UK *Weekly* Community Update

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Family Camp

Another memorable Family Camp has come to an end, with participants leaving with many happy memories. From 24–29 July at Cleeve House, families enjoyed the chance to slow down, spend meaningful time together, and take part in a wide variety of activities. Young people made new friends, and shared plenty of unforgettable moments throughout the week. The friendly team competition kept spirits high from start to finish, with the Welders celebrating a well-earned victory as this year's champions.

On August 1st, William and Ruth Haines invited many diverse members of the community for a barbecue in their lovely garden and cottage home in Eastcote. It was a wonderful occasion for everyone to share their thoughts and family updates across generations, different community groups and backgrounds. And on the 2nd, North of Thames had their first outdoor service for this year in the Watford Peace Garden at Cassiobury Park, bringing them close to God, our heavenly creator and parent, as well as to each other.

North of Thames

Scotland

On 2 August, members from across Scotland gathered at the McCluskey residence in Glasgow for Sunday service, followed by a barbecue in their garden. After weeks of poor weather, the sunshine felt like a special blessing, creating a beautiful atmosphere for fellowship and connection. Fifteen members attended the service given by Eric and enjoyed a meaningful time together. Annabella shared, "If people come, it's a blessing for our family to be able to accommodate our brothers and sisters. We are happy to share with the community." As a former chef, she said the gathering in their garden felt just like a restaurant, with everyone enjoying time together.