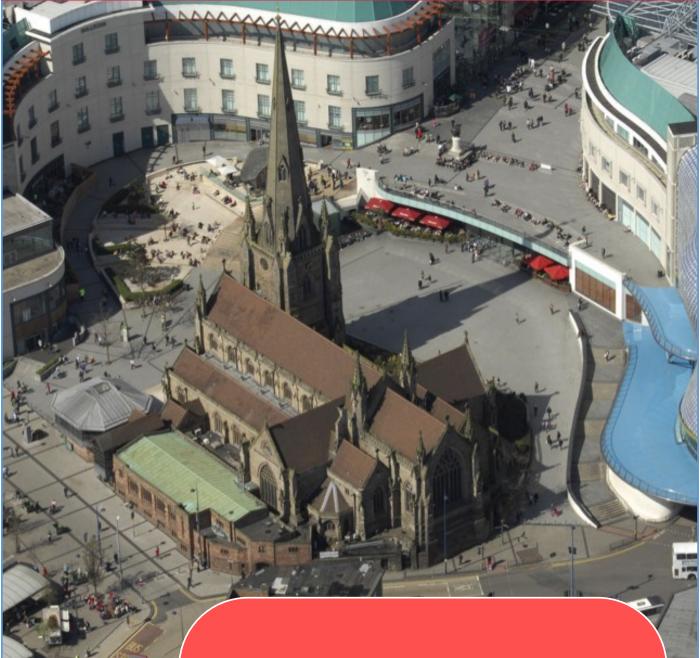
UNIVERSITY OF CHRISTIAN UNION



CHURCH GUIDE 2021-22

Information on all the CU recommended churches in the area to help you choose the church that is right for you!

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Why should church be an important part of your university experience?

The Christian Union is NOT a church

- The CU is a missional community that exists to give every student on campus a chance to hear and respond to the gospel of Jesus Christ so lacks the pastoral care required for spiritual growth
- The CU is student-led so lacks the wisdom of mature Christians
- The CU's beliefs are based on the UCCF doctrinal basis and teaching is based on evangelism to non-Christians so the CU doesn't give teaching on all aspects of how Christians should live out their lives
- We believe it is more important that you join a local church than the CU. We'd love you to join both, but if you only have time for one of the two, please choose church.

The bible tells us church is important

- Meeting with other Christians and being taught God's word is how we grow spiritually and its only when we have been built up in church community that we are able to develop the Christlikeness we require to reach non-Christians
- Church provides us with guidance, wisdom and accountability from older more mature Christians, not just students
- The spiritual discipline practiced by regularly attending church at university are a good indication of those you will keep later in life.

USING CHURCH GUIDE

Choose some from the church guide you are interested in

Visit them over the first few weeks of term.

Decide on a church to grow in and be part of.

Top Tips for Finding a Church

- Ask your home church leaders if they can recommend one it may well be that they know a good church or have some contacts for you.
- Try a couple of different churches and not necessarily just what you're used to but try not to keep church-hopping. Choose one to settle at.
- Don't be put off by just one service especially if it's not one of their normal ones try the church at other times too.
- Don't look for the perfect church many people never settle in church because they
 are looking for a church which doesn't exist just find somewhere which is faithful
 to the Bible, focused on the gospel and welcoming, and stick with it, even if it's not
 exactly how you would like it!

Questions to ask of a church

- Is the church faithful to the gospel of Jesus Christ and does it teach the Bible? (Titus 1:9)
- Do the church leaders submit themselves to God's word? (Titus 1:7-9)
- Is there genuine concern among believers to spur one another on in their faith?
 (Hebrews 10:24-25)
- Is the church obviously a Christian community where people love one another? (1
 John 3:11-18
- Can I imagine feeling at home here and getting involved with the life of the church?
- Is it somewhere I could bring a friend?

Church Reps

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-Anchor Church



At Anchor Church we long to see Students flourish into all the Father has called them to be and to partner with God in rewriting the story of our city, you are welcome to join the adventure!

