



Greater Manchester Bereavement Service

Free bereavement pop up events

Location: House of Books & Friends

81 King Street, Manchester, M2 4AH

Join us!

GMBS will be hosting free bereavement pop ups across 2026.

We welcome anyone to join us; whether you are someone that has been touched by loss, both past and present, or you are a professional looking to learn more.

Take a look at our promotional posters for more information.

This year there will be 4 pop up events, raising awareness of initiatives dedicated to reducing the stigma associated with bereavement, improving knowledge of support available and encouraging people to connect.

We offer a safe space to..

Learn more about bereavement & our service

Connect with others

Speak to a practitioner for help & support

Dying Matters Week
(15th May)

Grief Awareness Day
(20th August)

Suicide Prevention Day
(11th September)

Grief Awareness Week
(3rd December)



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HOUSE OF
BOOKS & FRIENDS

Greater Manchester Bereavement Service

Free bereavement pop up event



Friday 15th May

10am -12pm

**At House of
Books & Friends**

81 King Street,
Manchester,
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Cafe available

**Dying
Matters**

*'Let's talk
about it'*

Dying Matters Week

4th - 10th May 2026

Every year, people around the UK use Dying Matters Week as a moment to encourage communities to get talking in whatever way, shape or form works for them.

Join us to..

Learn about bereavement

Connect with others

&

Hear about our service

There is also an opportunity to speak to a practitioner for help or advice

Anyone is welcome!

**Just register for free below on
Eventbrite:**



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Thursday 20th
August

10am -12pm

At House of
Books & Friends

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Grief Awareness Day
30th August 2026

A day which hopes to encourage open communication on loss and bereavement and better inform the public on the facts of grief.

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Friday 11th
September

10am -12pm

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World Suicide Prevention Day

10th September 2026

A day dedicated to raising awareness around suicide prevention, mental health support, and breaking the stigma.

Join us to..
Learn about Suicide
bereavement

Connect with others
&

Hear about our service

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Greater Manchester Bereavement Service

Free bereavement pop up event



Thursday 3rd
December

10am -12pm

At House of
Books & Friends

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Manchester,
M2 4AH
Cafe available



Grief Awareness Week

2nd - 8th December 2026

A week which aims to raise awareness of the support available for people experiencing grief and bereavement.

Join us to..

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&

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