

The Bible

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The Bible in the British Library and British Museum Saturday March 21st 2026

Join us in a visit to the British Library to see how, 2000 years after Jesus, the Bible was accurately preserved for us and we can read it in today's modern English. Then tour the British Museum, seeing artifacts from Bible teams – from the beginning of the Old Testament through to Jesus's day – that confirm that the Bible is history! You'll grow in confidence and end the day praising God for His Word!

Here are the details of the trip. Our rough itinerary will be:

- 7.00am The coach takes us from outside St Thomas Church, Kidsgrove to the British Library.
- 10.30am or 11.15am Arrive at the British Library. The group will split in two – each group will have a tour of the most interesting ancient Bibles etc by Iain Baker, Vicar of St Thomas' Church. There will then be time to explore the whole exhibition – or get a coffee in the café!
- 12.00 pm Take the coach to the British Museum – about 10 mins drive away.
- 12.30pm or 2.30pm The groups take turns for tours of the archaeological finds from Bible times. The tours will last about an hour, and you'll walk for about a mile including up and down staircases (though a lift is available). There will then be plenty of time to explore the rest of the museum or wander round London. You will probably want to find somewhere to eat, because we won't get back until late.
- 6.30 pm Meet at the back of the Museum to take the coach home for 10pm in Kidsgrove.

Entry to the exhibits is free. The only costs on the day will be for food and refreshments. You can bring a packed lunch with you – but it's not very easy to find somewhere to sit and eat it. Although it's slightly more expensive, you may want to go to the British Museum café!

The total cost of the day will be £35. If you would like to go on the trip, please email admin@stthomaskidsgrove.co.uk and Lorna, our administrator will book you in and request payment from you. I'm afraid the payment won't be refundable unless the trip does not take place as we are booking the coach based on the numbers paying up front.