

Lynda and Dave will once again be giving us an afternoon of dance music from the 1950s to present (rock 'n roll, jive, pop, country) in the Church Hall. This is a dementia friendly event so feel free to invite anyone you think might benefit from this. Refreshments will be served. Thanks. **Michele**

CHURCH TIMES OF PRAYER

On **Saturday 26th July** and on **Saturday 23rd August** for an hour **from 10.0am to 11.00am**, we will join together to seek God and to pray for our church, our community and our world. We had a blessed time when we did this at the end of May. Please consider joining us in the Hall, even if you are not in the habit of attending prayer meetings. **Geoff Andrews**

CHURCH PICNIC



On **Sunday 3rd August**, we are having our annual church family picnic on Furzeham Green. This will be directly after our Church Members' Meeting. **Please bring a packed lunch.** Drinks and ice cream will provided. This is always a really great time of fellowship for all ages. Hope to see you there! **Maria Orton**

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Many of our regular activities (Toddlers, Girls Brigade, Soup Lunches, KYB, Ignite, Carers' Group are in recess for the summer. They will recommence beginning September.