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**SILVERDALE METHODIST CHURCH**

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## MISSION STATEMENT

We seek to be a people of worship, prayer, love and friendship, through which we will grow in God and serve the community.

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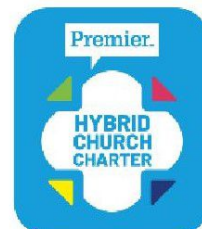
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**WE HAVE A RANGE OF ACTIVITIES FOR ALL AGES  
- PLEASE DO ASK IF YOU NEED ANY MORE INFO.**



**WHAT'S GOING ON ... SUBJECT-TO-CHANGE – ALWAYS CHECK THE WEBSITE CALENDAR FOR AN UP-TO-DATE LISTING OF WHAT'S HAPPENING & WHEN!**

**...to Fri 1<sup>st</sup> Nov = HALF-TERM**

**Fri 1<sup>st</sup>, TIME TBC = 24-7 Prayer - The Gathering '24 ([ASK US!](#))**

**Sat 2<sup>nd</sup>, TIME TBC = 24-7 Prayer - The Gathering '24 ([ASK US!](#))**

**Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> >> 10:15am = FREE Breakfast**

**Worship@11 = café Church : 12:30pm = Church Family SOCIAL**

**Mon 4<sup>th</sup>, 6pm = GOING DEEPER HouseGroup, meal & study (L&J's)**

**Tue 5<sup>th</sup> >>**

**9am = Messy Stars**

**2:30pm = Jayne leading Assembly (St. Luke's Primary School)**

**3:15pm to 4pm = after-school LEGO CLUB (St. Luke's Primary School)**

**8pm = HouseGroup [L&R] (via 'Zoom')**

**Wed 6<sup>th</sup> >>**

**6:30am = Early Morning PRAYERS (via 'Zoom')**

**5:30pm = KiDZ KLUB**

**7pm 'til 7:45pm = rehearsing for Christmas...!!??!**

**Thu 7<sup>th</sup> >>**

**11:30am = Silver Service (COMMUNION)**

**3:30pm = Energise**

**8pm = HouseGroup [J&KP] (via 'Zoom')**

**Fri 8<sup>th</sup>, 6pm = Ignite**

**Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> >> 10:15am = FREE Breakfast : Worship@11 = Ryan Davies**

**Mon 11<sup>th</sup>, 6pm = Prayer Walk followed by The Pub!**

**Tue 12<sup>th</sup> >>**

**9am = Messy Stars**

**1pm = funeral – Reginald Butters**

**3:15pm to 4pm = after-school LEGO CLUB (St. Luke's Primary School)**

**Wed 13<sup>th</sup> >>**

**6:30am = Early Morning PRAYERS (via 'Zoom')**

**5:30pm = KiDZ KLUB**

**7pm 'til 7:45pm = rehearsing for Christmas...!!??!**

**7pm = PRAYERS – Young People & Families (hybrid...)**

**Thu 14<sup>th</sup> >> 3:30pm = Energise : 7pm = Leadership Team meeting**

**Fri 15<sup>th</sup>, 6pm = Ignite**

**Sat 16<sup>th</sup>, 11am = GO WILD! (St. Luke's Primary School)**

**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> >> 10:15am = FREE Breakfast : WORSHIP@11 = Communion**

**Mon 18<sup>th</sup>, 6pm = GOING DEEPER HouseGroup, meal & study (L&J's)**

**Tue 19<sup>th</sup> >>**

**9am = Messy Stars**

**2:30pm = Jayne leading Assembly (St. Luke's Primary School)**

**3:15pm to 4pm = after-school LEGO CLUB (St. Luke's Primary School)**

**8pm = HouseGroup [L&R] (via 'Zoom')**

**Wed 20<sup>th</sup> >>**

**6:30am = Early Morning PRAYERS (via 'Zoom')**

**5:30pm = KiDZ KLUB**

**7pm 'til 7:45pm = rehearsing for Christmas...!!??!**

**Thu 21<sup>st</sup> >>**

**11:30am = Silver Service (ACTIVITY)**

**3:30pm = Energise**

**8pm = HouseGroup [J&KP] (via 'Zoom')**

**Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> >> 6pm = Ignite : 7:15pm = Brass band practice**

**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> >>**

**10:15am = FREE Breakfast**

**Worship@11 = EMMAUS**

**5pm = ReFUEL**

**Tue 26<sup>th</sup> >>**

**9am = Messy Stars**

**3:15pm to 4pm = after-school LEGO CLUB (St. Luke's Primary School)**

**Wed 27<sup>th</sup> >> 6:30am = Early Morning PRAYERS (via 'Zoom')**

**5:30pm = KiDZ KLUB : 7pm 'til 7:45pm = rehearsing for Christmas...!!??!**

**Thu 28<sup>th</sup>, 3:30pm = Energise**

**Fri 29<sup>th</sup> >>**

**10am 'til 2pm = Blind & Partially-Sighted Club**

**6pm = Ignite**

**7:15pm = Brass band practice**

**Sat 30<sup>th</sup>, 11am 'til 1pm = CHRISTMAS FAIR**





# SILVERDALE METHODIST CHURCH

EARL STREET, ST5 6NF  
