



Broadfield Christian Fellowship

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NewsFlash!

Sunday 14th September 2025

This morning 10.30am: Morning Worship in the Social Hall
Worship: Kevin Gordon; Speaker: Carolina Morra, John chapter 18

*We offer a warm welcome to all visitors to our worship today
If you would like to know more about us, please ask one of the leaders*

Monday 9.30am: Little Lambs Play & Sing Toddler Group in the Social Hall

Wednesday 9.15am: Coffee Shop in the Social Hall
Including UKHarvest Community Food Hub from 10.00 – bring a shopping bag and fill it from a selection of groceries and rescued produce for a suggested donation of £5

Next Sunday 9.00am: Open up and set up hall for worship
9.30am: Prayer Meeting
10.00am: Tea & Coffee
10.30am: Morning Worship in the Social Hall, including communion
Worship: Viv Evans; Speaker: Dave Evans, John chapter 19

Thought for the Week – from Caroline

Isaiah 30:19-22 *People of Zion, who live in Jerusalem, you will weep no more. How gracious he will be when you cry for help! As soon as he hears, he will answer you. Although the Lord gives you the bread of adversity and the water of affliction, your teachers will be hidden no more; with your own eyes you will see them. Whether you turn to the right or to the left, your ears will hear a voice behind you, saying, "This is the way; walk in it."*

I love this scripture because it's what God said to me in 1990 when I was left to bring up four children on my own and in very stressful circumstances as my home was on the verge of being repossessed. I don't always hear God as clearly as that or often as I would like but I did that time and I've always held on to it.

I do know however that God wants to speak to me all the time just as He wants to speak to you. For me, and I realise we are all different, I find when I speak to God in the same way I chat to a friend when sharing a coffee time I'm much more likely to receive from Him. No flowery words or religious format, just a simple honest, no holds barred "sharing." "No holds barred" means without any rules, limits, or restrictions. It describes a situation where participants are free to do whatever they want to win or achieve something, it's a wrestling term.

I say anything to God that's on my mind, even if I'm angry or saying something some people would class as unacceptable to God, I mean absolutely anything as He knows about it anyway. It's then that He will point something out to me either in a scripture or later in a book I'm reading or in a conversation with somebody or even TV programmes. God can use anything and anybody to communicate with us.

Wouldn't we just love it if our children chatted to us like that instead of holding back or being secretive, especially teenagers.

It's all about trust at the end of the day. We can trust God that He loves us and cares for us even when we spill our hearts out to Him. He knows when we are angry, resentful and hurting and He will guide us back into right thinking. You only have to read some of the psalms written by David to know how much he ranted about things to God, but he always ended on a good note.

If you would like to find out more about what Elliot is doing for the next year in UCCF Relay or support him, please visit his page at <https://www.uccf.org.uk/our-team/elliott-gordon>

Advance Notice

Saturday 27th September, 5.00pm: Christian Family Hang-out in the Social Hall

For we are to God the pleasing aroma of Christ among those who are being saved and those who are perishing.
(2 Corinthians 2:15)