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2026 Church Text: 'But God.... But Now' (Ephesians 2: 4 & 13)

Sunday 4th October 2026



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10.30am
Rev Andy Gore
Harvest Celebrations
More details below

6.00pm
Healing Prayers

Monday 5th October

Toddler Group	09.30 – 11.15
Jolt	15.30 – 17.00
Prayer Meeting	19.00
Leadership Meeting	19.00

Tuesday 6th October

Table Tennis	10.00 – 12.00
Joyful Noise	19.00 – 21.00

Wednesday 7th October

J3	15.30 – 17.00
FAB	19.00 – 21.00

Thursday 8th October

Coffee Pot	10.30 – 12.00
Thursday Communion	11.00
J2	15.30 – 17.00
Ukulele Group	18.30 – 19.30

Friday 9th October

Toddler Group	09.30 – 11.30
Beginner's Ukulele	14.15 – 15.00

Saturday 10th October

Jolly Crafters	10.00 – 12.00
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Sunday 11th October



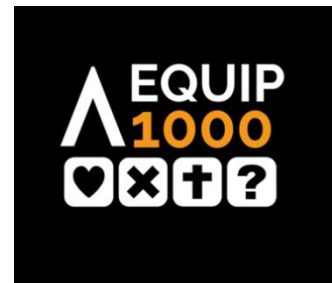
10.30am
Rev Andy Gore
'Goals win Games'

 **Sandia's Baptism**
Celebration 

7.30pm
Embrace

The notices for October will be typed by Gilli Gore.

Please send by Wednesday. Thank You



**14th & 21st October and
4th & 11th November
from 7:00pm to finish by 9:00pm**

This short course has two simple aims:

- 1) for us to grow in confidence in knowing who Jesus is and
- 2) for us to learn to be more confident in speaking about him.

Evangelism is one of the areas in our life as a church which came to the fore in our Vision Day as being important for our future flourishing and growth as a church. I would like to encourage as many of us as possible to come and I will be inviting our local churches in Dronfield as well as churches in the YBA too.

Our course is called '**Sharing Jesus Simply**' and it will be led by Rev Giles Holloway and his team from Arise Sheffield. The four weeks will cover the 'Why, Who and Where' of sharing Jesus simply; hearing people's stories and learning to tell your own story; sharing Jesus' story; and finally, the journey of making disciples.

I look forward to seeing you there
Andy

The Old Testament for the week

Monday 5th

2 Kings 5: verses 1 -

Tuesday 6th

2 Kings 6: verses 1 - 23

Wednesday 7th

2 Kings 9: verses 1 - 16

Thursday 8th

2 Kings: 9 verses 17 -

Friday 9th

2 Kings 12: verses 1 - 19

Saturday 10th

2 Kings 17: verses 1 - 23

"Eat this book"

"What do you think Jesus is saying to you today through Kings?"



25th October Arthur's BIG Day, Baptisms of Jordan & Libby, and their Wedding Blessing

Men's Night out is on Monday 12th October at The Royal Oak, Coal Aston. We meet @ 8.00pm for a chat and then join in the quiz. Everyone Welcome

Can you help? Volunteers needed for the 'Glow' Light Party on Friday 23rd October. The party is 5-7 **We need help from 4:30-7:30pm.** Let Anna know if you would like to be a part of it.

**SHARING JESUS
AND THE BIBLE
SIMPLY**

Harvest 5th October 2026



This year's harvest service is coming up fast and I am really looking forward to it as we have so much happening. Our giving will follow our usual pattern.

Firstly: We will be collecting dried, tinned and packaged foodstuffs for the **Foodbank in Killamarsh** which we have supported for many years.

Secondly: Our financial giving will to **BMS** where we are encouraged to get the whole church involved with Change Agents, BMS' Harvest campaign for 2026.

We'll be asking you to support training work in Sierra Leone, equipping churches all over the country to become agents of change, lifting their communities out of poverty.



There will be special harvest envelopes available for you to use so that we will be able to know which part of the offering is for BMS.

As always may I encourage you to be as generous as you are able.

Thank You Andy

Please begin to sort out your **novels & jigsaws** ready for our sale at the **DronfieldTogether** event at the **Civic Centre on 31st October**. It is very important to remember it is **NOT hard backs unless they are novels as there is no call for them**. As we now have no transport please where possible bring them to us, and if we are not in please leave them in the front porch.

Thank you. Arlene



"My Father's house has many rooms if that were not so, would I have told you that I am going there to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am." John 14 v2-

Every year we have a family holiday in Scotland, in an area known as The Trossachs – and we are still after twenty years awaiting our first heatwave!

Before the grandchildren arrived, we would have a debate each year as to who was bringing the jigsaw. The jigsaw was placed on the dining room table which made family meals difficult. It was normally a 1000-piece puzzle, and it would take us about five days to complete. It always started with enthusiasm—working on the edges, setting the border, while the rest of the pieces sat waiting. Between the nine adults we would seldom pass the table without being tempted to position a few pieces. At first glance, it was impossible to see how everything would come together. Slowly, though, piece by piece, the beautiful picture began to emerge. There were times when no one would go to bed until we'd found just three more pieces! Some would focus on matching colours, while others concentrated on shapes. Sometimes, we'd think certain pieces fitted perfectly, only to find they didn't belong where we expected. So, they'd get set aside, waiting for the right moment to fit in later. Every day, the picture would grow

clearer, revealing a little more of itself as we worked together step by step.

Life is much like that jigsaw puzzle. Sometimes, the pieces don't fall into place the way we expected, or things take longer than we hoped. But our loving Heavenly Father sees the bigger picture. He knows exactly how every part of our life will fit together, even when we can't see it in the moment. As we draw closer to the Lord, day by day, He reveals more of His plan for us. He knows the final outcome - we don't need to know and that can be hard. This requires us to trust when we can't see the pieces coming together.

Even now, He is preparing a place for us with Him in Heaven. How amazing is that! We can trust Him with all the pieces of our lives. He's the master of the puzzle, fitting everything together perfectly in His time. He knows the whole picture.

Moyra Cameron