

DOWNTON BAPTIST CHURCH: OCTOBER 2026

“Knowing Jesus and making Him known”

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Office Opening Hours | Monday to Thursday | 9.00am to 1.00pm

You are very welcome to Downton Baptist Church.

Philip, Katy and the Deacons extend a warm welcome to you.

If you are new to church, then please find a welcome pack in the foyer and speak to one of the Pastors.

Everyone at DBC is on the welcome team!

Harvest Festival Services: We will be gathering the harvest on Sunday, **4th October** at 10.30 am and Thursday, **8th October** at 11.00 am. All produce and offerings will go to The Larder. Let's give thanks for God's provision among us!

PCF Weekend:

Saturday, 10th October: 7.00 pm – 9.00 pm: come to a Quiz Night at the Church with food. All proceeds to PCF, suggested donation of £10 per head. Bring your own drinks. Please let the Office know if you can come.

Sunday, 11th October: Jane Walker will be speaking during the morning Service. Followed by PCF product stall.

Church Members Meeting (Covenant Renewal): Sunday, 18th October at Noon, following Morning Worship. If you are interested in becoming a Member, please speak to Katy or Philip.

Deacons: The nomination process for Deacons will begin in October. Please pray and discern approaching others. Members must have been in Membership for 2 years. Nomination Forms are on the stand in the Foyer.

Sunday Afternoon Meet Ups, Sunday, 18th October: Do you feel Sunday afternoons can be a bit lonely? Why not join us for a Bring and Share lunch followed by board games, venue to be confirmed. For further information please contact Nicky Head, Sue Avery or Glenda Pike.

Remembrance Sunday: 8th November

10.00 am Village Act of Remembrance at Downton Memorial Hall and
10.45 am Service at Downton Baptist Church.

Larder Christmas Meal: This will be held again for our Community on Wednesday, 30th December at 6.00 pm. We would love helpers for cooking, washing up and supporting our guests. Please let Katy, Joy or Caroline know if you can help.

Church Members:

Next Meeting Sunday 18th October 2026 at Noon

Current Opportunities to serve

Cooks on Thursday

Duty Stewards

More information can be found on the Church Website, including the Church Diary, the Rotas for serving, and all Sunday Sermon recordings.

Church Contact Details

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Pastor Katy Ulyatt 07786 248880

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Deacons

Naomi Lloyd-Jones (Chair)

Chairman@downtonbaptist.org

Amanda Iven-Smith (Fabric)

Jim King

Charlotte Devereux

Nicky Head

Ian Mitchell (Treasurer)

Treasurer@downtonbaptist.org

Designated Safeguarding Lead

Chris Anderson (Lead)

Francoise Wynn (Deputy)

Information can be found in the foyer.

We take safeguarding seriously at DBC.

Mailing List

To be added to “Friends of DBC” mailing list, please email the church office.

Safety and Accessibility

- In the event of a fire or emergency, please listen for instructions from marshal.
- Gathering point in the field at the rear.
- Large print materials can be made available.
- There is a loop system – set to “T”.
- We have a lift and a car park with accessible spaces.

Church Membership

If you would like to find out about membership, please speak with Katy or Philip.

Registered Charity: 1131186

SUNDAY WORSHIP Date and Time	Morning Worship Detail	Leader	Children Groups
Sunday 4 th October 10.30 am	Harvest Festival All Age (Wedding Banquet) with Family Communion	Philip Rhoades	In-Service Activity
Sunday 11 th October 10.30 am	PCF Morning Worship (Guest Speaker: Jane Walker)	Philip Rhoades Katy Ulllyatt	Yes
Sunday 18 th October 10.30 am	Morning Worship	Katy Ulllyatt	Yes
Sunday 25 th October 10.30 am	Morning Worship All Age	Katy Ulllyatt	In-Service Activity

THURSDAY WORSHIP Date and Time	Morning Worship Detail	Leader	Lunch At Noon
Thursday 1 st October 10.30 am Refreshments/11.00am Service	Mark 7: 1-13 with Communion	Philip Rhoades	
Thursday 8 th October 10.30 am Refreshments/11.00am Service	Harvest Festival	Katy Ulllyatt	Yes
Thursday 15 th October 10.30 am Refreshments/11.00am Service	2 Timothy 1: 1-7 Passing the Torch	Philip Rhoades	
Thursday 22 nd October 10.30 am Refreshments/11.00am Service	Psalm 92: 12-15 Bearing Fruit in Old Age	Philip Roades	Yes
Thursday 29 th October 10.30 am Refreshments/11.00am Service	Isaiah 46: 3-4 Sustained to the End	Denise Mitchell	

Groups	Times	Dates for October	Information
The LARDER	Mondays 6.00 pm - 7.00 pm (Closed Bank Holiday Mondays) Wednesday 9.00 am - 10.00 am	Weekly Weekly	A community food larder open to all.
The GARDEN	Sundays 2.30 pm - 4.30 pm	Weekly	A community garden open to all abilities.
The FOODBANK	Thursdays 9.00 am - 11.00 am	Weekly	With referral on behalf of Salisbury Foodbank
The STUDIO	Wednesdays 1.00 pm – 3.00 pm (Term Time only)	7 th , 14 th 21 st	A community crafting group open to all.
The PLAYROOM	Wednesdays 9.00 am – 11.00 am (Term Time only)	7 th , 14 th 21 st	A Free Church babies and toddler group.
The WARDROBE	Friday Sorting: 10.00 am – 2.00 pm Friday Open: 2.00 pm - 3.30 pm	16th	Free clothing to anyone in need.
The WORKSHOP	Saturday 10.00 am - Noon	3rd	In conjunction with Lover Repair Café.
The ENGINE ROOM	Sunday 7.00 pm - 8.00 pm	N/A	An evening of worship and prayer.
The INNER ROOM	Sunday 7.00 pm – 8.00 pm	4th	An evening of contemplative prayer.
RNID Drop in Clinic	Thursday 10.00 am to Noon	1st	Led by RNID for the community.