



Community
Church

Nov 2025 – Jan 2026

FAMILY

News



Following Jesus Together



People of Presence

First this: God created the Heavens and Earth—all you see, all you don't see. Earth was a soup of nothingness, a bottomless emptiness, an inky blackness. God's Spirit brooded like a bird above the watery abyss.

God spoke: "Light!"

And light appeared.

God saw that light was good
and separated light from dark.

These are the words that open the pages of scripture in Genesis 1:1-3 as found in Eugene Peterson's *The Message* paraphrase. They speak of a world with no life, no form and only darkness. But from the nothing, God created.

How did he create? With His voice. When God speaks things change. Life comes, darkness flees, emptiness becomes full.

At the time of writing the clocks have changed and the nights are drawing in. For many people in our world this is not just something in the natural, but it is also how their lives feel emotionally and spiritually.

Cost of living, health struggles, relationship breakdowns are just some of the ways that darkness covers people's lives, some of the ways that it can seem like an inky blackness. But when the darkness feels at its deepest the light seems to shine at its brightest.

We have been looking at what it means to be a people who **hear** and **speak** God's word. To be a **People of Presence** that reveal the truth of who God is. There is an openness to the gospel at this time and increased opportunities for us to **speak** of God's goodness. Let us be a people who respond to this moment; **speaking** out truth knowing that these creative Kingdom words have the power to bring forth light and transform lives.

2000 years ago, the world was in darkness, but then the light of Jesus was revealed. When the voice of Heaven spoke, the world was changed forever!

Dan Lush

WHAT'S ON

2	Sun 2 Nov ALL IN: Sunday Gathering
	Sun 2 Nov Musicians' Jam Session
	W/C Mon 3 Nov Family Hubs
	Sat 8 Nov Saturday Sessions
3	Sun 9 Nov Sunday Gathering
	Wed 12 Nov In Pursuit
4	Sun 16 Nov Sunday Gathering
	Sun 16 Nov Welcome Lunch
	Sun 16 Nov Hope Huddersfield Prayer Meeting
	W/C Mon 17 Nov Family Hubs
1	Sun 23 Nov Sunday Gathering
	Starts Sun 23 Nov Welcome Course
	Wed 26 Nov Learning Together
	Sat 29 Nov Aladdin Family Panto
	Sat 29 Nov Churches Together Ceilidh
2	Sun 30 Nov ALL IN: Sunday Gathering
	Sun 30 Nov Musicians' Jam Session
	W/C Mon 1 Dec Family Hubs
	Fri 5 Dec Women's Wreath Making Workshop
3	Sun 7 Dec Sunday Gathering
	Wed 10 Dec In Pursuit of His Presence
	Thu 11 Dec Carols Around Paddock
	Sat 13 Dec Worship on the Streets
4	Sun 14 Dec Sunday Gathering
	Sun 14 Dec Christingle Service
	W/C Mon 15 Dec Family Hubs
	Tue 16 Dec Melody Makers Christmas Party
	Thu 18 Dec Melody Makers Christmas Party
1	Sun 21 Dec Christmas Celebration
2	Sun 28 Dec ALL IN: Sunday Gathering
	W/C Mon 29 Dec Family Hubs
	Sat 3 Jan Worship on the Streets
3	Sun 4 Jan Sunday Gathering
	Wed 7 Jan In Pursuit of His Presence
4	Sun 11 Jan Sunday Gathering
	W/C Mon 12 Jan Family Hubs
1	Sun 18 Jan Vision Sunday
	Starts 21 Jan Turn the Battle
2	Sun 25 Jan ALL IN: Sunday Gathering
	Sun 25 Jan Musicians' Jam Session

Sunday Gathering

Join us at 10.30am at Jubilee Centre

ALL IN: SUNDAY

30 November, 28 December, 25 January

Every month we come as a whole church family, every age, ALL IN together. Starting with a morning cuppa, and breakfast treat, we then sing, dance, listen and laugh as we worship Jesus together. Are you ALL IN?

Please note: On Sunday 28th December there will be no breakfast and coffee will be at the end.



21 December

Join us for our Christmas Celebration! All ages are welcome as we celebrate the birth of Jesus together.

VISION Sunday

18 January – Vision Sunday

Join us for a very special Sunday gathering as we look back at what God has done in 2025 and look forward with expectation to 2026.

We'll hear from the leadership, pray and then feast together. Bring a packed lunch for yourself and then something to contribute to the dessert table!

DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

8 March Pioneer Sunday

23–26 July Wildfires

MUSICIANS' JAM SESSION

**Sunday 2 Nov, 30 Nov & 25 Jan
12:15pm (No session in December)**

We're having a great time at the musicians' jam. A new sound is coming as budding musicians start to play and worship together.

Why not join us whatever age you are?

