

DOWNTON BAPTIST CHURCH: AUGUST 2026

“Knowing Jesus and making Him known”

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You are very welcome to Downton Baptist Church

Philip, Katy and the Deacons extend a **warm** welcome to you. Please let us know if we can be of any support. If you are new to the Church, then please find a **welcome** pack in the foyer and speak to one of the Pastors.

The WORKSHOP:

Saturday, 1st August-10.00am to Noon

The Repair Cafe are happy to consider repairing any domestic item that you can carry in!

The GARDEN:

During August The Garden will be open on Sundays only, from 2.30pm to 4.30pm. All warmly welcome, refreshments served.

The LARDER:

Can you support The Larder with a little extra over August? We see a spike in need during the School holidays. All gifts gratefully received.

Raising Funds for PCF:

Jane Walker is visiting on Sunday, 4th October to speak. We would like the focus of the weekend to be raising funds for that work.

Could you help by arranging something or volunteering to help someone else?

We will gather all ideas and publish events to get involved with.

Please email Katy and Philip via the Church Office.

Serving at DBC: As a Church we commit to helping others find ways to serve. We would welcome extra help in various areas of life in DBC - please see below for help currently needed and if you would like to help with these or any other Church ministries, please speak to one of the Deacons, Katy or Philip:-

Serving at DBC: We are currently hoping to find:-

- ◇ **Two pairs to be Duty Stewards on Sundays.**
- ◇ **A helper/Leader for the Playroom.**
- ◇ **Two more cooks for Thursday Lunches (every other month)**
- ◇ **IT Desk at Sunday Morning Worship (training provided)**

Pastoral Support

Philip and Katy are available :

Please call or email.

(Days off: Philip: Sat)

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Deacons

Naomi Lloyd-Jones (Chair)

Renate James (Deacon Admin)

Amanda Ivens-Smith (Fabric)

Jim King

Charlotte Devereux

Nicky Head

DBC Treasurer

Ian Mitchell

DBC Community Programme

Coordinator

Caroline Thick

Email: Community@downtonbaptist.org

DBC Designated Safeguarding Lead

Chris Anderson (Lead)

Francoise Wynn (Deputy)

Other help available

The LARDER: Free food available.

The WARDROBE: Free clothing.

The FOODBANK: Food parcels.

The GARDEN: Community.

The STUDIO: Creating.

DBC Website

“Listen again” to recorded Sermons

and to see the full Church diary.

The online diary gives a full list.

Mailing List

To be added to our Friends of DBC

Mailing List find a Form in the Church

Foyer.

Safety and Accessibility

- We ask you not to attend if you have any cold or flu symptoms.

- Please make yourself aware of fire exits and safeguarding notices.

(Large print can be made available).

- There is a Loop System for those with hearing aids. Set to ‘T’.

- We have a lift and We have a car park

Church Membership

Find out about Church membership by speaking with Philip or Katy.

AUGUST 2026 : Worship Services and Regular

Date	Time	Detail
Sunday 2nd	10.30 am	Morning Worship All Age Preacher's Choice Led by Naomi Lloyd-Jones Children's activity in service
Thursday 6th	10.30 am 11.00 am	Refreshments Morning Worship: Philemon Led by John Cox (No Lunch)
Sunday 9th	10.30 am	Morning Worship All Age Preacher's Choice Led by Philip Rhoades Children's activity in service
Thursday 13th	10.30 am 11.00 am	Refreshments Morning Worship: Reading: Ephesians 2: 11-16 Led by Philip Rhoades (Followed by Lunch)
Sunday 16th	10.30 am	Morning Worship All Age with Family Communion Preacher's Choice Led by Katy Ulllyatt Children's activity in service
Thursday 20th	10.30 am 11.00 am	Refreshments Morning Worship: Reading: Ephesians 2: 17-22 Led by Naomi Lloyd-Jones (No Lunch)
Sunday 23rd	10.30 am	Morning Worship All Age Preacher's Choice Led by Katy Ulllyatt Children's activity in service
Thursday 27th	10.30 am 11.00 am	Refreshments Morning Worship: Reading: Ephesians 3: 1-7 Led by Katy Ulllyatt (Followed by Lunch)
Sunday 30th	10.30 am	Morning Worship All Age Preacher's Choice Led by Ron Hart Children's activity in service

Church Groups	Times	Dates
The LARDER (Mondays) (Closed Bank Holidays)	6.00 pm - 7.00 pm	WEEKLY
The LARDER (Wednesdays)	9.00 am - 10.00 am	
The GARDEN (Sundays)	2.30 pm - 4.30 pm	WEEKLY
The FOODBANK (Thursdays)	9.00 am - 11.00 am	WEEKLY
The STUDIO (Wednesdays)	2.00 pm - 4.00 pm	N/A
The WARDROBE sort (Friday)	10.00am - 2.00 pm	N/A
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RNID Drop in Clinic (Thursday)	10.00 am - 12noon	6th
The WORKSHOP (Saturday)	10.00 am - Noon	1st
The ENGINE ROOM (Saturday)	7.00pm - 8.00 pm	N/A
The INNER ROOM (Sunday)	7.00 pm - 8.00 pm	N/A

Groups for Young People
Sundays: All groups start in the morning service and go to groups midway through. All leaders hold DBS.
Sundays: PATHFINDER (Preschool)
Sundays: WAYMAKERS (Primary)
Sundays: TRAILBLAZERS (Secondary)
The PLAYROOM Toddler Church Back again Wednesday, 9th September
Church Members Meeting Dates 2026: 18th October-Covenant Renewal
Registered Charity Number 1131186