Sundays

Each Sunday we gather together to worship, pray, listen to teaching and hang out together.

We currently meet around the City Centre of Birmingham at 3:30PM on Sundays.

Check our Instagram (anchorchurchuk) or website (www.anchorchurch.uk) to find our current location.

Table Meetings

We have tables meeting all around Birmingham, so you should be able to find one near you. It doesn't cost a penny, just an evening of your week

get in touch

My names Will and I'm the student pastor at Anchor. I love wildcamping, coffee and seeing Jesus move in students lives. Feel so free to reach out. will@ranchorchuch.uk 07514784655



Callum Ncolson—07743492768 "I chose to belong to Anchor as I loved their heart for deep, genuine community, authentic worship and a deep desire to be more like Hm"



·The Birmingham Chinese Evangelical Church



The BCEC is a Chinese-heritage church that has been in Birmingham for over 25 years. Our church, has three language congregations, with a great mixture of families, undergraduate and post-graduate students, and young working adults. It's a place where many students have been able to make deeper connections, grow in their personal relationship with God, and be challenged to see the world with fresh perspective. Our church is welcoming to all people, and has British Born Chinese, people from Malaysia, Singapore, HK, China, Taiwan, and other parts of the world.

Every Sunday we have 5 services, covering English, Cantonese and Mandarin. We also have different University focused ministries throughout the week.

English Service — 09:30 and 18:30

The English Speaking Ministry at the BCEC has a range of families, young working adults, university students, and youth. Our 9:30 service has our children's ministry, and our evening service has a more relaxed vibe to it. Our University ministry, CORE, meets on Wednesday evenings.

Cantonese Service — 11:30 & 13:30

Our 11:30 Cantonese language service has a children's ministry, and there's a second service at 13:30. There has been real growth with many new HK immigrants joining our services. It is a welcome place, especially for those from HK who are adjusting to life in the UK.

Mandarin Service — 15:30

Our Mandarin language service starts at 3:30 and is a combination of families and students from China. It's a great place to find community for those who have come over from China or Taiwan, and prefer worshipping in Mandarin.

BCEC Central 14 Upper Gough Street Birmingham, B1 1JG

For more information visit our website: http://thebcec.org.uk
You can check our University Ministry CORE on Instagram @core_thebcec



BIRMINGHAM VINEYARD EXISTS TO HELP PEOPLE FOLLOW JESUS, LIVE LIFE TO THE FULL AND MAKE A DIFFERENCE. OUR VISION IS TO START GROUPS, COMMUNITIES AND CONGREGATIONS, WHERE PEOPLE CAN ENCOUNTER GOD.

HAVE ANY QUESTIONS?

Send Hannah a message at youngadults@birminghamvineyard.com



SUNDAY SERVICES

Our services are in person, at our City Centre site and happen every Sunday at 10:30AM (this service is also livestreamed) and 17:30PM. Our South Birmingham site will be reopening later this year, follow us on social media to stay updated.

YOUNG ADULTS

Young Adults is a group of 18-30ish year olds that are keen to build community across this age group whether studying, at work or at home! We are a strong and supportive community of students and young adults who live life to the full, with purpose and freedom, building authentic relationships with jesus and one another so that we can equip each other to make a difference as we serve the church and wider community.

We meet at our City Centre site every second Saturday of the month at 1930PM

Follow us on social media @bvyoungadults to stay updated!

SMALL GROUPS

We've found that the best way to make new friends in a large church is through our small groups. They meet across the city on different days and at different times and are simply places to journey life together as smaller communities within the church. These groups are a place where you meet with friends, find support and encouragement, get to know people, and be known yourself.

Take a look at www.bvc.so/small-groups to find a small group near you.



We know moving to a new city can be tough and it's not always easy to find a community that feels like home.

Our team would love to meet you and take you for a coffee, tea or other preferable beverage.

Visit www.bvc.so/youngadults to book a time!

