



Welcome to Stanground Baptist Church

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WEEKLY NEWS SHEET: SUNDAY 15TH MARCH 2026

Welcome to this week's news sheet. If you have any questions about anything then do let us know.

We do not take up an offering during the service as many of our congregation give by bank transfer. If, however, you wish to give towards the work of the church then there is an offertory plate on the communion table.

Sunday 15th March 2026 our morning service will start at 10.15am, when we celebrate Mothering Sunday. Junior Church will meet during the service.

Tuesday 17th March we will hold our usual prayer meeting from 7pm – 8pm in the schoolroom. Please enter through the side door.

Saturday 21st March the Refresh Women's conference will be held at Melton Mowbray Baptist church.

Sunday 22nd March our morning will start at **10.15am**. Junior Church will meet during the service.

The service will be followed by **our Church AGM and an ordinary church meeting**. Two deacons have been re-nominated to stand for the diaconate.

A reminder that you all should have been given a form about **using gifts from God**, if you have not been given one, they are at the front of the church – please help yourself. Please can you return these to one of the deacons by **Sunday 15th March 2026. Thank you.**

Easter Services:

April 2nd Maundy Thursday 7pm Communion.

April 3rd Good Friday all age service at 10.30am

There will also be the usual Walk of Witness from Stanley Park leaving at 10am to walk to Cathedral Square for an open air service.

April 5th Easter Sunday a service of celebration will be held at 10.15am when we will Decorate the cross with flowers.

Easter Breakfast:

This will be held at 8,30am on Easter Sunday. If you wish to attend, then please sign up on the list in the schoolroom. Everyone welcome.

At the Easter Sunday service, we will be holding a thank-offering as we give thanks to God for his provision for the church. We are deeply grateful for our new AVA system and we are also looking to renovate the baptismal pool, more details will follow in due course.

Prayer and family news:

This week we are praying for:

Don't forget the prayer chain is working and having some good results.

If you are aware of any specific need then please use between 8am – 10pm.

Other specific items for prayer:

- The situation in Ukraine & the Middle East and for those involved in trying to achieve lasting peace in the regions.
- Also please remember the residents and staff at Kingfisher Court as we are unable to hold church services there at the moment.

Peterborough Foodbank: PLEASE NOTE UPDATED LIST OF NEEDS BELOW

We are still collecting items for our local foodbank.

The need locally is still growing and sadly donations are declining due to the cost-of-living increases. Please place items in the green crate as you enter church.

Foodbank needs are:

those in bold are urgently needed

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Instant Mash	UHT Semi skimmed milk	Long Life fruit juice
Tinned/Packet Soup	<u>Bottles of squash</u>	Tinned fish
<u>These are also required please:</u>		
Toilet Rolls	Puddings and desserts	
<u>The have already got plenty of:</u>		
		<u>Tinned Vegetables</u>
<u>Baked beans</u>	<u>Pasta</u>	
Porridge Oats		