

SERMON NOTES

Hesed: The Astonishing Kindness of God...

#2 ...is not to be mistaken for weakness

Exodus Ch 24:6-7; John Ch 1:1-18

God's astonishing kindness is not weakness...

... but searingly honest

... but wonderfully optimistic

... but perfectly fair

Conclusion – the missing piece?

ROTHERHAM
Evangelical Church

Sunday 26th July, 2026



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WELCOME

We hope you enjoy your time with us & learn more about Jesus Christ. If you are visiting, there's more info about REC on the table as you enter the building. Also, make sure to collect a welcome pack, fill out the **connect card** & leave it with a leader. This program should answer some practical questions & guide you through the service.



Refreshments are served every Sunday from 3:45pm. Please do join us for that time so we can get to know you better.



Toilets & a baby-change station are located across the corridor and can be accessed through the door at the rear of main hall. Please also make use of the area at the rear of the hall if you need a quiet spot or some more space for your baby to move around!



We provide kids programs for four different ages during the service: Crèche (0-4yrs), Sparks (Reception – Year 2), Ignite (Years 3 – 6) & Ignite + (Alternate Weeks Years 7-10). Children in crèche and Sparks must be dropped off and picked up by parent or guardian. If your child/ren plan to attend any of our Sunday or mid-week ministries, please make sure to fully register them by scanning this QR Code.



What's on at REC?

This Week

Today | 6:15pm

Care Home Ministry

CANCELLED

Sunday 2nd August | 4:15pm
Worship Service

Broom Church

*Refreshments served from 3:45pm

Summer Socials

Friday | Clifton Park | 6-8pm

Every Friday through the summer holidays.

We'll meet behind Clifton Park Museum

As many of you will know, our calendar is usually filled with a wide variety of events and activities throughout the year. Over the summer, however, we will be taking a break, giving everyone a chance to rest and enjoy time with family and friends. Our regular programme of events and ministries will return in due course, and we look forward to gathering once more.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Song: *And Can It Be*

Welcome & Call to Worship

Ruth Robinson

Song: *O Praise the Name*

Interest Slot

Prayer

Song: *There is a Hope*

————— Break —————

*Children & young people meet their group leaders who will be wearing coloured lanyards.
Ask a group leader if you are unsure where to go.*

Bible Reading

John Ch1:1-18 (p. 1063)

Chris Davey

Song: *It Is Well*

Sermon

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Ian Jones

Song: *O Lord My Rock and My Redeemer*

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