



## News from our Churches

### St John's Settle

#### Sunday worship

1 <sup>st</sup> Dec	10:30am	Revd T Broughton Toy service
8 <sup>th</sup> Dec	10:30am	Jane Mansergh
15 <sup>th</sup> Dec	10:30am	Susan Wilson
22 <sup>nd</sup> Dec	10:30am	Revd Kerry Tankard
	6:30pm	Revd T Broughton Carols by Candlelight
29 <sup>th</sup> Dec	10:30am	Wendy Holt Holy Communion

#### Christmas Day

There will be a service at 10.00 am, led by Revd T Broughton.

#### Discover: Christmas

We are running an all-ages Christmas service on Saturday 21st December at 10:30, where we will explore the meaning of Christmas through Lego, Play dough, crafts and fun. Please do come along, spread the word to anyone who may be interested, and pray that God touches all who come. If you are able to help in any way, please do chat to Tim or Chevonne.

#### Time Together Tuesday

These weekly sessions are led by a Dementia Forward Adviser supported by church and community volunteers. A gentle café where information, advice and friendship are offered in big dollops for both persons living with Dementia and

carers. The weekly sessions are held between 1.30 and 3.30 pm. We charge £3. All are very welcome.

#### Coffee Pot

Every Wednesday 10:30am – 12:00 noon. Tea, coffee, cakes etc.

The first Coffee Pot of each month is usually in aid of a charity. On 6<sup>th</sup> November this raised £261.46 for Guide Dogs for the Blind.

On 4<sup>th</sup> December it will be in aid of Dementia Forward.

#### A Warm Welcome

As well as our weekly Coffee Pot, we will be opening on Thursdays at 2.00 pm, throughout the colder weather. Everyone is invited to come along to enjoy a hot drink and refreshments, followed by a popular movie (popcorn provided) and /or other activities such as board games. There is no charge.

#### Bible book club

Led by Revd. Tim Broughton and held at 12:00 noon after Coffee Pot on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month.

On 11<sup>th</sup> December we will be looking at Psalms 120-134.

#### Bible study group

Our next meeting will be held in the lounge at Limestone View at 2.30 pm. on Wednesday 15th Jan. (No meeting in December)

### Prayer in the Garden

You are invited to come and pray in the church garden at 2pm on the 15th of each month, for a maximum of 30 minutes. Please come dressed for whatever weather God shares with us!



### Walk and Prayer for the Environment

This takes place on the 1<sup>st</sup> of each

month. Details available from Judith Allinson

### Prayer Meeting

Members of all churches in Settle meet for prayer at Holy Ascension Church at 12.00 noon on the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of each month.

### Newby Chapel

#### Sunday worship

1 <sup>st</sup> Dec	6:30pm	Easy Church
8 <sup>th</sup> Dec	11am	Margery Dowling
22 <sup>nd</sup> Dec	2pm	Revd T Broughton Carol service
29 <sup>th</sup> Dec	7pm	Church in the pub

### Burton In Lonsdale

#### Sunday worship at All Saints Parish Church

1 <sup>st</sup> Dec	11am	Jane Mansergh
8 <sup>th</sup> Dec	9:30am	Margery Dowling
15 <sup>th</sup> Dec	11am	United service
22 <sup>nd</sup> Dec	9:30am	Revd T Broughton Holy Communion

### Bentham Methodist Church

#### Sunday worship

1 <sup>st</sup> Dec	10:30am	Margery Dowling
8 <sup>th</sup> Dec	10:30am	Wendy Holt
15 <sup>th</sup> Dec	10:30am	Revd T Broughton Family service
22 <sup>nd</sup> Dec	10:30am	Liz Whitfield Carol service
29 <sup>th</sup> Dec	10:30am	Praise and prayer

### Christmas Day

There will be an own arrangements service at 10.30 am.

### Toddle In

Toddler group meet every Monday in term time 10am to 11:30am, new volunteers welcome – contact Sue Broadbent

### Bentham Praise

Practice in church on Monday at 2pm

### Men's Breakfast

Meet fortnightly at Bowland View, contact David Bayes for details, 8:30am on 10<sup>th</sup> December.

### Afternoon Praise at Bowland View

Churches Together in Bentham are holding fortnightly services at Bowland View: Carols at Bowland View, Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December.

### Farming Community Network Shed

Wednesday morning at Bentham Auction Mart, supported by Churches Together in Bentham

### Bentham Pantry Club

Open 11am-12:30pm and 3:30pm-4:30pm every Wednesday run by Churches Together in Bentham. There is a collection box for donations in the porch.

### Bible Study & Prayer Meeting

Thursdays at 10am. Contact Averil or Mavis for more details.

### Hellifield Chapel

#### Sunday worship

1 <sup>st</sup> Dec	10:30am	Pauline Wright (Lego)
	2pm	Revd David Philo
8 <sup>th</sup> Dec	6pm	Gospel Praise
15 <sup>th</sup> Dec	2pm	Rev T Broughton Carol service
22 <sup>nd</sup> Dec	2pm	Liz Whitfield (Café)
29 <sup>th</sup> Dec	2pm	Wendy Holt Holy Communion

## Well-being Café

2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month, from 10.30 – 12 noon. Refreshments will be served and there will be friendship, music and activities in a dementia inclusive environment. Dementia Forward are supporting and advising us.

