

Accessibility Document GBC, 2 Woodside Cres, G3 7UL

Getting to GBC

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

The Centre is opposite a large glass fronted building, and very near the Charles Cameron Memorial Fountain.



Charles Cameron Memorial Fountain

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

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

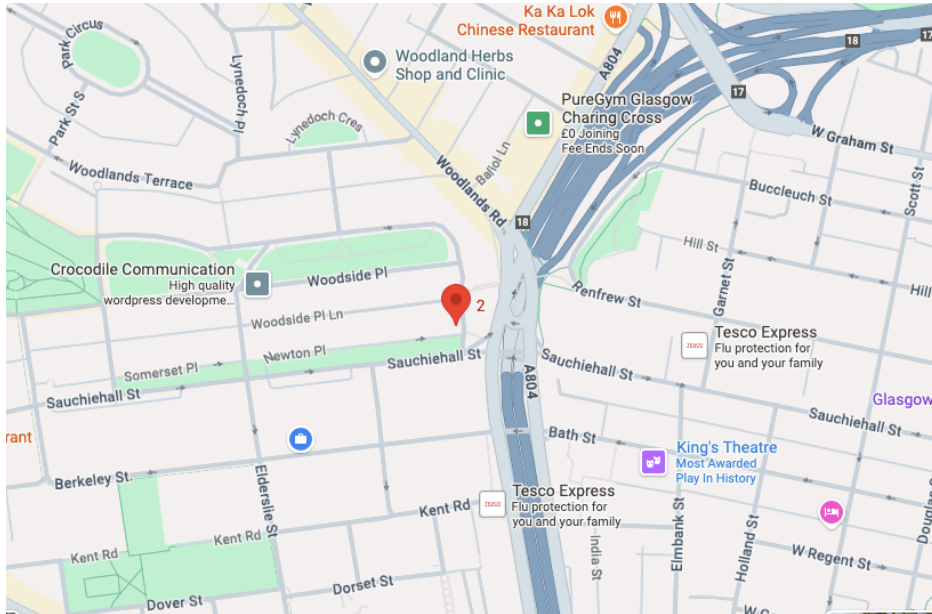
Bus 4 and 4A also stops nearby on Woodland Road.

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 7pm). This is about a 5 min 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 is a black door, to the side of the building, on Woodside Crescent, this door will be open from 20 mins before the start of the day.

At the moment there are two steps to enter the building (pending planning permission to move current door and make it fully accessible).



View of the building from outside



Entrance door

When inside:

There is an accessible gender neutral toilet to the right past the kitchen. There is also another toilet, that can be used for any gender. Each toilet has hand driers and fluorescent lighting that comes on automatically.



toilet door



door open

The top floor of the building (which is ground floor level) is currently in use. It includes:-

The room to the left of the front door is the shrine room where the meditation and main events will take place. It will also stay as a quiet room during the breaks.

There are padded seats for sitting on, if you prefer to use a cushion please bring your own along. There is a fairly thick carpet on the floor.

There are four windows to the outside, also wall lighting and led ceiling lights.

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



The shrine room

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.



The room to the right for eating and drinking

If you arrive late:

If you arrive late the door will be unlocked and you can enter and find a seat at the back. Try to be as quiet as possible.

Eating and drinking arrangements:

The room to the right of the front door is available for hot drinks. There is some natural daylight coming in through a large skylight. Otherwise there are wall lights and led ceiling lights.

There is an urn in the kitchen, and flasks will be filled with hot water and placed in this room with tea/coffee and milk. Please help yourself to a hot drink when you arrive, there is usually a good selection of teas, coffee and herbal teas.

At lunch time, if it is a day event, this will be the room where lunch is eaten. Please bring vegetarian/vegan lunch to share. There will be a table to put everything that has been brought to share. A fridge is also available with limited space. A microwave is also available if anything needs heated up. If you have any special dietary needs please bring your own food, though all food must be vegetarian or vegan. Please take any leftover food away with you. There are tables and chairs to sit at. Or if you prefer to go out for lunch there are plenty of cafes in the vicinity.

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