KINGSGATE TRANSFORMING LIVES

OUR MISSION

TRANSFORMING LIVES FROM OUR NEIGHBOURHOODS TO THE NATIONS BY THE POWER OF GOD'S LOVE

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Welcome to KingsGate Community Church! It's so great to have you with us and we hope you'll feel at home with us.

KingsGate is full of people of all ages, backgrounds, and cultures whose lives have been transformed by the power of God's love. Wherever you are on your journey of faith, there's a place for you to flourish in our KingsGate family. We're passionate about helping you belong and grow.

We hope you'll join us again soon!

Jave and Karen

Dave & Karen Smith



OUR STORY SOFAR

Over the years, KingsGate has grown into the multicultural, intergenerational family that we are today. Some of our key milestones include...

1988

EARLY DAYS

1988 - 2006 - A HOME OF OUR OWN

2010 - CAMBRIDGE CALLING



Dave and Karen left Oxford and moved to Peterborough, where they felt a call to build a local church that would impact the city, the region, the nation, and beyond.



We held our first meeting, where nine people gathered together in Dave and Karen's living room.



As the church grew, we rented venues across the city of Peterborough. In 2006, after several years of praying, planning, and incredible sacrificial giving, the Peterborough congregation moved into a brand-new, purpose-built facility.



We launched our KingsGate Cambridge campus. Led by Campus Pastor Chris Sharman, who moved to Cambridge as a student, the congregation continues to grow.

YOU CAN BEPART OF THE STORY!

2014 - LEICESTER LOCATION



2021 - ONLINE CAMPUS

TODAY



We launched our third campus in Leicester. Led by Campus Pastor Josh Gardiner, who was born and raised in the city, it's a thriving, diverse congregation.



We celebrated our 30year anniversary as a church and looked back at the amazing story of God's faithfulness so far.



After moving our services online in response to the COVID-19 pandemic, we launched our KingsGate Online campus. Now anyone, anywhere can be part of KingsGate!



God is continuing to write our story. Much has happened before, but we're even more excited for what's ahead and the prospect of you being a part of the chapters that are still being written...

TRASFORMED We're passionate about helping every person who is part of KingsGate experience continual transformation, so we focus

on these four priorities:

KNOWNG GOD

God wants to have a personal relationship with you and we want to help you get to know God and develop in your relationship with Him through prayer and worship, reading the Bible, and coming along to our Sunday services.



God wants all of us to live in freedom. Sometimes the cares of life and our past experiences can weigh us down. We run a number of courses to help you live in increasing measures of freedom.



GROWING IN

More than just a place to go, the church is a family where you can belong. One of the best ways is to join a LifeGroup, which are a vital part of our church community. You also have the opportunity to discover and develop your gifts, and partner with us to see lives transformed by joining one of our amazing Serving Teams.

This is God's ultimate plan for our lives - to make a difference in the lives of others. We're committed to helping equip and support you as you represent Him in your everyday life. We also get to make a difference together through our giving - our work with local and overseas missions partners is making a real difference in people's lives.

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You may be new to church, the Christian faith might be something you're just beginning to explore, or you may have been following Jesus for some time.

Whatever stage you're at, you can keep growing on your transformation journey. The Discipleship Pathway at KingsGate is designed to help you. It's focused around four key 'stops' that will help you find a place to belong and ways to grow as a follower of Jesus. We look forward to supporting you on your journey.

STOP ONE

STOP TWO

WELCOME

Let's get to know each other! We have regular welcome gatherings which provide an opportunity to meet some of our pastors and connect with others who are new to KingsGate.

If you've recently started joining us for services, there's no better way to begin your journey with us.

NEXT STEPS

We want to help you discover how you can continually grow in knowing God, live in freedom, thrive within community, and make a difference in your world. Our Next Steps course is where we unpack this more and it will give you an opportunity to learn more about our vision and priorities as a church. It's also the first step towards becoming a KingsGate Partner, helping you establish deeper roots within the church.



BEGIN YOUR JOURNEY

Discipleship Pathway -0-0-0-0-

STOP THREE

STOP FOUR

PARTNERSHIP

We hope that you'll quickly feel like KingsGate is your home - like we're family. As with any family, we're all in this together and we all have a part to play! Partnership is an expression of our shared commitment to our God-given purpose and priorities as a church family, and to journeying and growing together. Our Partnership Course is designed to help you learn more about our story and beliefs, and to increasingly discover your gifts and purpose as you play your part.

Becoming a KingsGate Partner is also the gateway for stepping into a leadership role.

LE/ADERSHIP

There are so many contexts for different expressions of leadership within KingsGate – LifeGroups, Serving Teams, Courses, and more – and our Leadership Community gathers throughout the year for times of inspiration, encouragement, and equipping. We also run KingsGate Leadership Academy which is a yearlong opportunity to learn, serve, and discover leadership potential. In short, we're committed to supporting everyone in their leadership journey!

ALL THE FAMILY

INGSGATE KIDS

Our KingsGate Kids groups take place every Sunday during our services. The sessions are designed to help children encounter God personally, learning key aspects of the Christian faith in an environment that is fun, dynamic, caring, and safe. Our KingsGate Kids Team all undergo enhanced DBS checks, references, and receive training to help them care for and deliver sessions that your child(ren) will love. We know that no two children are the same, and we will do all we can to help every child settle and thrive within KingsGate Kids. We also provide weekly online sessions, including songs, activities, and more for children to enjoy at home during the rest of the week.

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We believe that young people are the church of the future, but, more importantly, they are the future NOW!

Our heart is to see spiritual breakthrough as lives are transformed by the power of God's love in an emerging generation of young people. We provide engaging, fun, friendly, and safe environments for young people in school years 7-13 to gather and learn about what it means to follow Jesus, both during our Sunday services and during the week. We really value relationships and empowering young people to love God, love one another, and love their neighbour. To support this, we provide contextually-relevant programmes that young people can engage with to grow in their relationship with God and get connected into the life of KingsGate.



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