FRESHERS EVENTS

Morning service catchups

These happen after our AM services and will be bosted by a member of the YA team. Depending on the day this could be popping out for a coffee, going over to someones house for lunch or heading to the pub.

Evening service puddings

Join us after the PM service for puddings and a chat with our Young Adults, it's a great opportunity to meet new people and build friendships.

These events will take place after each service on the following dates

26 September 2021 3 October 2021 10 October 2021



LOOKING FOR A CHURCH IN BIRMINGHAM?

Join us for our Freshers BIG Welcome. This will be a day broken down into small bite size talks about who we are as a church and what we believe. There will be plenty of time to meet new people, eat great food and spend time in worship together.

The event will take place at our City Centre site on 9 October 2021. Visit www.birminghamvineyard.com/youngadults to find out more

WWW.BIRMINGHAMVINEYARD.COM



▲ Christ Church, Selly Park



Venue: Christ Church, 953 Pershore Road, Selly Park, B29 7PS

Finding us: We are on the A441, almost opposite the entrance to Hobson Road.

We are on bus routes 45, 45A, 47 and 47A Meeting times: Sunday 10.30 am and 6.30 pm

W: http://christchurchb29.org/

T: 0121 471 2379

E: info@christchurchb29.org.uk

We are a welcoming, Christian community of all ages from Selly Park and South Birmingham. We are committed to enabling growth in relationship with God and each other within the ethos of an open evangelical, charismatic Anglican Church. Our modern church building has been designed to be multipurpose, so that we can use our facilities during the week to serve our local community. Our worship services are informal and relaxed, and we incorporate a variety of styles of music. Post lockdown we have started to meet again in person and on Zoom in homegroups and after church services.

Our values include being

- · Passionate about living out God's word
- Prayerful and dependant on the Holy Spirit
- Committed to whole-life worship
- Dependant on God's grace
- Responsive to God
- Hospitable, welcoming and accepting
- Genuine in our relationships
- An open, inter-generational community
- Engaged in wider social and global issues
- Committed to effective communication





Nexus is our group for students, international students, postgraduates,

and other adults aged 18-30s. About 12-15 members currently take part in regular social activities. Members are not expected to commit themselves to being at church every week and may be anywhere on their spiritual journey. Nexus also runs a monthly bible study (lately on Zoom) with recent topics being relationships, work, faith development, racism, and climate change.

We would love you to join us for any of the activities, services or home groups!

For more information ask to speak to Ellie Wallace-Howell or Matt Fox on info@christchurchb29.org.



Welcome to the best city in the world. We're glad you're here.

After such a tough 18 months for students new and old, we're a church family committed to welcoming and caring for you. More than that, we have a longing to see Jesus the most talked-about person in this part of the city and want to release you to play your part in that on campus.

Join us. We gather on Sundays just over the road from the Guild.

Sunday Venue: King Edward VI Girls School, opposite the Guild of Students (B15 2UB).

Time: 10.30am, Sunday mornings.

Website: www.churchcentral.org.uk/south | Email: hello@churchcentral.org.uk



The part you can play:

We encourage students to get stuck in and help make Churchcentral South all it can be. Students are on loads of our teams, helping with welcoming, leading worship and our youth, kids and tots work. Come and grow by mucking in.

Stuff for you:

Being part of our Sunday mornings, our smaller Community Groups, the Student Weekend Away and our open-house social gatherings will help you connect deeply with God and others during your student years.

Stuff for your mates:

Your Uni years are some of the best moments for authentically living out your faith alongside people who don't know Jesus. We want to help you make the most of that!

Our services and our Community Groups regularly integrate people who are 'just looking'.

Plus regular guest events and Alpha courses can help you bring friends to Jesus.







@ChurchcentralSouth

Tom & Emma - 07831 624007

@ChurchcentralStudents



City Church is a young, Bible-based church in the heart of Birmingham. We believe that the Bible is God's word, and that Jesus is God's Son: the way, the truth and the life. We love having students in our church family and would love you to make City your spiritual home. We pray that God would use your time in Birmingham for His glory and for your good.



our aims

serving

To equip students for serving God's family in Birmingham and around the world.

discipleship

To invest in discipleship and help you follow Jesus in every area of your life.



for students at city...

