

Verse of the Week:

"Look to the Lord and his strength; seek his face always."

1 Chronicles 16:11 Psalm 23:1-3 (The Living Bible)

Weeks of 2nd and 9th August 2026

Sunday 2nd August: Please arrive via the **front centre door**. Refreshments will be available in the Hall on arrival for the service. After the service, coffee will be served in the Main Hall. At 12pm, please head downstairs to the Refresh Café area for lunch.

- **10.15am: 15 mins of prayer in the Main Hall.** Please note this will be hosted at a prayer table at the back of the Hall.
- **10.30 – 11.45am: Sunday Worship.**

Service leader: Louise Mitchell. This Sunday will not be a regular sermon, but a chance to hear from others about what keeps them close to God.

12:00: Global Potluck. After the service we will be hosting a celebration of the various cultures within our congregation via a bring and share lunch in the **Refresh Café** area downstairs. Please join us to enjoy an international selection of food!

More information at: https://www.qeparkbaptist.org.uk/Articles/742034/Global_Potluck.aspx

Monday 3rd August:

- **Muddy Boots Walking Group 10am:** Meet outside QE Park Centre. Contact Jeanette or email nature.walks@qepbc.org.uk for details.

Tuesday 4th August:

- **Morning Prayer 9-10am** in the ground floor room. All welcome.
- **Renew QE Park 1-4pm** in the ground floor room.

Thursday 6th August

- **Under the Sea 2pm – 3.30pm:** Picnic tea with fun, games, craft, bubbles and more!
For more information please click this link:
https://www.qeparkbaptist.org.uk/Articles/743872/Under_the_Sea.aspx or contact admin@qeparkbaptist.org.uk

Sunday 9th August:

- **10.15am: 15 mins of prayer in the Main Hall. 10.30 – 11.45am: Sunday Worship with communion.**

This will be the third of our summer series of cafe-style, interactive services. These will be hosted upstairs in the Hall, throughout July and August, based around the questions Jesus asked.

Led by: Sheila and Lauren's Life group. "Do you love me?" John 21:15-19

Monday 10th August:

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- **Muddy Boots Walking Group** 10am: Meet outside QE Park Centre. Contact Jeanette or email nature.walks@qepbc.org.uk for details.
- **Beyond Alpha** 7-8.30pm. Contact Ken or Sharen.

Tuesday 11th August:

- **Morning Prayer** 9-10am in the ground floor room. All welcome.
- **Renew QE Park** 1-4pm in the ground floor room.

Advance Notices

NO Diddy Disciples and Little Lambs toddler group in July or August

KidsZone Summer 2026:

- Wednesdays and Fridays in August. 10am - 12.30pm next door to Refresh Café.
- **Upcoming dates:** Wednesday 5th and Friday 7th August.
- **For more information see**
https://www.qeparkbaptist.org.uk/Articles/739970/KidsZone_2026.aspx
 Or contact Louise louise.mitchell@qeparkbaptist.org.uk

Summer Socials: a season of Sunday social gatherings for the QE Park Church family

- Our second event together will be at on **Sunday, 16th August:**
Afternoon tea at Ken and Sharens, from 4-6pm.
- Everyone is welcome, including children (who remain responsibility of the adult who brings them please)
- **If you intend to join us, please email Becca via admin@qeparkbaptist.org.uk**

Dates for your diary over the summer (details to follow):

- **Sunday 30 August 2.30pm: Afternoon walk, tea and cake with Colin and Jo**
- **Sunday 13 September: Lunchtime social with Alex and Rheanne**

Life Groups

Three mid-week **Life Groups** meet fortnightly.

For more information, contact Rev. Kate Whiting kate.whiting@qeparkbaptist.org.uk

Tuesday 6:45-8:30 pm (1st and 3rd week of the month)

- Next meeting **Tuesday 4th August**

Thursday 7:00-9:00 pm (fortnightly)

- Next meeting **Thursday 6th August**

Thursday Ladies 7.00-8.30 pm (2nd and 4th week of the month)

- Next meeting **Thursday 13th August**

Monthly Events

A Saturday at the start of the month. Bible, Blokes and Bacon. Next event: **Saturday 12th September.** Contact Alex if you are interested in joining.

