

# Church Weekends Away in **KESWICK** 2023

Join us for a Churches Weekend Away in Keswick in the heart of the Lake District, a World Heritage Site.



**Keswick Ministries is hosting two weekends for churches to enjoy excellent Bible teaching, sung worship and the time to gather together in a wonderful location. Each Churches Weekend will be for 3-6 churches with a core programme organised for you, along with the time and space to share fellowship and enjoy the beautiful Lake District as a church family throughout the weekend.**

**It is our hope and prayer that these weekends will provide space for fellowship, fun, encouragement and refreshment to all who attend.**

# Key Details

## When?

31st March - 2nd April 2023

## Who's it for?

For churches with a group booking of under 100 people.

## Accommodation

Accommodation should be organised on an individual basis. There are plenty of bed and breakfasts, hostels, hotels, self-catering cottages to choose from in Keswick. Keswick Ministries also has a number of rooms in its Skiddaw Street centre available. There is of course also the option of camping!



## Main Speaker

**Paul Mallard will be delivering the teaching for the weekends away. Paul has served as pastor of churches in Chippenham and Worcester, since being**



**called to pastoral ministry in 1982. For four years he was part of a pastoral team in a church in Birmingham while being engaged in itinerant ministry throughout the UK. He is now the pastor of Widcombe Baptist Church in Bath. Paul is married to Edrie and they have four children and five grandchildren.**

## Sung Worship

**For the past 10 years, Colin Webster and Phil Moore have been familiar faces at the Keswick**



**Convention. They have been leading worship there for over 10 years now and many people appreciate the sensitivity and warmth with which they lead. They both serve on the staff at Cornerstone Church in Nottingham and have written several congregational songs together.**

## Kids and Youth Work

**Churches will have the space made available to provide their own Children's and Youth programme if they'd like to run one.**

# Timetable

## Friday:

**16:00: Rolling arrival, refreshments and space to connect up with others.**

18:30 – 20:15 Rolling buffet dinner

20:15 – 21:15 **Session 1**

21:15 – 22:00 Refreshments and social space

## Saturday:

8:30 – 9:00 Church morning prayers (optional)

9:00 – 9:30 Refreshments

9:30 – 11:15 **Session 2**

11:15 – 11:45 Refreshments

11:45 – 13:00 Seminars

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 18:00 Free time

17:00 – 18:00 *Potential for something optional run by individual churches.*

## Saturday Cont:

18:00 – 19:15 Rolling buffet dinner

19:15 – 20:30 **Session 3**

20:45 – 22:00 Evening Entertainment options

## Sunday:

8:30 – 9:00 Church morning prayers (optional)

9:00 – 9:30 Refreshments

9:30 – 11:15 **Session 4**

11:15 – 11:45 Refreshments

11:45 – 12:45 All age service with communion

12:45 – 14:00 Lunch and depart



### Price per person:

**Adults: £45    Ages 4 - 18: £20    3's and under: Free**

Included within this cost is the provision of lunches, evening meals and refreshments.

### How to Apply

If you would be interested in finding out more, or would like to sign your church up to one of the weekends, please contact Carolyn South at [Carolyn.South@keswickministries.org](mailto:Carolyn.South@keswickministries.org).

A 10% deposit is payable on registration when you will be asked to provide an estimated minimum and maximum number of attendees expected from your church. Ten weeks before the event we will ask for final numbers, and a 65% payment. This will give you a period of time to confirm attendee numbers from your church. The last 25% will be invoiced after the event.

*We look forward to hearing from you and welcoming you to Keswick!*



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