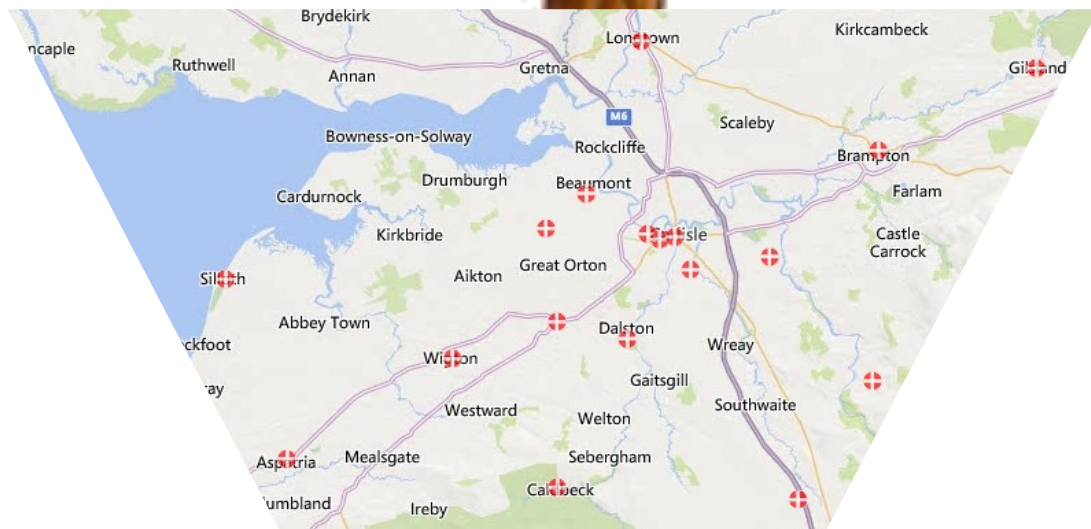


THE CANOPY

the North Cumbria Circuit



**God
for All**

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Spring 2024

Resolution or Revolution?

Friends,

Happy New Year! 2024 will be a defining year for Methodist's in Cumbria. We will know at Synod in April whether we will be forming a new County-wide Circuit or looking for another way to engage together with all our partners. We will, I hope, also see a transformation in many of our Mission Communities. We must make an effort to be a part of the conversations that help shape these outcomes. It's an exciting time.

But what about you? What do you hope for in this new year? Have you committed to your own betterment, or will you be content to see what the year brings and how that shapes you? Some of us will make (and keep) resolutions, others have laid down this tradition.

If you have made a resolution, then I hope that you can keep to it – best to share them with friends so that they can encourage you in your goal. Whether you have made one or not 2024 will go round as each year does and we will find ourselves back with Christmas and a new year quicker than we would wish. The question is how are you going to invest in and influence it? Our calendar revolves from one year to the next and in one sense we must accept that. But in another the revolution of God's grace will flow more freely into it if we are a part of its existence.

Whether we have made our own resolution or not let's all commit to being a part of God's holy revolution by seeking to express his love and grace in all we do.

May God bless and guide you through this new year.
May you know his love and grace throughout.
And may you have opportunity to be witnesses
to his revolutionary power in all 366 days.

David Newlove

Circuit Meeting Update

6th December – CMC @ Wigton Road

The meeting was opened with devotions from Cornerstone church offering a reading and the singing of “Spirit of God, unseen as the wind”.

Following a conversation at the previous meeting, accident books were distributed. If your church does not have an accident book, please let your minister know and we will obtain further copies.

The meeting agreed a resolution from the Borders Hub for the creation of **Borders Methodist Church** with Gilsland, Longtown, Wetheral and Brampton having agreed at their respective church councils to create a multi-site church. Although they are planning on working closely over the next nine months, the change will formally take effect on the 1st September 2024. Further change was reported from the Borders Hub with a vote taking place early this year for a joint mission community (by merging the existing Borders MC, Irthing, Gelt & Eden MC and Eden Wild Goose MC), so covering the area of the Borders hub.

The meeting also agreed to the sale of the **Etterby Street** manse which requires a significant amount of maintenance work. The CLT were asked to progress the sale to release vital funds for mission and ministry within the circuit. The meeting also noted the progress of the sale of Thursby Chapel.

Another significant item of business included the potential creation of a single **Cumbria Circuit**. With the North West England District coming into being this September (with James Tebbutt as chair), a proposal is being considered for a single circuit to maintain our Cumbrian identity. A consultation document is now available, please contact the CLT if you would like a copy. The proposal will need to come to church council and then back to the circuit meeting before it is finally taken to synod.

**THANK
YOU**

Thanks was given to all those (in the meeting and beyond) who have attended **unconscious bias and EDI training**. The biblical call to be people of justice means that this is a central part of what it means to be Christian. We are reminded that Jesus does not place any caveats on his call for us to love one another.