Fourth Tuesday of the month. Book Group. In Refresh Café. Next: **Tuesday 25th August**

- See https://www.qeparkbaptist.org.uk/Articles/738485/Book_Club_Refresh.aspx
- Or contact Louise louise.mitchell@qeparkbaptist.org.uk

Contacts:

- Church Office: 01483 235185 admin@qeparkbaptist.org.uk

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- Rev. Kate Whiting, Minister: (days off Thursday and Saturday) kate.whiting@qeparkbaptist.org.uk
- Rev. Ken Livingstone, Associate Minister: (working days Monday, Thursday and Friday am) ken.livingstone@qeparkbaptist.org.uk

Highlights of Church Life

This week: Our 30th Anniversary Celebration

On Saturday 12th July we celebrated our first three decades as a congregation. It was a very joyful occasion attended by past and present members of the church and two of our past ministers: Chris Scupham (1996-2003) and Steve Godfrey

(2011-2017). Peter Nodding, (former Senior Minister of Guildford Baptist Church from which the congregation was planted), spoke on the theme of 'What's Next?' from Psalm 32:8. Paul Kerley (Regional Minister) led the present congregation in an act of rededication where we recommitted ourselves to continuing to share the Good News of Jesus with our part of Guildford and further afield. After the service we enjoyed a fantastic BBQ in the sun and celebrated with a huge 30th Birthday cake made by Zilda.



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Above: A lot of our church history in a single photo!



Some of the incredible BBQ and refreshments team



Can you help us?

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The church functions only with the generosity and kindness of our church family. There are many of you who already help with various voluntary needs including:

- Setting up and packing down
- Serving and setting up refreshments
- Being a part of the welcome team

If you are able, would you please consider joining one of these teams to help share the burden of those already helping us. Contact us at admin@qeparkbaptist.org.uk if you could help.



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One of our very own is raising money for a dear cause.

If you are able, please support **Jeannette** as she takes part in “**Walk for a Cure**” to raise funds that will contribute to finding the cure for dementia.

The event will take place on the 12th of September, please keep Jeannette in your prayers and thoughts as she prepares for this - and pray that a cure might be found through the hard work of the scientists seeking the solution.

In addition to prayers, please give financially as you are led to support her.

More information and donation via this link below:

<https://walk.alzheimersresearchuk.org/fundraisers/jeanettecattermole>

**ALZHEIMER'S
RESEARCH UK** **WALK
FOR A CURE**

WALK FOR A CURE PEAK DISTRICT

Carsington Water

Saturday 12 September

Take on a **13km, 21km, or 42km** hike through the uplifting landscapes around **Carsington Water**, where peaceful lakeside paths, open trails, and classic Peak District scenery create an inspiring setting for a meaningful challenge with friends and family. Every step helps fuel life-changing dementia research. Aim to raise **£250** or more and make a real difference in the search for a cure.

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External Notices

Programme of Life Issues Sessions 2026 at Godalming Baptist Church, Queen Street, Godalming, Surrey, GU7 1BA apart from the Women's Away Day. For more details on courses, see <https://www.godalmingbaptistchurch.org.uk/life-issues> To make a reservation, please contact: Sally Pollard, email: pollard3@hotmail.co.uk, tel: 01483 428646.

Calendar for July 2026 (as at 28th July)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
20 10:00am Muddy Boots Walking Group	21 9:00am Prayer Meeting 1:00pm Renew QE Park 6:45pm Tuesday Life Group (Tim and...)	22	23 7:00pm Ladies Life Group 7:00pm Thursday Life Group (Ray &...)	24	25 3:00pm Lego Church	26 10:30am Sunday Worship 11:45am Church Prayer Meeting (after...)
27 10:00am Muddy Boots Walking Group 7:00pm Beyond Alpha	28 - Today 9:00am Prayer Meeting 1:00pm Renew QE Park 7:30pm Book Club	29 10:00am Bird Tweets Walks	30	31	1 August	2 10:30am Sunday Worship 12:00pm Global Potluck
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Key Notice Visuals



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QE Park
Baptist Church &
Community Centre

Global Potluck Lunch **Sunday 2nd August 12:30pm**

Bring food from your home culture to share with everyone. Whatever part of the world, whatever part of the UK, bring something that reminds you of home.

All food must have a full ingredients list.

If possible, let Louise know in advance
what you are bringing.

Queries to louise.mitchell@qeparkbaptist.co.uk

Join the church in prayer

Every Sunday, 10.15 – 10.30am
before the service

Every Tuesday 9 – 10am
downstairs meeting room

Every month, Sunday prayer
meeting
for 45 minutes, following the
service