

# DOWNTON BAPTIST CHURCH JUNE 2023

**"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 LARDER:** The LARDER is still opening 4 times a week. It is open to everyone. In these more challenging days we ask for food donations to help our community.

**LARDER FOOD:** We are currently running short of food in the LARDER. If you are able to help with donations of food or financially, please see the church website.

**The GARDEN:** The GARDEN is now open on Thursday and Sunday afternoons. If you would like to volunteer as a lead gardener, please speak to Katy. We welcome anyone in the community to share our church garden when it is open. For more info see the church website.

**The JUNIOR CHURCH:** Beth, Naomi and the team are working hard to support our wonderful young people. We encourage you to look at their programme on the church website.

**The WARDROBE:** Friday, 16th June from 2.00 pm- 3.30 pm.  
(Sort out: Wednesday 14th June. If you are able to volunteer please tell Jerry or Sue).

**INNER ROOM:** Sunday, 11th, 18th and 25th of June at 7.00 pm to 8.00 pm. An evening of Contemplative Prayer.

**Church Members Meeting:** Sunday, 25th June at 12Noon following Morning Worship.

**Serving at DBC:** We are currently looking for volunteers for: Sound Desk, IT, Creche and Duty Stewards. See the church website for all serving at DBC.

**Care Home Services (Wednesdays, 2.30 pm) :** This month the Ashley Grange Service is on the 7th June and The Cedars Service is on the 28th June. If you would like to come along, please let Katy know.

## **Future dates for the diary:**

**Holiday Club in July: Treasure Hunters:** 9.45 am to 12.45 am  
26<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> July. Booking Forms on the church website, hard copies can be found on the stand in the foyer.

## **Pastoral Support**

Philip and Katy are available for support. Please call or email.  
(Days off: Philip: Sat, Katy Tue/Sat)

## **Deacons**

Joy Hughes: (Chair)  
Ian Mitchell: (Treasurer)  
Martin Brueton: (Manse)  
Naomi Lloyd-Jones: (Safeguarding)  
Amanda Ivens-Smith: (Fabric)  
Sue Burr  
Jim King  
Diane Bugden

## **Designated Safeguarding Lead**

Chris Anderson

## **Family Support**

Downton 4Family are available for confidential support. Call Helen to find out more: Tel 07393 933145

## **Other help available**

The LARDER: Free food available.  
The WARDROBE: Free clothing  
The FOODBANK: Food parcels  
The GARDEN: A welcome

## **DBC Website**

"Listen again" to recorded Sermons.  
and to see the full Church diary.  
The online diary gives a full list.

## **Mailing List**

Contact forms can be found online or 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.
- There is a Loop System for those with hearing aids. Set to 'T'.
- We have a lift.

## **Church Membership**

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

# JUNE 2023: Worship Services and Regular Events

Date	Time	Detail
Thursday 1st	11.00 am	Morning Worship Led by Ron Hart Reading: Matthew 21: 23-32
Sunday 4th	10.30 am	Morning Worship Led by Denise Mitchell Parable Widow and Judge Creche and Junior Church Reading: Luke 18: 1-8
Thursday 8th	11.00 am	Morning Worship followed by Lunch Led by Philip Rhoades Reading: Matthew 21: 33-46
Sunday 11th	10.30 am  7 pm - 8 pm	Morning Worship Led by Philip Rhoades Parable of the Talents Reading: Luke 19: 11-27 The INNER ROOM Contemplative Prayer Led by Philip Rhoades
Thursday 15th	11.00 am	Morning Worship Led by Katy Ulliyatt Reading: Matthew 22: 1-14
Sunday 18th	10.30 am  7 pm - 8 pm	Fathers Day Morning Worship Led by Katy Ulliyatt The INNER ROOM Contemplative Prayer Led by Philip Rhoades
Thursday 22nd	11.00 am	Morning Worship followed by Lunch Led by Philip Rhoades Reading: Matthew 22: 15-22
Sunday 25th	10.30 am  12Noon 7 pm - 8 pm	Morning Worship Led by Katy Ulliyatt Reading: Matthew 6: 9 Junior Church and Creche Church Members Meeting The INNER ROOM Contemplative Prayer Led by Philip Rhoades
Thursday 29th	11.00 am	Morning Worship Led by Philip Rhoades Reading: Matthew 22: 23-33

Groups	Day	Times	Dates for this month
<b>The INNER ROOM</b>	Sundays	7.00 pm to 8.00 pm	11th, 18th, 25th
<b>The LARDER</b>	Weds/Thurs Mons/Thurs	9.00 am to 10.00 am 6.00 pm to 7.00 pm	Weekly
<b>The WARDROBE</b>	Friday	2.00 pm to 3.30 pm	16th (Sorting 14th)
<b>The GARDEN</b>	Thursday and Sundays	2.30 pm to 4.30 pm	Weekly
<b>The PLAYROOM (Little Club)</b>	Wednesdays	9.00 am to 11.00 am	7th, 14th, 21st , 28th
<b>Foodbank</b>	Thursdays	9.00 am to 11.00 am	1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th
<b>RNID drop-in clinic</b>	Thursdays	10.00 am to 12noon	1st

**Current Volunteers needed at DBC for: Sound Desk, Duty Stewards, Creche and The GARDEN**

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