

2026 Women's Bible Study Conference

Dear Ladies,

We are so excited to once again be sending out the information about this year's conference! Whilst a lot always goes on behind the scenes throughout the year, this year has started with a slight bit more of a change.



We have been looking at the feedback received from all of you, and if I were to sum it up in 2 sentences, it would be that the conference is great, but the venue is not brilliant. Now I know there are 90-ish variations on this theme, one for each of us, but this is the clear message we are getting across the board.

Combining that fact with the fact that The Livermead Cliff Hotel is unable to host us in 2026, we are going to try a new hotel combination, and see if we can make it work with The Grand Hotel.

There is information on The Grand on the next page, but I have highlighted what this means for us here:

1. **As usual** - The Livermead House will host the Conference, and remains the same set up, for the price of £220 pp. (Plus parking)
2. **New** - There will now be limited rooms at The Grand Hotel, with a 3-course meal for dinner (Friday dinner, Saturday breakfast and dinner, Sunday breakfast) as follows:
 - a. Single room £265 / person
 - b. Twin/Double room single occupancy £285 / person
 - c. Twin/double room, double occupancy £245 / person

The above prices from The Grand, as the ones from The Livermead House, cover everything you would usually get at/from the conference.

We fully appreciate that the prices are much higher at The Grand than at The Livermead House, this is mainly due to the rent of the venue from The Livermead House, that we have to split across the delegates.



The Grand Hotel

Distance: The Grand is a 7-minute walk from the Livermead House (according to Google), or 0.3 miles (500 m).

Parking: There is free on-street parking nearby, and the hotel has 16 spaces, that can be reserved in advance.

Facilities: The Grand Hotel boasts an outdoor pool (might not be available in November), an indoor pool, a Gym and a Spa (the Spa is not included in the price).

Menu: Here is a sample menu. Note they offer 3 courses, rather than 4.

Sunday Night Menu

Starters

Cream Potato & Leek Soup – V, GFA
parsley croutons, fresh bread

Smoked Mackerel Pate - GFA
horseradish cream & toast

Parisienne Melon & Winter Berries – VG, GF
minted syrup

Mains

Traditional Roasted Topside of Beef - GFA
Yorkshire pudding, red wine jus, roast potatoes & seasonal vegetables

Pan Seared Sea Bass Fillet - GF
lemon & parsley butter, sauté potatoes & samphire

Roasted Mediterranean Vegetable & Halloumi Tartlet - V
new potatoes & tenderstem broccoli

Desserts

Sherry Trifle - V

Warm Chocolate Sponge Pudding - V
milk chocolate sauce

Selection of Local Dairy Ice Creams & Sorbets, V, VGA, GF