Circuit Steward Letter

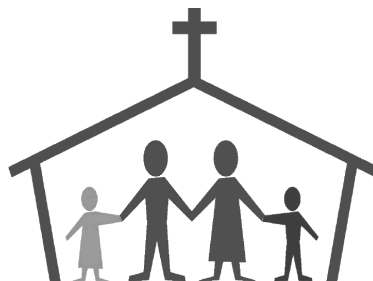
The church is a place of blessing, of friendship, fellowship, family, comfort, encouragement, love, peace and so much more.

However many of us are worried about the future of the church, thinking that we are ok for the next twenty years then it will be someone else's problem. Change is happening quickly and we can't push things down the road even for five years, change is happening now. This is the time to make a difference before we are forced into something that we don't really want. What is our mission and vision for our church now?

We all have different ideas of what we need to do, to stop the decline in church attendance and to see the church grow and thrive. We could do no better than share in God's vision for North Cumbria. He longs to pour out His Spirit into our lives, the church and our communities. He will do it when we are receptive to the work of the Holy Spirit and when we pray. What will it look like when His Kingdom makes an impact on our communities? There will be a spirit of love and an outbreak of love in our lives, a passion for Jesus, and for those who don't yet know Him. Unity in the church and across the denominations, impacting the many needs that we see all around us. The gathered church will be a resource to strengthen disciples and send them out into the world.

Something is happening at the gathering in Aspatria, meeting on the forth Sunday at 4pm in the town's rugby club. A time of worship, fellowship, sharing, word and cake. People are gathering from different churches, some from no church, others who have no church connection, why not drop in even once to pick up ideas, learn and experience God working in this community. Please support Revive in January when we can gather together and experience God's love and presence. Looking forward to an exciting year ahead.

Alan Fearon



Brampton

I am writing this at the beginning of a New Year. I wish everyone around the circuit a happy and healthy 2024.

Two friends in the congregation organised a coffee and cake sale in the church hall. This was as a thank you to Hospice at Home. What a success it was. A huge thank you to everyone who helped make it so successful.

On All Souls/Saints Day we held a special service to remember our loved ones. We were joined by some friends from St. Martins church, and we enjoyed coffee with them afterwards.

Care Homes:- Before Christmas Rev. Tokunbo and a few of us visited two care homes to lead short services'

Along with the food larder we held a coffee morning. Although it was a miserable damp day outside there were lots of happy faces inside. Lots of us took a can or a packet to add to the food larder as Christmas approached.

Toddlers;- The Christmas party was great fun with a visit from a certain gentleman in a red suit. Thank you to all the people who run toddlers every Monday morning during term time.

Unfortunately for St Martins church their heating has broken at this busy time of year so they are going to share our building until it is mended for some of their services. It could be a while as St Martins is a listed building. (Well worth a visit as it has some beautiful stain glass windows).

The town carol service was a good way to show that all people can come together with members of the community taking part. Brampton Primary School came to our church to hold their carol service. It was lovely to see lots of young children in the church. William Howard School also used the church for their carol concert. They were in the building all day practicing with the concert being held in the evening. What talent. Every seat in the church and upper room was occupied with 5 of us sitting in the entrance hall. There was also a Christingle in the hall which was very well attended led by St. Martins and Bethesda Churches.

Christmas Eve as usual was the Candlelit Carol service. Lots of people attended and sang with a good voice. We welcomed St. Martins for their Midnight Communion service and held a joint Christmas morning service. How great it has been to be able to welcome them into our building and work together.

We were all very sad to hear of the death of the Rev. Bob White and we send our love and prayers to Millie, Chris and the rest of Bob's family. We thank him for his life of service.

Nancy Simpson

Worship Leader Training

At the request of our Local Preacher and Worship Leaders Meeting

Preparing Sunday Dinner

A Collaborative Approach to Worship Leading



Tuesday 30th January
9:30am Coffee 10:00am start

At Wigton Road

A morning open to all to reflect on how we plan,
Prepare and present our worship

Open to Worship Leaders, Opening Devotions Leaders,
Preachers and others interested in refreshing their
understanding.

Please let either Phil or David know if you are coming.

Carlisle Methodist Church, Upperby

As we prepare for the festive season, time seems to go by much faster. On the 6th December the Local Vocals Choir who rehearse in our hall performed a concert followed by refreshments, it was well attended and enjoyed by all. They raised £280 for church funds. Thank you to all who took part and attended.

The Mission Community Carol Service was held in our Church followed by mince pies & biscuits. St Johns Church, St Elizabeth's Church, St Herbert's Church and ourselves were represented.

Our Own Arrangement Carol Service on 17th December & Christmas Eve Service was enjoyed by all.

