



# Woodley Baptist Church

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***'United in knowing Jesus and making Him known'.***

## **SUNDAY 8<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2026**

### **TODAY'S SERVICES**

**10.15am:** Communion Service with Rachel Hughes leading and Howard Ballard preaching  
Daniel 3 - Be Transformed

**Refreshments:** Mary Kareem-Osho and Howard Ballard

**Prayer Team:** Grace Hope and Grahame White

**6.30pm** Sunday Evening Prayer Hour

Everyone is welcome to join via Zoom:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87827308029?pwd=Vi9wTldoejV0bjNwd2xnc3pwK3NyUT09>

Meeting ID: 878 2730 8029

Passcode: 503411

### **SUNDAY – 15<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2026**

**10.15am:** Service with Julie Russell leading and Chris van Es preaching  
Daniel 4 – Be Transformed

**Refreshments:** Tony and Rosemary Paine

**Prayer Team:** John and Julie Russell

**6.30pm** Informal Service of Worship and Praise with Becky Sumbler

## PRAYER MEETINGS

### MONDAY MORNING

Please join us for the Monday morning prayer meeting in the lounge from 10-10.30am when we will be praying for activities in the church during the coming week.

### THURSDAY EVENING

The next meeting will take place on 26<sup>th</sup> February. Please join us as we seek the Lord for the direction of WBC.

## GENERAL NOTICES

### CRÈCHE

We need some more volunteers to help with creche on a rota basis. This means looking after 0–3-year-olds during the service and getting out some toys in the back hall before the service. If you are able to help with this please speak to **Graham Sumbler**. This role requires a DBS Certificate which we can apply for if you don't already have one.

### DOUBLE-KNIT WOOL

If anybody has any double-knit wool that they no longer require, Renew Wellbeing would be grateful for any donations. Please hand to **Grace Hope**.

### NEW SMALL GROUP IDEA

I have been thinking about starting a small group on a Saturday morning, around once a month for an hour of Bible study, prayer and fellowship. If you are interested in knowing more about this please let me know. Thank you.

**Becky Sumbler**

### CHURCH DIRECTORY

We will shortly be reviewing the Church Directory, adding new people, removing people who are no longer part of the fellowship and making sure that the information we have for everyone is still current.

Those who are already in the Directory will be asked to confirm that we have the correct information. Those new to the church should take a copy of our Privacy Policy and complete the Consent Form.

This gives us your details, while keeping us in line with GDPR.

Please ask a steward for a Consent Form if you haven't previously completed one.

Thank you,

**Jane van Es**

### HELP NEEDED

We require volunteers for:

**Pancake Party – Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> February, 5pm-7pm**

Help is needed to set-up, serve and clear up.

**Gardening Help – Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> February, 10.00am**

If you could help at one or both of the events, please add your name to the sign-up sheets in the foyer.

The Spring edition of **February Prayer Diary for JAC** is now available from the rack to the right of the office door.

## ADVANCE NOTICES

### BIBLE JOURNALING GROUP

The Bible Journaling Group will be meeting tomorrow, Monday 16<sup>th</sup> February from 7.30-9pm in the lounge. All are welcome to join us.

### PANCAKE PARTY

This year's Pancake Party will be held on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> February from 5pm to 7.30pm. Everyone is welcome so please invite family and friends to come along!

### **PRAYER FOR WOODLEY**

If you have a heart for Woodley why not join other Christians who will be gathering to pray. We shall meet on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> February at St James's Church, Kingfisher Drive from 9 to 10am.  
All welcome.

### **DEDICATION SERVICE & CHURCH LUNCH**

We are having Tobias dedicated on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb as part of the morning service and would love to invite you to stay for a 'bring and share' lunch with us and some of our family and visiting friends after the service.

**James and Rachel McGeough**

### **SAFEGUARDING TRAINING**

We only have 2 places left on the Level 2 Safeguarding Training Course on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2026, Please let Lesley know if you would like to attend and haven't already signed up.

### **CHURCH MEMBERS' MEETING**

The next Church Members' Meeting will be held on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> March at 7.30pm



**Please pray for** the ongoing situation in Ukraine, Iran and Syria.

**Please pray for the family of Rosemary Allen, John and Julie Russell, Val Lee and family, Audrey Goulding, Jonathan Edwards, Peter Kerr, John Tidmarsh, Jean Prince and Mandy & Allan Dodd.**

**WOT**

World Out There

**PRAYERS**

**HOTSPOT**  
GAMES CHAT FAITH TOGETHER

**SHOUT**  
games sports crafts faith together

**PLEASE PRAY FOR...**

**WOODLEY SCHOOLS  
WORK**

**Woodley CofE**

**Tuesdays**

**Lunchtime Visit**

**Thursdays**

**Ministers Assembly**

**Willow Bank Jr**

**WBC Visit - Easter**

**RE: Inspired - Bulmershe**

**Year 8 - Life After Death**

**Lessons Starting on 16<sup>th</sup>  
March.**

**RE: Inspired - Woodley  
Primary School RE lessons**

**Volunteers serving in  
our local schools.**

**The impact of sharing  
the Christian message  
with pupils and staff.**

**An increase in young  
Christians across  
Woodley**

**Schools we are not yet  
connecting with.**

**Our engagement with  
children and families in  
the community.**

**FAMILY FUN**



# Pancake Party

**Tuesday 17th February**  
**(Shrove Tuesday)**

*please come :)*

**VENUE: Woodley Baptist Church**

**TIME: 5pm to 7pm**

*← Come & go as you please*

**Pancakes, toppings  
& refreshments.**

**Everyone is welcome!**

**SWEET &  
SAVOURY  
TOPPINGS**

**ALL  
FREE!**

*yum yum*

**WOODLEY  
BAPTIST  
CHURCH**

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