To build a

community of

from God.

StudentPlus on a Sunday evening is the hub of our student ministry - a weekly dose of community and fun, getting into God's word in small groups. We also love to link students up with older Christians for 1-2-1 mentoring, or have you 'adopted' by the church family for home-cooked hospitality. We host an annual Weekend Away and Guys' and Girls' Getaway. We are delighted when students offer to serve in various ministries such as children's work, set-up, etc. Check out our website for more information!

"We proclaim him, admonishing and teaching everyone with all wisdom, so that we may present everyone mature in Christ.".

Colossians 1:28

ON A SUNDAY ...

City Church et Edgbaston High School for Girls, B15 3TS 10:30am - Morning Service 6pm - Evening Service 7:30pm - Student Plus

If you're a student and new to Birmingham, or interested in finding a church, we'd love you to fill out a Welcome Form (visit citychurchstudents.com and click on the 'Contact Us' page). We can offer to get to know you a bit better over coffee/tea/cold drink (look out for an invite from one of our staff or student team)!



citychurchstudents.com



@students_at_city

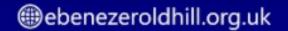


City Church Students

Assistant Pastor: craig.summers@citychurch.org.uk

Student Worker: claire.kendrew-jones@citychurch.org.uk







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Ebenezer Baptist Church

We would love to welcome you to Ebenezer Baptist Church. It would be great if you could join with us on Sundays. We are now meeting back in person. Our services are also uploaded and streamed on YouTube, so feel free to find us online.

Meetings:

- Sunday services:10:30am + 6pm
- Midweek Bible study:
 Wednesday @ 7:30pm
- Young Life:
 Saturdays @ 7pm
 (please message for location)

We're approximately a 15-minute drive from campus and offer lifts – please contact David dls614@student.bham.ac.uk or 07500 239715) or Grace (07975 824855).

We are restarting our free Sunday student lunches after the Sunday morning service from the beginning of term.





Ebenezer Baptist Chapel, Station Road, Old Hill. B64 6PA



Hello!

"Gallery Church is a friendly and creative community based in a stunning Victorian factory building just outside the Jewellery Quarter – 19 Harford St. We meet here from 10.30 on Sundays and our small groups meet for dinner, chats and prayer twice a month all over the city.

We are a church plant based in the heart of Birmingham with the aim of exhibiting Jesus to the city and sharing the good news. We will support you as you do that in your own space, plus there's plenty to dive into here, too, if you choose. All kinds of incredible teams keep our Sundays wonderful and welcoming, plus specialist events throughout the year – are you passionate about creating safe spaces for women? Exploring the intersection between faith, science and other disciplines? Making church accessible to the metal music subculture? Welcoming international students? Come explore!

We love to laugh at GC and it's a place you'll find friendship, be inspired and be challenged. Our church is not full of students – instead, you'll be welcomed as one of our own, mixing in with all our families and young professionals. And we're sure many students will love it!

We want to welcome, encourage and support everybody—and that includes you. We'd love to see you!"







OUR HEART IS TO SEE EVERY CAMPUS ENCOUNTER THE LOVE OF JESUS.

WE LOVE HIM. IT'S ALL ABOUT HIM.

COME GATHER WITH US AS WE WORSHIP HIM

EVERY SUNDAY 6PM

THERE'S FREE FOOD AND HANGS AFTERWARDS!

GAS STREET CHURCH 41 GAS STREET, BIRMINGHAM, B12JT

GASSTREET.CHURCH/STUDENTS

@GASSTREETSTUDENTS



THE GATE CHURCH

Welcome to our first class second city!

Whatever has led you to arriving in Birmingham, we hope and pray it is a season of great blessing and growth in your life and faith – to this end, please make it a priority to connect with a local church.

About us...

