



Wymondham Baptist Church

An authentic church with a place for everyone

SUMMER NEWS SHEET - 2026

(Please note this news sheet covers the period
26th July – 30th August – the next weekly news
sheet will be issued on 6th September)



**OUR VISION – To be 'An authentic church
with a place for everyone'**

Introduction

Welcome to our summer news sheet. We hope that you find this informative and it gives you dates to put in your diary.

Vision Verse:-

'Enlarge the place of your tent, stretch your tent curtains wide, do not hold back: lengthen your cords, strengthen your stakes' – Isaiah 54 verse 2

Verse of the Year:-

'Not to us, Lord, not to us, but to your name be the glory because of your love and faithfulness' – Psalm 115 verse 1



Our summer services will be all-age worship led by our Home Groups – as follows:-

Theme of 'Wisdom in our day' introduced by Neil's
group on 19th July

26th July – Friendship – Vic and Mary's group

2nd August – The fear of the Lord – Paul and
Emma's group

9th August – Training in Wisdom – David and
Christine's group

16th August – Lesson from the anthill – Jan's group

23rd August – A Joyful, Generous Heart – recorded
sermon from Paul Smith

30th August – The Fool – Steve and Kate's group

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Daily Proverbs and Prayers leaflet.

Prepared by the Tuesday Prayer Group is available
from Vera – this is a daily reading from Proverbs
with a comment to ponder on.

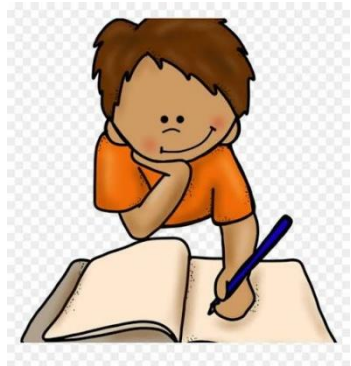
Rooted Life Magazine

The next issue (August/September) of The Rooted Life magazine is scheduled to be available on 2nd August. Please

let Cathy have your contributions by 26th July or email them to the Office by 27th July –

office@wymondhambaptist.org.

Thank you.



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CELEBRATION WEEKEND

5th Sept. – Opening Celebrations – 11.30a.m.&
4.00p.m.

6th Sept. – Worship Celebrations at 10.30a.m.
Including communion

Please make sure you indicate on the 'sign up' sheet which opening event you will be attending on the Saturday, so that we can cater accordingly.

Dates for your Diary:-

27th July – ECO Team meeting at 3 Jackdaw Close

28th July – POWER HOUR at 10.00a.m.

2nd August – Worship at 10.30a.m. including
Communion

3rd August – Singing for Fun in the church hall –
1.30p.m.

4th August – POWER HOUR at 10.00a.m.

5th August – Rosedale Support Meeting in the
Canopy – 10.00a.m.

9th August – Worship at 10.30a.m.

11th August – Opening Celebrations planning mtg
– 7p.m. on Zoom

14th August – Youth Summer Pop-Up – 5.30p.m.

16th August – Worship at 10.30a.m.

23rd August – Worship at 10.30a.m.

30th August – Worship at 10.30a.m.

3rd Sept. – Church premises clean – 1 – 5p.m.

PLEASE NOTE SERVICES WILL NOT BE
LIVESTREAMED OR RECORDED DURING AUGUST.



A DATE FOR YOUR DIARY

Green Pastures Christian Bookshop, Dereham, will be holding a 'Pop-Up' Shop at WBC on Wednesday, 11th November between 10.00a.m. and 1p.m. They will bring with them books, cards, Bibles and gifts including Christmassy items.

BOOK THE DATE



SAMARITAN'S PURSE SHOEBOX APPEAL

Once again this year we will be supporting the Samaritan's Purse Shoebox Appeal. Shoebox Sunday is November 1st, so start to collect small items to go into your shoebox – toys, personal care items, school supplies and fun gifts. Pre-prepared cardboard boxes are available from the Church Office.

