



# Weekly Update

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"Whatever happens, conduct yourselves in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ"  
(Philippians 1:27 - RBC Year Text 2025)

## Sunday 5th January 2025

10-10.15am      **Sunday morning prayer**, Oak Room

10.30am          **Morning Service**  
Worthy of the Gospel

6pm                **Evening service**  
Worthy of the Gospel

To join online worship, please visit [www.romfordbaptist.org.uk](http://www.romfordbaptist.org.uk)

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## This week



### Monday

**The Meeting Place reopens**

### Tuesday

10am

**Needlecraft**

10.30am

**Amaze additional needs group**

2pm-3.30

**Treasure Times**

### Wednesday

10am

**Parents and Toddlers**

12.45pm

**Prayer**

### Friday

10am-12

**Craft Group** (in The Meeting place)

7.30pm

**Youth Club**

### Next Sunday

Morning Worship 10.30am

Evening Service 6pm

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# Prayer



- Please pray for those who are unable to come to church, due to health or mobility issues. Thank God for the live streaming of our services.
- Kindly pray for the new year and for God's blessings upon us.
- May we pray for the children as they go back to school and the church as different activities resume.
- Kindly continue to pray for Joyce Lewis' son Steve, William Cuthbert, Jacquie Rose, Iris Oliver, Keith Carter's son Michael, Maureen Smith's daughter Valerie, Ken Flack, Angela's sister, Marlene, Brian Sharp, Alison Savine and her father Charles.
- Please pray for Mike Simpson as he preaches at Hornchurch Baptist Church this Sunday.

## Prayer Diary

**Prayer Diary** - Kindly collect copies of the January Prayer Diary from the Welcome Desk.



In partnership with

Collier Row & Romford  
**Foodbank**

**This week, the Foodbank needs are:**

Toilet rolls, Washing tablets, Washing-up liquid, Jam, Milk, Biscuits,  
Nappies 4/5/6/7, Carrier Bags

**Donations can be given to RBC Community Care by;**

- putting a marked envelope with cash or a cheque made payable to 'RBC Community Care' in the offering
- by bank transfer CAF Bank Account No 00036848, Sort Code 40-52-40
- via the contactless machine in the foyer

Gift Aid forms and envelopes for RBCCC are available at the Welcome Desk.

**Thank you.**

## Information/Dates to note

### **Grapevine Submissions - 12th January**

Kindly submit any articles you might want to feature in the next edition of the Grapevine to [grapevine@romfordbaptist.org.uk](mailto:grapevine@romfordbaptist.org.uk). The submission deadline is 12th January.

## Evangelism - Day of Emphasis

Evangelism is a task for all Christians. Therefore, on Feb 9, 2025, Rev Chris Duffett, an artist, a Baptist pastor and an Evangelist has been invited to lead, teach and prepare us for Evangelism.

**Feb 9 Morning Service** - Evangelism is it for everyone?

**Feb 9 Afternoon** - Training on Evangelism - Lunch will be provided.

**Feb 15 Saturday** - Evangelism outreach

Everyone is invited.

# Vacancy



We are seeking to appoint a:

**Foodbank and Social Action Coordinator  
(Part time - 21 hours per week, 0.56 fte)**

(Salary £27,200 p.a., pro rata)

This is an exciting but busy role to co-ordinate the Collier Row and Romford Foodbank and other social action ministries of the church and RBC Community Care charity.

You must be self-motivated and enthusiastic, working well - and with initiative - both individually and as part of a team. You must also be able to motivate and support a team of volunteers. A flexible approach will be required. This role also requires a DBS check and an ability to lift food items for the food bank.

For full details and an application pack, or to arrange an informal conversation, please email Steve Street at [info@romfordbaptist.org.uk](mailto:info@romfordbaptist.org.uk).

Closing date for applications is Wednesday 8 January 2025.

# Offerings and gifts

We are grateful to all who give their offerings and gifts to the church. There are several ways to give to the church including online at [www.romfordbaptist.org.uk/giving](http://www.romfordbaptist.org.uk/giving), posting a cheque to the church or bringing your offerings with you.

The BACS details for the church account is: Romford Baptist Church  
Sort Code No. 83 04 25 Account No. 19354486

If you would like to make a contactless donation, you will be able to do this on the machine in the church. We advise that credit cards are not used for this purpose. Further instructions will be provided at the machine.



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