We're a church family right at the heart of inner city Birmingham (near Five Ways), just 1.5 miles from the Vale. We first gathered as a church in 2014 to drill deep into our local communities and help people in inner city Birmingham love Jesus more and more.

We worship Jesus, love each other and serve our local community. We are committed to working out what living as followers of Jesus looks like in 21st century UK.

What you can expect...

As well as gathering every Sunday to do all the usual's you would expect from church, we spend lots of time with our 'Gospel Families' throughout the week meeting to encourage and support one another, read the Bible, teach one another, pray, reach out to others, and have lots of food and fun!

We don't have focused student groups, but our students have always loved being treated like a 'normal church member' and escaping the student bubble and building genuine, deep friendships with non-students.

We are a relatively small, community minded family church – so if you are looking for somewhere to really belong, get stuck in, be served as well as serve, and want join us in our mission we would love you to come visit us some time! You will be warmly welcomed.

To connect with us...

To find out more about who we are, what we believe, and what life at The Gate Church looks like:

Contact: Jonny Richards, Pastor - jonny@thegatebham.org

Website: https://www.thegatechurch.co.uk/



Visit us Sunday 10.30am



We're all about about helping people love Jesus and more

We're a growing church in an exciting neighbourhood. We seek to reach out and welcome people in.

Hospitality

We enjoy opening our homes and sharing life together. Student lunches are organised every Sunday.

Discipleship

We want to grow as individuals and as a church. We'd love to pray and read the bible with you 1-2-1.

f @ @gracestirchley

Contact Josh@gracestirchley.org for more info





Who we are

At King's Church we want to give everyone the opportunity to get to know God for themselves, find true freedom and purpose in their lives and make a difference in the world. We would love to meet you and show you what it's like to be part of the King's Church family!

What we do for students

For our students it's all about pursuing God's call together and we do that by being:

- Family We're called to be a family of believers, and our students are a valuable part of the whole church family, getting involved through Sunday meetings, weekly life groups, and church wide events.
- Disciples We want students to continue learning what it means to be a son or daughter of God, and to
 chase after Him and His purposes for you. We do this through regular student events and discipleship.
- Missional We love doing outreach on campus and students having the opportunity to work with the social
 action organisations that we partner with at King's Church.

Contacts, where and when

We meet at Harborne Academy every Sunday at 10:30am, come and join us! We spend time worshipping and hearing from God together. After the meeting, we enjoy catching up with family and we would love to get to know you!

We'll be running student events especially for you, so come along and hear more about them, or contact Chloe.

You can also check out our social media pages for all our updates and events.

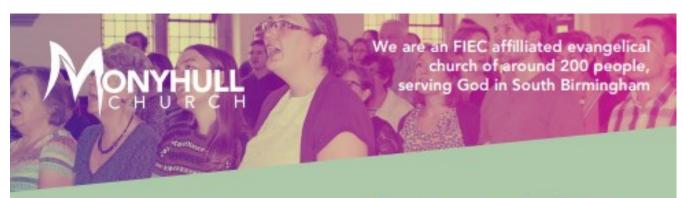


This is our student worker Chloe who would love to meet you! If you have any questions, please get in touch on 07391663073 or chloelb@kingschurchbirmingham.org

Website www.kingschurchbirmingham.org

Instagram @kingschurchbirminghamstudents





Supporting Students

Our aim is to support and encourage you for the duration of your studies, and to do all we can to equip you for university life and beyond.

The church family provide student Sunday lunches (some of the meals are the stuff of legend), lifts to services and midweek meetings. You will be known, loved and cared for by the whole church family as you live out university life.

Welcome to our wonderful City! We hope you have an amazing time as you seek to serve Jesus at University.

We are a community of ordinary people whose lives have been changed by the good news of Jesus Christ. Our greatest desire is to glorify God and share this message with people of all ages and backgrounds.

SUNDAYS

11am Service & 6pm Service

FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

8pm on Wednesdays at various locations across the city. These are our weekly midweek Bible and Prayer groups; a chance to get to know people better.

