**Faith-based, Non-Faith and Beliefs-based Communities in Cheltenham**

**Supporting a Welcome to our local LGBTQ+ community**

*Assembled for Gay Pride and online, May 2020*

**Anglican / C of E**

Revd Gary Grady garygrady@btinternet.com

Revd Nick Davies [nickduffdavies@googlemail.com](mailto:nickduffdavies@googlemail.com)

Instagram Tom @revtomcook

[St. Philip & St James](http://www.pipandjims.org.uk) in Leckhampton is an [Inclusive Church](https://www.inclusive-church.org/) (good support resources)

**Other Christian Churches**

Congregationalist - Highbury Church

Revd Jason Boyd [revdjasoncboyd@gmail.com](mailto:revdjasoncboyd@gmail.com)

Sharon [sharon@cablesoup.com](mailto:sharon@cablesoup.com)

Methodists – Bethesda Methodist Church

Revd Naomi Cook [naicooke@gmail.com](mailto:naicooke@gmail.com)

**Buddhists**

Akanishta Buddhist Centre [meditationincheltenham.org](http://meditationincheltenham.org/)

Gen Kelsang Opel [teacher@meditationincheltenham.org.uk](mailto:teacher@meditationincheltenham.org.uk)

**Humanists**

Gloucestershire Humanists [glos.humanist.org.uk/](http://glos.humanist.org.uk/)

Stephen and Rachel [gloshums@gmail.com](mailto:gloshums@gmail.com)

**Liberal and Inter-Faith Communities**

Unitarians – Bayshill Unitarian Church

Revd Mark Hutchinson [reverendhutch@gmail.com](mailto:reverendhutch@gmail.com)

Quakers (Society of Friends) – Cheltenham Quakers

Alison [cheltenham@quaker.org.uk](mailto:cheltenham@quaker.org.uk)

University of Gloucester Multi-Faith Chaplaincy

Revd Simon Witcombe [switcombe@glos.ac.uk](mailto:switcombe@glos.ac.uk)

OneSpirit Interfaith [www.onespiritinterfaithministers.com/](http://www.onespiritinterfaithministers.com/)

Kevin [kevind@hwnp.org.uk](mailto:kevind@hwnp.org.uk)

**Liberal Jews**

3 Counties Liberal Jews [www.3cljc.org.uk/](http://www.3cljc.org.uk/)

Jack Liebeskind [jack.liebeskind@googlemail.com](mailto:jack.liebeskind@googlemail.com)

***Muslim***

Two support sites: www.hidayahlgbt.co.uk/ & blgbt.org/directory/imaan-muslim-lgbt/

***Roman Catholic***

The national support group is [questlgbti.uk/](https://questlgbti.uk/) which can lead you to local activity