

EQUIPPING TO SERVE

Motivating and Mobilising Members

Our churches believe some magnificent Scriptural truths that delight heart and mind. We want every member to grow in their appreciation of them and be moved to serve the Lord as a result. But is that happening? And if not, why not? If members aren't showing commitment, what's causing that? If men aren't offering themselves as candidates for pastoral ministry, what's hindering them? These are the types of questions we're aiming to address at GBA '26. We want to consider how to improve Christian discipleship in the local church and how that can inspire Christians to serve Christ's kingdom.

Chola Mukanga will give us starting thoughts on our topic and **Robert Strivens** will look back at how churches handled this area in the past. The Assembly will have an open discussion in our forum session. We look forward as ever to the preaching of God's Word and have asked **Peter Schild**, **Matthew Gray** and **Simon Green** to bring messages from the Scriptures to help open up our subject.

Reports from churches in the UK and overseas are also a regular part of our programme. These sessions always prove to be a great blessing. If you're able to contribute and tell us what's been happening in your local fellowship then please get in touch.

The Assembly's purpose is to help and strengthen churches and we'd love to see you there.

**THE ASSEMBLY COMMENCES WITH LUNCH ON TUESDAY AND
ENDS AFTER LUNCH ON THURSDAY**

£250 per person

with £20 early bird discount

BOOKING, PAYMENT AND DISCOUNT INFO IS ON OUR WEBSITE

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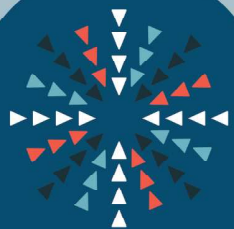
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**GRACE BAPTIST
ASSEMBLY**

19th - 21st MAY 2026

King's Park Conference Centre, Kings Park Rd,
Northampton, NN3 6LL



GBA 2026

Christians, workers, leaders
and, especially, churches
coming together

ASSEMBLY PROGRAMME

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Tuesday



PETER SCHILD

12:15 PM ARRIVE

12:45 PM LUNCH

1:30 PM STEERING COMMITTEE

2:00 PM OPENING SESSION
Matthew Gray

4:00 PM TEA

4:45 PM OVERSEAS REPORT

6:30 PM DINNER

7:45 PM EVENING MINISTRY
Peter Schild

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Wednesday

7:45 AM PRAYER

8:30 AM BREAKFAST

9:30 AM EQUIPPING TO SERVE
Chola Mukanga

10:45 AM COFFEE

11:15 AM HISTORY PAPER
Robert Strivens

12:45 PM LUNCH

1:30 PM

2:00 PM ASSEMBLY BUSINESS

4:00 PM TEA

4:45 PM UK CHURCH REPORTS

6:30 PM DINNER

7:45 PM EVENING MINISTRY
Peter Schild

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Thursday

7:45 AM PRAYER

8:30 AM BREAKFAST

9:30 AM OPEN FORUM

10:45 AM COFFEE

11:15 AM CLOSING SESSION
Simon Green

12:15 PM LUNCH & DEPART



MATTHEW GRAY



ROBERT STRIVENS



SIMON GREEN



CHOLA MUKANGA