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“Shining for Jesus in the darkness”

15th March 2026

We welcome you to our service today!


Our church family at Brixham Baptist Church is committed to **SHINE** for Jesus, **SHARE** Jesus and **SHAPE** our community with love for Jesus.

You are welcome here with your faith or doubts, questions or answers, whether broken and wounded or thankful and blessed. You are welcome whether you are a regular or first-time visitor, whether you are local or visiting Brixham.

We pray you will experience a warm welcome just as Jesus would welcome you. You will discover we have a relaxed, informal worship style with a way for everyone to participate in our shared time together no matter what our age or background.

We believe that you will meet with Jesus today and hear God's Word speak into your life. If you want to get to know us as a congregation, then please stay for drinks after the service in the Hall.

For all children and young people there is a session called SHINE in the Hall where you can enjoy a brunch and some age-appropriate activities.


“the Holy Spirit
will come upon
you and give
you power.
Then you will
tell everyone
about me”

ACTS 1:8 (CEV)



PRAYER

We believe in the power of prayer and have many ways to engage in prayer.

At 10.15am Sundays before the service, you can join with others to pray that our service will be a blessing to all.

After the service we have a prayer team wearing red lanyards that are happy to pray with anyone who wants to chat about issues raised in the service.

Every Thursday at 10.00am we have our Midweek Prayer Meeting to pray for our world, community and congregation

We also have a Prayer Network of people waiting to pray about any specific needs you or your friends and family may have. If you would like us to pray for you or for someone you know, please contact **Jen Bache** on 07545-847115 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.

PRAYER PRIORITY

Mothering Sunday can be a joy for some and difficult for others. However, may we all be able to give thanks either for our own mothers, grandmothers, or mother figures, spiritual "mothers" who nurtured us in faith, and particularly the many ladies in our own congregation who use their love and lives in the service of God.

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?

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.

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OUR SERVICE TODAY

Sunday, 15th March 2026

- 10.15am : Prayer (Front of Church)
 10.30am : Communion Service : Joy May : *New Steps - Walking with God's Holy Spirit : SELF CONTROL : Romans 7 + 8*
 10.30am : Shine (Hall)
 11.45am : Drinks and Biscuits (Hall)

CHURCH DIARY

Mon 16th	1.30pm	Smart Centre (Front Room)
Tues 17th	10.00am-1.00pm	Front Room Open
	2.00pm-3.30pm	Live Longer Better (Activities Week)
	6.00pm-8.00pm	Know Your Bible - Group 1 (Front Room) She and Us Drop In (Front Room)
Wed 18th	12.15pm	Lenten Lunch (Christian Community Centre)
	1.30pm-3.00pm	Gathered Worship Team Meeting (Front Room)
	7.00pm-8.30pm	Mens' Bible Study (Front Room)
Thurs 19th	10.00am-12.00pm	Community Coffee Morning (Hall)
	10.00pm-10.30am	Midweek Prayer Meeting (Lounge)
	10.00am-12.00pm	Ability Net Digital Skills Training (Hall)
	5.45pm-7.00pm	Girls' Brigade (Hall)
Fri 20th	10.00am-1.00pm	Front Room Open
	10.00am-11.30am	Toddlers Group (Hall)
	2.00pm-4.00pm	Craft and Chat (Front Room)
	4.30pm-6.30pm	Food For Thought (Front Room)
Sat 21st		
Sun 22nd	10.15am	Prayer (Front of Church)
	10.30am	Morning Service : Colin Opie
	10.30am	Shine (Hall)
	11.45am	Drinks and Biscuits (Hall)

BOYS' BRIGADE COFFEE MORNING

Brixham Boys Brigade invite you to join them at their coffee morning **THIS Saturday, 14th March** in the **Methodist Community Centre** from **10.00am-12.00 noon**.

We are raising money for Company activities and for the National Boys' Brigade charity of the year - Young Minds - who do vital work in supporting young people's mental health.

Please come and support us! Thank you. *Nesta Jenkins*

CHURCH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING TUESDAY 31ST MARCH : 5.00PM

Church members are invited to meet in the Hall at 5.00pm for tea or coffee and cakes before the AGM which will commence at 5.30pm. We are hoping this will enable some to come who are not able to come out later in the evening. Any offers of cheese scones or cakes would be appreciated. Please let Julia know. *Julia - Secretary*

VOTING FOR BAPTIST UNION PRESIDENT

As a church we are asked to vote for the BU President 2026-2027 before the end of March. If anyone is interested to know more about the candidates, you can find the information online by going to.....

baptist.org.uk

Click "About".....

Then on the drop down menu click "President"

Then click "Elections"

If you think that one of the candidates will serve the Baptist churches best, please let Julia know by 29th March. Thank you. *Julia - Secretary*



CHRISTIAN AID : LENTEN LUNCHES

Please continue to support our Lenten Lunches at the Christian Community Centre where you will enjoy homemade soups, bread and a cup of tea or coffee, on the following Wednesdays at 12.15pm : **18th March; 25th March; 1st April.** *Judy Lee*

ABILITY NET SESSION

Please see the ad on the back of the Pastor's Patch about this free digital information session that will take place as part of our normal Coffee Morning on Thursday, 19th March in the Hall. If appropriate, please bring along your mobile or tablet.

EASTER MONDAY MEAL IN THE FRONT ROOM

Adline will again be laying on a lunch on Easter Monday in the Front Room. There will be sign up sheets in the Hall and Front Room from next week. The meal is open to all. The cost will be £7.00 (the same as the Christmas meal). We look forward to seeing you there. *Adline*