

## Who we are...

Hay Hill Baptist Church is a community of Christians who share a common faith in Jesus Christ and a desire to follow his pattern for life, as revealed in the Bible. Our young people are an important part of our community and we have age specific groups for them to explore what it means to have a faith in Jesus in a way that is appropriate for them.

## Useful Information

If you have a child in Tiddlywinks or Hay Hill Kidz 1 or 2 please take them to the their groups on the ground floor. You will be given a card when they enter their group, which you will need to return when you collect them at 12 pm.

When a child joins one of our groups a carer will be asked to complete a registration form.

All our youth and children's leaders and helpers are volunteers and are CRB checked.

## Contact Us

If you would like to know more about our youth work or have specific questions about one of our groups please contact Lea Lawton or one of the team leaders.

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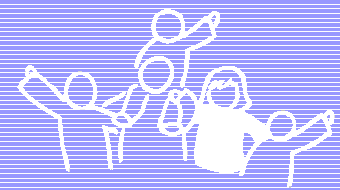
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## Youth Work

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Together, Following Jesus

## Sundays

We meet together at 10.30am for a time of collective worship before under 16s go into groups for age appropriate teaching. Everyone else stays for a mix of worship and teaching relevant to everyday life.

## 0-4s Crèche & Tiddlywinks

A **Crèche** is available at the back of the church in a soundproof room for babies. This is a space for parents to take their babies but if your baby is happy please feel free to stay in the service.

**Tiddlywinks** meets on the ground floor and is for children aged 0-4 once they are sitting up and starting to play.

Tiddlywinks is a leader led group that aims to introduce the basic concepts of God, creation, prayer, worship etc through stories, songs, craft and fun.

The session starts with circle time where the morning's theme is introduced normally through a short story before the children enjoy a healthy snack and drink. The children can then participate in a craft activity or play before the session is rounded off with a couple of energetic songs.

Parents are welcome to leave their children or stay with them.

**Team Leader:** Gemma Shearman

## Hay Hill Kidz - 4-11s

**HH Kidz** also meet on the ground floor behind Tiddlywinks. They are split into 2 groups:

## Hay Hill Kidz 1

**Hay Hill Kidz 1** is for school years reception to year 2. This group is leader led and aims to introduce the bible and teach children how to handle their bibles. Key bible stories are used around the framework of the church year (Old Testament / Gospels / New Testament). The children in HHK 1 are encouraged to explore spirituality and how to apply what they learn to their lives.

## Hay Hill Kidz 2

**Hay Hill Kidz 2** is for school years 3 to 6. This group is leader led and aims to give an overview of the 'Big Story', helping children to see how things connect together. The framework of the church year is used (Old Testament / Gospels / New Testament) and the children in HHK 2 are encouraged to explore spirituality and how to apply what they learn to their lives.

**Team Leader:** Paul Williams

## Underground - 11-16s

**Underground** meets in the basement and is for school years 7 to 11. The group focuses on discipleship and looks at how the Bible is relevant to what is going on in their lives and the world around them, looking at ethical issues and questions of faith. They continue to explore spirituality and how to apply what they learn to their lives. They are also encouraged to use and develop their gifts by serving in the church. The sessions will include a mix of discussion, prayer, games, role play and video clips.

**Team Leader:** John & Lea Lawton

## Sunday Evenings - 15-18s

**Sunday evenings** are for school years 11-13. School years 12 & 13 are part of the main service on a Sunday morning but we recognise the importance of having age specific teaching. Sunday evenings meet in the home of John & Lea Lawton fortnightly (19.30-21.00). Sessions are a mix of bible study, discussion and prayer and explore how Christianity relates to the world in which we live. The group agrees topics and content.

**Team Leader:** John & Lea Lawton