

# Hello

It's great to have you here. Please help yourself to a drink and bite to eat, it's all free and available from the refreshments area.

## Connect

If you're new here, the team would love to meet you. Come over and chat to someone at the Connect area, it's the best place to find out about:

### Exploring faith

If you've got questions about faith or would like to learn more about Jesus please pick up a copy of 'Why Jesus' and 'Changing Lives'. They're available from the entrances. If you're new to following Jesus we'd love to give you a New Believer's pack.

### Getting involved

If you're thinking about making Trent Vineyard your church, pick up a copy of 'Trent Life'. It's packed with information about what we do and how you can get involved. Serving is such an important part of being involved at Trent, so if you're not already on a Sunday or midweek team please pick up a Connect card and let us know what you can do!

### Small Groups

Belonging to a small group is the best way to feel known and make friends. Groups meet at various times and days across Nottingham and beyond.

## Newcomers' Meals



We'd love to invite you to join us for a meal. Newcomers' lunches and dinners are a great opportunity for us

to meet you and for you to get to know some of our staff and small group leaders. We'll share our personal story and the vision God has given us for Trent Vineyard.

Newcomers' Dinner / 19 May  
Newcomers' Lunch / 24 June

If you'd like to come along, have a chat to someone at the Connect area or email [newcomers@trentvineyard.org](mailto:newcomers@trentvineyard.org).

We hope to meet you soon.

John & Debby

## Alpha course

An opportunity to ask questions and explore faith.

[trentv.org/alpha](http://trentv.org/alpha)

# ABOUT US

## Kids and Youth

There's lots of exciting things happening for kids and young people during the AM service. Sign in from 10:15. Kids younger than school year 1 meet in the warehouse, the welcome desk is outside G2 on the ground floor. Trent Kids (school years 1-6) meet in the Kids' Centre and Trent Youth (years 7-13) meet in the Youth Centre.

## Students

You can find out about all our student events and small groups at the Connect area at the morning service or come and say hello at the Young Adults and Students desk after the evening service.  
[students@trentvineyard.org](mailto:students@trentvineyard.org)

## Café Trent

Open Sunday 09:00 - 14:00 and 17:30 - 19:00. The morning service is live streamed for parents with babies.

## The Arches

The Arches is our practical resource centre providing furniture, household items and support to those in need. Donations of items in good condition, particularly furniture, curtains, kettles and toasters are welcome.

Handheld items can be dropped off at The Arches on the first Sunday of each month after the morning service.

[thearchesnottingham.org](http://thearchesnottingham.org)

## Arches Attic

Vintage and retro shop supporting the work of The Arches. Open Tues and Thurs 10:00 - 13:00, Sun 12:00 - 13:30. Card payments accepted.

## TDA

Trent Debt Advice provides free confidential debt and budgeting advice to anyone.

[trentdebtadvice.org](http://trentdebtadvice.org)

## Prayer meetings

**Pre-service prayer** (every Sunday)  
09:30 / 18:15 / Prayer room

**Men's and women's prayer**  
Every Tuesday (term-time) / 07:00

## Baby and Toddler groups

**Bumps to Babies**  
Thursdays / 14:00 / Kids' Centre

**Baby and Toddler Haven**  
Friday (term-time) / 10:00 / Kids' Centre

[kids@trentvineyard.org](mailto:kids@trentvineyard.org)

## Overseas

**Persecuted Church prayer meeting**

Today / 17:30 / F2

Call Kay Bowdler  
07946 469 270

**Zimbabwe**

Today / 18:00 / F3

Call John Delaney  
07984 162 670

To find out more head to [trentvineyard.org](http://trentvineyard.org)

# WHAT'S HAPPENING...

## Invitation Sunday

Today

At both services, we're taking a closer look at some of life's big questions. What's the meaning of life? Is there a God? These services will be great for those who are exploring faith or new to church, and to invite friends and families to.

## Alpha

Starts this Thursday / 19:30

Alpha is an opportunity to explore faith and discover more about Jesus in a friendly and informal environment. It's an 8 week course with a delicious free meal, a short talk and time for group conversations.

[trentv.org/alpha](http://trentv.org/alpha)

## ZŌÉ

From September, Discipleship Year becomes ZŌÉ, which means life. Jesus came to give us life to the full. ZŌÉ is a year built in community, designed to help you grow as you seek God, His life and His calling. Applications are now open.

[trentv.org/zoe](http://trentv.org/zoe)

## Baptisms

Sunday 20 May / 19:00

If you're interested in getting baptised, we'd love to invite you to find out more. The first preparation meeting is 29 April, 17:30. Sign up at the Connect area. Contact Ben Hyett.

## Worship Dance

Tomorrow / 20:00 / Youth Centre

Join us as we explore dance and movement as a form of worship.

[worship@trentvineyard.org](mailto:worship@trentvineyard.org)

## Songwriting Workshop

Starts tomorrow / 20:00

Two sessions over two consecutive weeks exploring the craft of songwriting. There will be some practical tips and an opportunity to get creative.

[trentv.org/songwriting](http://trentv.org/songwriting)

## Freedom in Christ

Starts this Tuesday / 19:30

13 weekly sessions exploring spiritual maturity, freedom and fruitfulness by gaining a greater understanding of our identity in Jesus. Cost is £10. Limited places available.

[trentv.org/freedom](http://trentv.org/freedom)

## DTI

4-7 May / Newark Showground

Trent Youth are heading to Dreaming the Impossible, the national Vineyard youth festival for 11-18 year olds. A weekend of worship and loads of activities.

[trentv.org/dti](http://trentv.org/dti)

## Discipleship Year +

DY+ starts again in September, for information or an application form visit the Connect area.

Contact Sue Borghisani.

Unless otherwise stated emails are [firstname.surname@trentvineyard.org](mailto:firstname.surname@trentvineyard.org)

## TVFC - Cup Final

This Thursday / Dunkirk FC, Lenton Lane  
Our football team have reached the final of the Midland Amateur Alliance League Intermediate Cup. We'd love your support at which promises to be a good game. Please arrive by 19:00.

[trentv.org/tvfc](http://trentv.org/tvfc)

## Nottingham Citizens

Thursday 10 May / 18:00 / The Albert Hall  
Nottingham Citizens is holding their Annual Assembly in Nottingham to celebrate all that's been achieved the last year and to look ahead at upcoming projects and campaigns.

[trentv.org/citizens](http://trentv.org/citizens)

## Coming soon

Thy Kingdom Come / 10-20 May  
Trent Kids Extreme Day / 31 May  
YA Gathering / 31 May  
YA Away Day / 23 Jun

[trentv.org/events](http://trentv.org/events)

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## Fire safety

The alarm will sound in the event of a fire. Please leave immediately using the nearest fire exit, the assembly point is in the overflow car park. Children signed in to Trent Kids will be evacuated with their groups.

## Child safety

Children remain the responsibility of parents and carers in and around the building, except when signed in to Trent Kids / Trent Youth.

## My ChurchSuite

Sign up to events and keep up to date with our calendar. If you're a member of Trent Vineyard and haven't yet received your invitation to join, email [connect@trentvineyard.org](mailto:connect@trentvineyard.org)

## Notes

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