## Hellitots

Tuesday 9:30 - 11:00 (term time only). Free play, songs and snacks for young kids aged 0-5 and their carers. If you are feeling called to come and help in any way please do contact Chevonne [settlehellifieldcme@outlook.com](mailto:settlehellifieldcme@outlook.com)

## Other events

Welcome Mat meetings and Strong and Steady sessions are held on alternate Mondays. More details are given on <https://hellifieldherald.org.uk/>

## Ingleton Methodist Church

### Sunday worship

1 <sup>st</sup> Dec	10:30am	Simon Park
8 <sup>th</sup> Dec	10:30am	Revd T Broughton Pantomime
15 <sup>th</sup> Dec	10:30am	Fawcett Family AAW
22 <sup>nd</sup> Dec	10:30am	Nativity
29 <sup>th</sup> Dec	10:30am	Revd David Philo

### Christmas Day

There will be a service at 10.30 am, led by Andrew Fawcett.

Weekly Sunday prayer meeting 7-8pm

Coffee mornings, Fridays 9:30 – 11:30am

### Inglitots

Thursdays, 9:30 to 11am, all pre school families are welcome. If you can help in any way, please contact Nicola [ingletonbenthamcme@outlook.com](mailto:ingletonbenthamcme@outlook.com)

Thank you to all who contributed to this issue, please send all future news & events to Lucy on 07518 517 901 or [settlemethodistcircuit@outlook.com](mailto:settlemethodistcircuit@outlook.com)

If you have any questions or comments about this newsletter, please don't hesitate to get in touch.

Deadline for the next newsletter is:  
**20<sup>th</sup> December**



### ***Help our MPs care for creation!!***

Now is an exciting moment for the Climate and Nature Bill, the only plan for a new UK law that addresses the full extent of the climate and nature crisis in line with the most up-to-date science. Thanks to Dr Roz Savage MP, the Bill is now going through Parliament, but it needs our help. We need at least 102 MPs to attend the second reading and support the bill on Friday 24 January to take it to the Committee stage. Should you like to help, please write to your MP asking them to attend before their diaries fill up. The Zero Hours website makes it easy to write a personalised email.

<https://action.zerohour.uk/>

[https://youtu.be/70gCw\\_aMotA](https://youtu.be/70gCw_aMotA)

### ***Glitter, the one member of the party that NEVER leaves***

Glitter is made from plastic of such small size it's especially lethal to our oceans. This micro plastic can eventually end up in plankton and shellfish may eat it (and then maybe us!). But don't worry, you can still sparkle guilty-free. There are many ranges of eco-friendly biodegradable glitter out there.

### ***Balloons and other single-use plastic party decorations***

With a little bit of creativity, you can easily plan a party that's free from them. Popular decorations that can be reused time and time again, including bunting, paper chains, tassels, tissue Pom poms, lanterns, fresh flowers, and more.

# Christmas Special Events

Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December

10:30am Toy service at St John's Methodist Church

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December

10:30am Christmas Coffee Pot in aid of Dementia Forward

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> December

10:30am Panto at Ingleton Methodist Church

6pm Gospel Praise at Hellifield Methodist Church.

Monday 9<sup>th</sup> December

7pm Soup-a-carol – light hearted indoor carol singing interspersed with Christmas poems, mini plays and readings. The choice of soup is always delicious!

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> December

5:30pm Carols at the Station, Hellifield Station Shed24H

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> - Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> December

10am – 4pm Nativity Scene Exhibition at St. John's Settle. Don't forget to contact Anne about your Nativity scenes: [annemartin54@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:annemartin54@hotmail.co.uk) or 07709 505056

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December

7pm Carol service at Christmas in the Mart, Bentham. Hopefully our puppets will be joining in!

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> December

10am Christmas family Lego church at St John's Methodist Church

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> December

10:30am Family café service at Bentham Methodist Church led by Revd T Broughton

2pm Carol service at Hellifield Methodist Church

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December

10am Churches Together carol singing in Settle Market Place

7pm Carols on the green at Newby

Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December

3pm Christmas carols and mince pies at Limestone View, Settle

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> December

10:30am Discover:Christmas at St John's Settle

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> December

10:30am Carol service at Bentham Methodist Church led by Liz Whitfield

10:30am Nativity at Ingleton Methodist Church

2pm Christmas Family Café Church at Hellifield Methodist Church

6:30pm Carols by Candlelight at St John's Methodist Church



Join us for

**MINCE PIES & Memories**  
with Dementia Forward

Registered Charity Number 1140231

**Wednesday 4th December**  
**10:30am - 12:00noon**  
**St Johns Methodist Church, Settle**

Take time out from the hustle and bustle of Christmas to share a mince pie and a special memory over a cup of coffee.

We look forward to welcoming you to our

**Christmas Coffee Pot**



For more information and support, please contact  
**Dementia Forward Helpline - 03300 578592**



**Discover: Christmas**

**LEGO | PLAYDOUGH | TOYS | CRAFTS**

Come and discover the true meaning of Christmas in our family friendly service. All ages welcome, there is something for everyone.

AT 10:30 AM **21** DECEMBER

**St Johns Methodist Church, Settle**

Settle Methodist Circuit