If this is something you're interested in, then sign up using the link which will be in the Midweek News Email just so we have some rough numbers for the day and know which instruments we've got!

FAMILY HUBS

Family Hubs are our small group gatherings where we work out our faith in community. They take place mid-week in people's homes or online via Zoom.

For more info

Contact familyhubs@cchud.co.uk

Week commencing Monday:

- 3 November • 17 November
- 1 December • 15 December • 29 December
- 12 January • 26 January



1-3 MAY
QUINTA HALL
WEEKEND AWAY
SHROPSHIRE
2026

Since the days of the Old Testament, the people of God have set time apart to leave their homes and gather for a few days to worship and hear the word of God together.

In 2026 we'll be gathering for 3 days at The Quinta in Shropshire. We'd love you to join us!

We don't want finance to be a barrier for people. Please speak to a member of the leadership team if you need support in this area.

Full booking sheet (including cost) is available from the Church Office or use the link in the Midweek News Email to book your place.

For the curious

Try Alpha.

DATE TBC

Curious about faith? Need a space to explore the Christian faith? Then you are invited to join us for Alpha.

Alpha is a space to come and ask the big questions.

We'll be running a course in the new year.

If you are interested, please get in touch with the Jubilee Centre office.

Also, If you would like to help at Alpha please get in touch!

Alpha

IN PURSUIT

>>>>>>>>>> of His Presence

Wednesday 12 November, 10 December
and 7 January | 7:30pm-9pm | Jubilee Centre

As the people of God, everything we are and everything we do should come from being in His presence. Every month we'll give an evening over to pursuing him and seeking his face. As we worship him, we trust that he will change us and direct our prayers.

Welcome Lunch

Sunday 16 November
After the Sunday Gathering.

Are you new to Community Church?
Would you like to find out more?

Then join us for lunch after the Sunday meeting when you'll have a chance to hear from the leadership team, ask questions, eat together and meet some friendly faces.

Welcome Course

Sunday 23 & 30 November
After the Sunday Gathering.

Following on from our Welcome Lunch we will be running our Welcome Course for those who would like to explore membership of Community Church.

PRAYER WHATSAPP GROUP



PRAYER MEETING

Sunday 16 November
Holy Trinity Church, 6:30pm

Join us as we join together with other churches to worship and pray for a move of God in our time.

WEDNESDAYS | 2.15PM-4PM



JUBILEE CENTRE

CEILIDH DANCE

CATHEDRAL HOUSE
HUDDERSFIELD

Come and join us for a Ceilidh Dance on
Saturday 29th November - 4pm

This is a Hope Huddersfield event



Hosted by



Huddersfield Christian
Fellowship

Doors open at 3:45pm, with live music
from the Dogsboddy Ceilidh Band.

Alongside the lively dancing, enjoy a free
pulled pork sandwich and mulled apple juice!

This is a Hope Huddersfield event for all
ages, aimed at helping build community
between churches across our town. Bring
your friends, family and plenty of energy.

Cathedral House,
St Thomas Rd,
Huddersfield, HD1 3LG

SCAN FOR
FREE TICKETS



For more information and to book tickets, scan the QR code above
or visit: www.ticketsource.co.uk/cathedralhouse

LEARNING TOGETHER

WED 26 NOV | 7:30PM | JUBILEE CENTRE

THREE FEASTS OF ISRAEL

Our Learning Together sessions are currently
focussed on helping us understand how the
Old Testament points to Jesus.

This term we are looking at the Three Feasts
of Israel and how they point to Jesus and
the Church. In November's session we'll look
together at The Feast of Tabernacles.

21-23 JANUARY | 7.30PM | JUBILEE CENTRE

TURN THE BATTLE

UK & IRELAND

"We sense a decisive moment — a spiritual battle
at the gate — calling the Church to respond with
urgency, unity, and humility."

We'll gather each night to seek God with a fresh
commitment to prayer, consecration and bold living.

TURN THE BATTLE IS A NATIONAL MOVEMENT OF PRAYER AND FASTING
FIND OUT MORE AT: TURNTHEBATTLE.UK

Christmas Closure Dates

Jubilee Centre will be closed for
the Christmas break from
Friday 19th December and
reopen on Monday 5th January.

The only exceptions to this are Sunday
mornings and the Christmas Day meal.



MONDAY MORNING zoom PRAYER SESSIONS

**We meet every Monday
morning on Zoom at 8am.**

See the link in the
Midweek News Email.



A photograph of a brick wall covered in colorful string lights. An acoustic guitar is leaning against the wall on the right side. The text 'Shine Your Light' is overlaid on the left, with 'org.uk' in smaller text below it.

Shine
Your
Light
org.uk

WORSHIP ON THE STREETS

Matthew 5:14 in The Message says, "You're here to be light, bringing out the God-colours in the world. God is not a secret to be kept. We're going public with this, as public as a city on a hill."