BOOK THE DATE

THE HUB THETFORD

are holding two events in the
Autumn –

**Flourish Women's Conference on
Saturday, 26th September**

And



**Elemental Men's Conference
on Saturday, 10th October**

Booking is now open at: www.hubconf.uk

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CAFÉ CHURCH

Our next Café Church will be held on Sunday, 27th
September focusing on 'Toy Story' – Book the date and
think about who you might invite.

ECO HARVEST SUPPER

The ECO team invite you to come along to our Harvest Supper on



Saturday, 26th September. We will share a meal together and learn more about ECO things from our guest speaker – Sam Ruddock. Tickets will be £10 and will be available from the ECO team during August and September.

BOOK THE DATE

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CHORAL MUSIC TO SOOTHE YOU BY EPIPHANY

A concert of choral music will be held at the URC Wymondham Church on Sunday, 2nd August at 3p.m. Tickets are available from the URC church price £10. The concert is in aid of church restoration.

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OLD NEWSPAPERS AND MAGAZINES – if you have any old newspapers or magazine that you need to dispose of, please pass them to Emma Smith for her to use in making paper mache. Thank you.



We will be holding a TWAM collection on Saturday, 17th October. If you are doing some clearing out during the summer period please think about whether you have anything that can be given to this collection. The tools will be refurbished and sent to the developing world for livelihood creation schemes.

TWAM will take the following items:-

Gardening tools, Builders' tools, Carpenters' tools, Electricians' tools, Mechanics' tools, Plumbers' tools, Power tools, Garage workshop items, Sewing machines, Knitting machines and Fully working IT equipment,;

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BISCUITS – We all enjoy a biscuit with our tea/coffee after the morning service. If you would like to provide a packet of biscuits to enjoy on a Sunday morning, please leave them either with Robbie or Cathy. Thankyou.

WHAT ELSE IS HAPPENING IN WYMONDHAM DURING THE SUMMER

July 30th – 5p.m.–7p.m. – Late night shopping

August 1st – Wymondham Abbey Summer Fair

11a.m. – 7p.m.

August 14th – Abba Tribute – Central Hall

August 15th – Farmers Market – 9a.m. – 1p.m.

August 22nd – Wymondham Abbey Celebration of

Music – 7p.m.

August 27th – Late night shopping

August 30th – Wymondham Rugby Family Fun Day

More information on all these events and much more visit
– visitwymondham.org.uk



PLEASE NOTE

Paul and Emma and the family are on holiday from 15th August to 31st August. Any concerns or needs during this period should be brought to the attention of Gill Price or Vera Cooke. Please do not disturb Paul or the family during their holiday time.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:-

Paul and Emma as they enjoy a time of rest and relaxation, Rose, Frances, Daphne and Vernon, Gill and Kathleen and others who face challenging situations. Pray for all those involved in the plans and preparations for our Celebration weekend and all those who have been invited to join us. Pray for our leaders both locally and nationally.

THE FOODBANK will be open each Friday during the summer between 11.am. and 12 noon.

GIVING – If you would like to give to God's work at WBC, please make use of the digital offering plate near the entrance to the church, through the giving tab on our website-

<https://www.wymondhambaptist.org/Groups/331659/Giving.aspx> or use the wooden offering box at the front of the church. More information is available from the Office.



Roots Community Cafe

Roots will
re-open on
Wednesday
9th
September-
10a.m.

Volunteers still needed, please see Emma.

YOUTH SUMMER POP-UP @ WBC

Event 1 - Friday 14th August, 5.30 till 8pm

🍔💡 BBQ, Mocktail Making, Jewelry Craft, Giant Jenga, Bowls, Badminton and Water Ping Olympics... There's something for everyone! 🔍🎈

We have 9 Secondary School (Year 7 - 12) aged signed up already and space for more.

Let Fiona know if you're coming on 0740 22 22 838, if you're bringing a friend and any dietary requirements or reasonable adjustments 😊

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