



RIVERSIDE  
CHURCH

***DISCOVER BELONGING***

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***RIVERSIDE IS A CHURCH MADE UP OF PEOPLE FROM A DIVERSITY OF AGES, BACKGROUNDS AND EXPERIENCES.***

## ***WELCOME***

We have one thing in common, our discovery of God's amazing love for us.

The church began in 1984 with a vision to reach out to people across Birmingham, helping people throughout the city to get to know Jesus and grow as his followers.

Whether this is your first contact with us or you are keen to get more involved, we long to help you understand more of God's love for you and how you can play your part in helping others to do the same.



**WE LOVE MEETING TOGETHER IN DIFFERENT WAYS, IN DIFFERENT PLACES, THROUGHOUT THE WEEK. OUR SUNDAY GATHERINGS TAKE PLACE IN THREE LOCATIONS.**

# SUNDAYS

**MOSELEY/KINGS HEATH - 10:30am**

Queensbridge School | B13 8QB

**BOURNVILLE - 10:30am\***

Dame Elizabeth Cadbury

Technology College | B30 1UL

**WORD OF HANDS - 11:00am\***

1st Sunday in a month Riverside House | B13 8AR

We long to be as accessible as we can, to help as many people as possible to experience the good news of Jesus.

\*BSL (British Sign Language) is provided at Word of Hands (1st Sunday) and Bournville (2nd, 3rd, 4th Sundays).





***IN A CHURCH OF OUR SIZE, MOST PEOPLE FIND IT HELPFUL TO MEET REGULARLY IN DIFFERENT SMALLER GROUPS DURING THE WEEK, AS WELL AS MEETING TOGETHER ON SUNDAYS.***

## **GROUPS**

**COMMUNITY GROUPS** are around 20-25 in size, and meet in different places across the city. Many have an active focus on helping people in the community to experience what a difference Christianity makes, as well as a great way to connect with the church family.

**LIFE GROUPS** are smaller than community groups and help people to go deeper in understanding God's great love, and what it means to be a follower of Jesus and live for him here in Birmingham.

If you would like more information, please email [info@riverside-church.org.uk](mailto:info@riverside-church.org.uk)



Got questions  
about life

Alpha


## ***ALPHA***

Alpha is a chance to explore and question the meaning of life.

Over a series of ten sessions, you'll find out about the basics of the Christian faith. Each session involves a main talk and some time to discuss what you think.

It's fun, relaxed and free, and you can ask anything you like (that's why over 22 million people worldwide have already tried Alpha).

For more information, see:  
[www.riverside-church.org.uk/  
explore](http://www.riverside-church.org.uk/explore)



***RIVERSIDE CHURCH EXISTS  
TO HELP PEOPLE GET TO  
KNOW JESUS AND GROW  
AS HIS FOLLOWERS, IN  
BIRMINGHAM AND BEYOND.***





***HERE AT RIVERSIDE CHURCH, WE  
LONG TO HELP PEOPLE GROW AS  
CONFIDENT FOLLOWERS OF JESUS.***

## ***GROW***

We therefore put a big emphasis on understanding how the bible applies to our lives; worshipping and praying together; taking opportunities to meet together; and doing all we can to serve each other and the community.

You'll find lots of opportunities to grow spiritually and express your gifts and talents. Our passion is to see you realise all of God's purposes for your life and to develop into the full potential that he has for you.



***WE BELIEVE CHILDREN ARE THE  
CHURCH OF TODAY, AS WELL AS  
BEING THE CHURCH OF TOMORROW.***

## ***CHILDREN***

We want to give children and young people good role models, a healthy spiritual framework to their lives and a desire to share their faith.

At Riverside we provide a safe, well-equipped and caring space to bring your children up knowing the love of Christ in their lives. Children of all abilities and needs are welcome with us.

Children's Church meets alongside our Sunday services. During each gathering, children are invited to head off to their activities in age-related groups.





**OUR PASSION IS TO SEE YOUNG PEOPLE ACROSS BIRMINGHAM REALISE ALL OF GOD'S PURPOSES FOR THEIR LIFE AND TO DEVELOP INTO THE FULL POTENTIAL THAT HE HAS FOR THEM.**

## **YOUTH**

Our youthwork is split into two age groups:

**ROC SOLID** - 11 to 14 years  
Term time on Fridays (7-8.30pm) at Riverside House, and on Sunday mornings for young people in school years 7-9.

**MIFF** - 15 to 18 years  
Term time on Fridays at 8.30-10pm at Riverside House.

**GROUPS** meet throughout the week in year groups. These are a place to understand more of what it means to be follower of Jesus.



***IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR A CHURCH  
TO BECOME INVOLVED WITH, WE  
HOPE THAT YOU FIND A PLACE TO  
BELONG AT RIVERSIDE CHURCH.***

## ***BELONG***

Many come to Riverside without any church background and are simply looking at the Christian faith as well as many with a strong faith and everything in between.

We are dedicated in all that we do to provide an atmosphere where people can grow closer to God and each other. Riverside offers ministries specially designed for the needs of men, women, couples, single adults, youth and children of all ages.



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