SATURDAY 13 DECEMBER | 11.00AM

In December we'll be gathering with people from other churches for a very special Worship on the Streets, as we sing Christmas carols, give out treats and bless our town together! All as part of the national Shine Your Light campaign. ***Please note the date is the 13th not the 6th.***

SATURDAY 1 NOVEMBER & 3 JANUARY | 11.00AM

We meet in the town centre once a month a couple of guitars, some songs (planned and unplanned) and hopefully with you. Together we'll make space for God to move. There is no sign up to be involved but it would be helpful to join the information only WhatsApp group, to receive the location on the day. The link will be in the Mid-week News Email.

A photograph of a large, ancient tree with thick, gnarled roots and green foliage.

Saturday Sessions

Rooted in Community

Saturday 8 November, 9:30am–2:00pm

Join us for a morning of community and learning together as we work through our four discipleship pillars. In November we will look at what it means to be ROOTED IN COMMUNITY. There will be teaching, worship, children's work and a chance to dig into the practical together.

We are delighted that Mike Reid from Elim will be speaking during our main session. Alongside this we'll be eating breakfast (provided) and lunch (bring your own) together

Sign up through ChurchSuite or on a Sunday morning.



CHRISTMAS

events



SAT
29
NOV

FAMILY PANTO ALADDIN

£8 per person, Jubilee Centre.

Doors open at 2.30pm.

Performance starts at 3pm.

BOOK IN ADVANCE TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT
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WREATH MAKING WORKSHOP

Free, Jubilee Centre. Women Only.

Join us for a Christmassy evening, making a beautiful wreath to take home. Hosted by globe arts. Drinks & nibbles will be provided.

BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL
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CAROLS AROUND PADDOCK

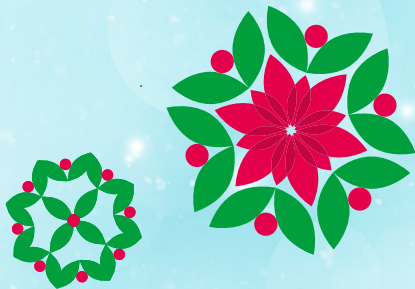
Free, Paddock. 6.15pm. We will be gathering to sing carols around our local community in Paddock.



SAT
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CAROL SINGING IN TOWN

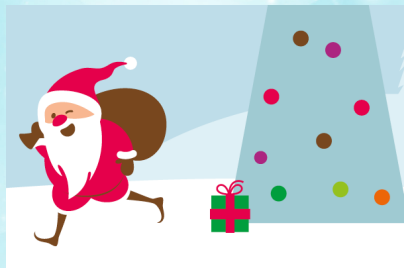
Free, Town Centre. 11am–12 noon. We will gather to sing Christmas carols, give out treats and bless our town together.



SUN
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CHRISTINGLE SERVICE

Free, Jubilee Centre. 4–5pm Join us for a joy filled celebration of the light of Jesus. All ages are welcome to join us with every child getting a Christingle to take home.



TUE
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DEC

MELODY MAKERS CHRISTMAS PARTY

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£7 per child / £3 per adult, Jubilee Centre. 10.00am – 12 noon. Refreshments, brass band and carols. Toys, crafts and games. Santa's grotto and present.

ADVANCED BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL
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SUN
21
DEC

CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

Free, Jubilee Centre. 10.30am. Join us for our Christmas Celebration! All ages are welcome as we celebrate the birth of Jesus together.



WED
25
DEC

CHRISTMAS DAY MEAL

Free, Jubilee Centre. 12 noon – 4.00pm. A Christmas day meal and celebration for all those who would either be on their own, or for other reasons wouldn't have a merry Christmas at home. Free transport may be available.

TO BOOK A PLACE OR TO VOLUNTEER
CALL 01484 551551





Dig Deep to Branch Out

This Christmas many in our community are facing hardship, struggling to afford food, stay warm, and feel connected.

You can help The Branch provide emergency food, essentials and long-term support.

Make a donation
(one-off or monthly) at
www.thebranch.uk



Share our mission
with family and friends

Organise a fundraiser

Follow and support us on social media
#DigDeepToBranchOut

The Branch



Free
support for
your health, confidence
& future

Are you out of work due to health issues?
Feeling isolated or unsure of your next steps?
Wellness Works is here for you.

Join us for:

Coffee mornings, gentle exercise and creative workshops

Support groups to improve your mental health and wellbeing

Help with CV's, volunteering and skills development

Foodshare, uniform exchange and practical support

If you're interested in finding out more, please get in touch.
There will be no pressure, just people who care.



call us on 01484 551551



Drop in to see us
Jubilee Centre,
HD1 4SH

Scan the QR



Ways of Giving

We are on a journey of generosity.

If you would like to give to the work of Community Church you can do that by going to cchud.co.uk/giving



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