Involving Students

Whilst we don't have a student specific program, we encourage all students to play a full role in the life of the church family and to get involved in a Fellowship Group. You will get to know all kinds of people with opportunities to serve and be served.





Venue: South Street, Harborne, Birmingham, B17 0DB

Website: www.theoasischurch.com

Contact: Rich Bowpitt | richard@theoasischurch.com

At the heart of our community are two key values, simply defined as loving God and loving people. So, out of that, we think that church should feel like home. a place to feel safe, welcomed and accepted; a place that's fun, messy, real, and where there is always room for others. That's who we're trying to be as a community – a bunch of ordinary people who've seen how Jesus changes everything, and are giving ourselves to loving God and loving others because of that.

Sundays

Our Sunday gatherings don't define us as a church, but they are an essential part of Oasis life. There are two main elements: a time of centring on and celebrating in God in worship, and enjoying practical and dynamic teaching from the Bible. These take place each week at our building on South Street, Harborne, starting at 10:30am, and are also being streamed online via our website to enable anyone and everyone to join in.

Visiting a new church for the first time can be a daunting experience, so if you head to our website and hit the 'Oasis On Demand' link, you'll be able to watch the recordings from previous meetings; giving you a chance to try it out, get a sense of what's going on, and see what you think, all from the comfort of your own home.

Students

We love the fact that Birmingham is the youngest city in Europe, and have a thriving community of Students and 20s who are involved right across the community with times to connect together through meetings and socials, midweek small groups, and serving in all sorts of different areas of church life. We love to help students feel like one of the family, and our name 'Oasis', describes who we are and who we want to be – a place of refreshment, growth and connection - whether Birmingham is for you a stop on the journey or a place to stay and build home.



Where - Oddingley Hall, 18 Oddingley Rd, Birmingham, B31 3BS.

When - 10:30am

How to get there - Northfield station is 3 stops from Selly Oak.

Oddingley Hall is a 15 minute walk from Northfield Station

Contact: Jon Fielder

T: 07525 611835

E: hello@redeemerbirmingham.org.uk

W: www.redeemerbirmingham.org.uk

We are a small local church reaching the social housing estate we meet on. Our desire is to increasingly love deeply and share widely the goodness of God in Jesus, impacting individuals, families and the community. There are many needs in the area but we believe Jesus, His gospel and His church are the answer. Our three values are Guts, Grit & Grace, if you are up for an adventure then please come along and check us out.

-Riverside Church



Riverside Church: Bringing life to all generations in all communities across Birmingham and beyond.

Venue: Central Hub, Riverside House. 21 Alcester Road, Moseley, Birmingham, B13 8AR.

Sundays Gatherings (in-person and online) - 10:30am to 11:45am

For full information about what happens at Riverside throughout the week and for links to our online services please visit our website.

Riverside is a church made up of people from a diversity of backgrounds and experiences all with one thing in common; our discovery of God and His amazing love. Whether online or inperson, we hope you feel at home and that you will find our weekly services, events and groups welcoming and relevant to your life.

Based on that inspiring passage in Ezekiel 47:1-12, it's an exciting time to come along to Riverside Church. We meet together to experience and explore life together in the week within 'Life Groups' and 'Community Groups'. Each Sunday morning, we gather together at our 'Central Hub' (Riverside House). We love- to welcome students at any of our gatherings. In fact, we have a long history of doing just that! You can expect Bible teaching relevant to your life, inspiring worship services and a loving community that wants to make a difference across this city. Look out for our 'Riverside 18-30's (Gather)' events via the events page of our website. We run various local community projects that you could get involved with. We also have a pastoral team who are available to meet for coffee, chats and prayer.

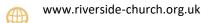
Come yourself, bring your friends and let's make a difference together.

Contact: Caroline Webb info@riverside-church.org.uk

0121 442 4484



https://www.facebook.com/groups/RiversideChurch.Gather





St Bart's Edgbaston is a growing Christian community listening to God's word, leading transformed lives in the power of the Spirit, and serving our local community.