(behind the Chippy!)

..INVITES YOU TO JOIN THEM IN THEIR..

# CHRISTMAS COMMUNITY PERFORMANCE GROUP

REHEARSING EVERY WEDNESDAY FROM  
6th NOVEMBER '24, 7pm 'til 7:45pm

PERFORMANCES ARE SUNDAY  
22ND DECEMBER AT 6PM  
AND CHRISTMAS EVE AT 4PM



SINGING & TAMBOURINES - DO ONE  
OR DO BOTH, THE CHOICE IS YOURS



NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED -  
PEOPLE OVER PERFECTION

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THE  
**SILVERDALE**  
METHODIST CHURCH

# Christmas Fair

A FREE EVENT  
FOR THE WHOLE  
FAMILY TO ENJOY

**SAT 30th NOV**

**11am TL 1pm**

Earl Street, ST5 6NF  
(behind the chippy!)

- Beautiful Bottles by Clare
- Maisie Makes
- Santa's Grotto
- various REFRESHMENTS



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The Leadership Team have introduced a “SUGGESTIONS BOX” – it’s on the bookcase at the end of the Entrance Passageway. Write your suggestion on the paper that’s provided, fold it, then pop it into the box! Whilst we can’t promise that all suggestions will be actioned, we can promise that they’ll all be looked at and discussed accordingly.

Make sure you’re with us for the first ‘café Church’ of the New Year, on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> January, ‘cuz we’ll be handing-out our new Prayer Journals – something for all of us, no matter who we are or what we come to, to document our prayers & thoughts in, so that we can look back through them over time to remind ourselves how God responded. Again, it is an initiative introduced by the Leadership Team, and they are hoping that it is something that will help us to grow, both as individuals and also together as a Church Family. We are thankful for the District Grant from “The Fisher Fund” which has covered the entire cost of this initiative.

Something-else that has been funded in its entirety with a District Grant from “The Fisher Fund” are the new bibles that we have – again, we are thankful for the provision. We have many different opportunities & ways to Worship Together here at Silverdale, and the Leadership Team thought it would be a good idea to have a variety of different translations for us to look at in-order to enhance our Worshipping Experience – especially during ‘EMMAUS’, but at any other opportune time too. So, please use them, and help each other to grow & learn.

There are a number of new books in our Library, it has been added to! Remember, our Library is there for you to take books away to read – you can bring them back, you can pass them on to someone-else, or you can keep them, it’s up to you. Again, this resource opportunity is provided as a way to help us to learn & grow in our walk with God.

Our CHRISTMAS FLIERS have arrived – the ones that detail just four of the many Outreach Activities that we provide during the Festive Period. The Leadership Team urge you to take some away with you – hand them out to your family & friends & neighbours, and post them in your street. Make sure that you INVITE as many people as you can, so that we can spread the real reason for the season to as many people as possible during what will be another busy Christmas Period for us.