

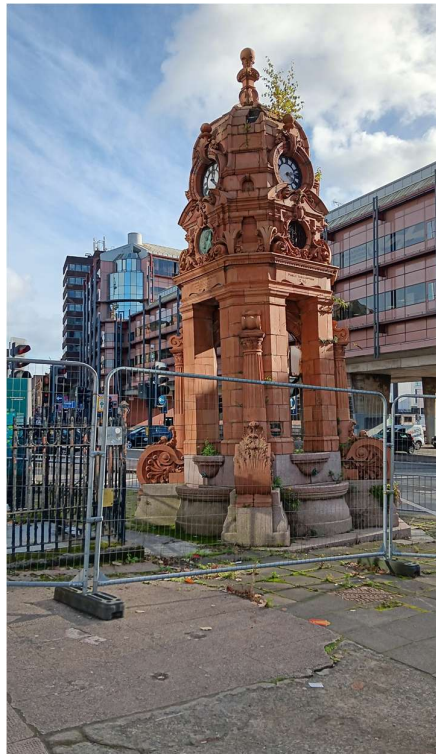
Accessibility Document for Glasgow Buddhist Centre

2 Woodside Crescent, Glasgow G3 7UL

Getting to Glasgow Buddhist Centre

Woodside Crescent is located off Sauchiehall Street, about a 10 minute walk from Charing Cross station and 10 minutes from St Georges Cross underground.

The Centre is opposite a large glass fronted building, and very near the



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Bus numbers 3 and 77 going East into town stop very nearby on Sauchiehall Street.

Coming out of town heading West 2, 3 and 77 stop on Berkeley Street, about a 5 minute walk away.

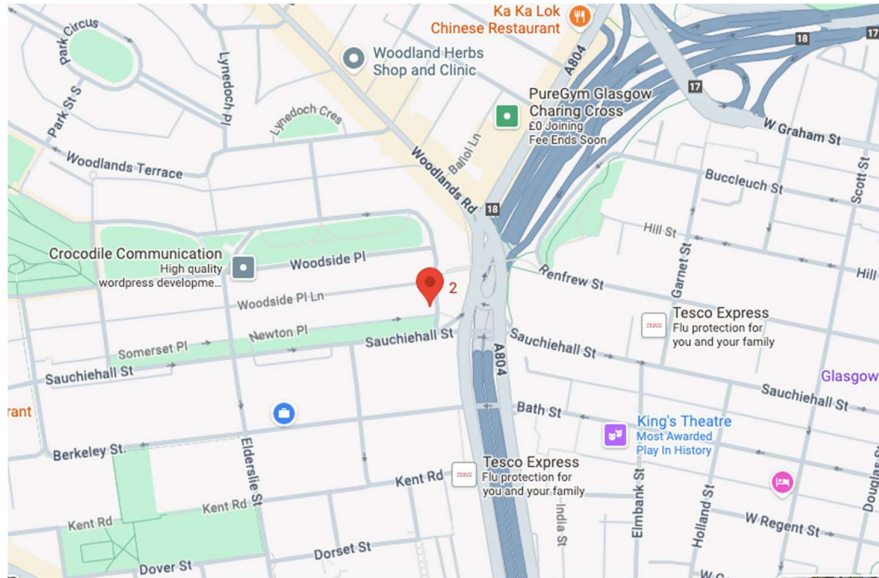
Bus 4 and 4A also stops nearby on Woodland Road.

Parking is free after 6pm and all day Saturday and Sunday.

Before 6pm, the cheapest way to park is in the car park below the Gurdwara 174 Berkeley St, G3 7HY. Pay the attendant with cash when you pick up your vehicle (closes at 7pm). This is about a 5 minute walk away.

There is a Taxi rank directly outside the door.

There are two disabled parking spaces about 20 metres beyond this.



To enter the building there are steps to the basement on the side of the building, on Woodside Crescent, this door will be open from 20 mins before the start of the day.



view of the building from outside

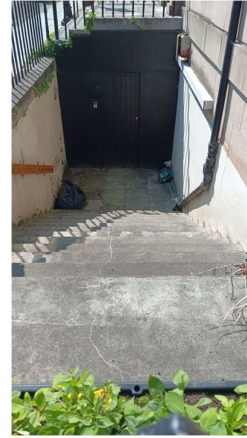
Temporary restricted access at the moment

At the moment there is very limited accessibility to the basement whilst the ground floor is having work done to install a fully accessible door. We apologise for this and hope it will not take too long.

There is one step off the pavement and then thirteen steps into the basement.



step off pavement



steps to door

When inside the basement: there is a double door entrance into the Community space. To the left there are coat hangers and shoe racks for leaving stuff.

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This space will also have an urn, hot drinks, dishwasher, microwave and fridge though there will be limited space for eating food and the Community space may get quite busy. If you prefer there are many cafes in the area to go out for lunch on a day event. Or you can go into the quiet shrine room once you have finished eating.

The basement currently has no external windows.

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During this time there will not be a designated quiet room, however the Shrine space will be kept as a silent space for sitting quietly. No food can be eaten here.

Timings of the event will be put up around the room, and as far as possible available on the website.

Hearing system is available for hearing aid users (set to T setting) or headsets for those who are hard of hearing but don't have hearing aids.

There are five cubicles toilets available. These are fairly narrow.

The Shrine space is beyond the toilets, this is an L shaped room and although participants will not all be able to see each other, everyone will be able to see the Shrine space and the person leading the activity.

The shrine will change according to the theme of the day.

The programme of events will be printed out and displayed around the walls.

If you are not able to stay for the whole day you can arrive or leave at lunchtime or at the tea break. The email with timings will be available on our website or by emailing gbc@glasgowbuddhistcentre.com.

If you arrive late there will be someone at the door for half an hour after the start. If later than this you will have to wait until the next item starts.

If you have any accessibility needs that have not been covered in this document or if you would like more information, please contact gunasiddhi@glasgowbuddhistcentre.com prior to attending the event.



Shrine for a festival celebration