Our main Sunday gatherings happen at 9.30am (informal and family-friendly) and 11.00am (more traditional, with Holy Communion); in between the two services we gather as one church family for refreshments.

We also have an evening service, Barts@6: time to catch up over pizza and doughnuts, followed by informal sung worship, hearing God's voice in the Bible and responding in prayer and praise. This September, we're starting a new series at Barts@6, thinking about the most central and precious things in our lives — our relationships — and how they connect with God and what it means to know him.

We're 3 minutes walk from the Vale Village, and would be delighted to welcome you to be part of our church family, and to serve and support you during your time at uni. There are lots of ways to join in – linking up with a church family for (proper) Sunday lunch, joining a community group for support, Bible study and prayer, serving on one of our teams that help make Sundays happen, and much more.

Find out more about us at www.edgbaston.church, or get in touch – with our curate and student worker, Charlie Butler: 07388685561 or charlie@edgbaston.church, or our church rep, Verity Kingman: 07935792107 or veritykingman@hotmail.co.uk.

FB/Insta/Twitter: @edgbastonchurch

st johns harborne

A HEART FOR GOD, OUR CITY AND THE NATIONS

Students - welcome to Birmingham! St John's is an evangelical Anglican church that is multigenerational and passionate about students! Your three (or more) years at university are a key time for you to grow independently and discover your own journey of faith with Jesus. Finding a local church that will help you deepen your faith as well as live and speak for Jesus at university is central to that. We are committed to providing students with opportunities to meet, learn, serve and be supported. Our students gather together fortnightly, but there are also plenty of other events to meet members of the wider congregation. We'd love to meet you at St John's, to get to know you, and learn how we can help you in your relationship with Jesus during your time at university!

Food & Socials

Each Sunday from 26 Sep –
17 Oct our 20s & 30s and
Student teams would love to
invite you to stay after our 18.00
Sunday gathering, so we can
get to know you more and so
you can meet members of our
church family and ask any
questions you have over dinner.

Sundays

We gather on Sundays - at 10.00 & 18.00 (our 10.00 is also live streamed on YouTube).

Most of our students and 20s & 30s come to the more open and relaxed evening gathering.

Community

From Tue 12 Oct we will be running a fortnightly student small group to worship, encourage, pray, read the Bible and eat together. We would love to meet you there and for you to come and try it out!





Rooted for Students

Our passion is to see students knowing Jesus better and joyfully living for Him, as we listen to His Word the Bible, even in the shadow of a global pandemic!



Tuesdays, 7-9pm e St Wulstan's, Alton Road, B29 7DU
In normal times we meet together for food, a short talk,
Bible study and prayer. We are planning for a return to
normal times this autumn, as restrictions allow.

Connect with us online for up to date info:

Website: www.sssw.org.uk/students/ Instagram: essswchurch Email: ben.wellsesssw.org.uk

There's loads more we do too - meals, one to ones, weekends away - we want to equip you to live for Jesus in all of life. We'd love to meet you!

Join us on Sunday!

Online: www.sssw.org.uk/sunday-services-online/ In normal times: 10am e St Stephen's, B29 7HU 6pm e St Wulstan's, B29 7DU

Final Word From Us

We hope this guide helps you find a church to belong to, serve and grow with! We'd love to attend a service with you. Contact a student rep (listed on page 5) or Adele (ubcu.vicechair@gmail.com, 07938051793) to organise your Sunday morning or to give you a hand with where to start looking in the hunt for your university church.

Final advice

Before you arrive:

- You can start finding out about churches before you even arriving in the city by contacting church reps (listed on page 5) and church leaders (via the email addresses provided in our church listings)
- You can connect with churches via social media
- You can watch online services to get a feel for the church before going in person if you feel that will be helpful or reassuring

When you arrive:

- Be active in searching out churches as soon as you arrive
- Remember to bear in mind no church is perfect but you want to find the best fit for you
- Settle as quickly as possible to ensure you can put down roots
- Get stuck in! There are so many ways to get involved with and serve in a local church