On the 17th March 2024 10.45am our Church Anniversary Service with Mrs Margaret Newrick. All Welcome.

We send season greetings to everyone, and hope the new year will bring blessings and peace worldwide.

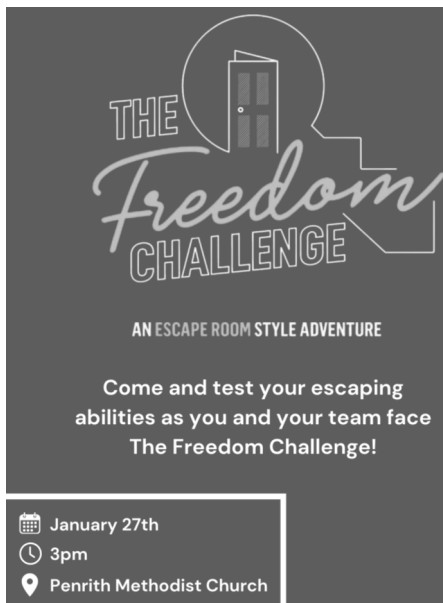
Short Mat Bowling—Bowling finished on 19th December and restarts on 9th January 2024.

Jean Baron

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Freedom Challenge

This event for young people in the District, arranged by Su Davis, District Young People's Work Coordinator is taking place on **Saturday 27th January**. This is for anyone aged between 11 and 21 years of age and starts at 3 pm at Penrith Methodist Church. Those under 18 must have a signed consent form. Further information can be obtained from Su on cumbriamethodistyouth@gmail.com.

A poster for 'THE Freedom CHALLENGE' featuring a stylized door icon. The text reads: 'THE Freedom CHALLENGE', 'AN ESCAPE ROOM STYLE ADVENTURE', 'Come and test your escaping abilities as you and your team face The Freedom Challenge!', and a box at the bottom with details: 'January 27th', '3pm', and 'Penrith Methodist Church'.

THE Freedom CHALLENGE

AN ESCAPE ROOM STYLE ADVENTURE

Come and test your escaping abilities as you and your team face The Freedom Challenge!

January 27th
3pm
Penrith Methodist Church

Dalston Methodist Church



Holy Week Concert
With Dalston Male
Voice Choir
Tuesday 26th March
2024
7.00pm
Followed by Refreshments

Good Friday
Service
29th March
2024
11.00am



With Rev Janice Faris

All Welcome

Revive

Modern, Contemporary Worship in a Relaxed and Informal Setting

At Carlisle Methodist Church

Wigton Road

Every 3rd Thursday 7:30—9:00pm

From January 18th 2024

All Welcome



Circuit Lent Lunches 2024

Thursday's at

Dalston

Methodist Church

12.00nn Talk followed
by Soup & Fruit Lunch



LENT

*15th February, 22nd February, 29th February,
7th March, 14th March & 21st March*

REGULAR EVENTS

this list includes anything that happens weekly, fortnightly or monthly. If I have missed anything please let the Circuit Administrator know, Thank you,
(TT represents term time only)

Monday	10.00am	Dementia Café	1st	Cornerstone: Wigton
	1.00pm	Walking Football	Weekly	Silloth Green
	2.00pm	Short Mat Bowls	Weekly	CMC: Wigton Road
	2.15pm	Oasis	1st	Thurstonfield
	5.15pm	Beavers	Weekly TT	CMC: Wigton Road
Tuesday	9.00am	Men's Breakfast	Last	Auction Mart, Rosehill
	9:30am	Coffee Morning	Weekly	Cornerstone: Wigton
	10.00am	Food Bank in Church	Weekly	Cornerstone: Wigton
	10.00am	Dementia Café	3rd	Dalston
	10.00am	Knit & Natter	Weekly	Longtown
	10:00am	Tea@Ten	Weekly	Zoom
	12 noon	Meet to Eat	1st	Dalston
	1.00pm	Lunch Club	1st & 3rd	CMC: Wigton Road
	1.30pm	Toddler Group & Stitches	Weekly	CMC: Newtown
	2.00pm	Short Mat Bowls	Weekly	CMC: Upperby
	2.30pm	Tuesday Fellowship	1st & 3rd	CMC: Wigton Road
	4.30pm	Rainbows	Weekly TT	CMC: Wigton Road
	5.30pm	Brownies	Weekly TT	CMC: Wigton Road
	7.00pm	Guides	Weekly TT	CMC: Wigton Road
	7.00pm	House Group	2nd & 4th	Cornerstone: Silloth
	7:00pm	Faith Discussions	1st & 3rd	Zoom
	7.00pm	Deeper with God	2nd & 4th	Zoom
Wednesday	10.00am	Buggy Brigade	Weekly TT	Dalston
	10.30am	Prayer Service	Weekly	Brampton
	2.00pm	Fellowship	Weekly	Cornerstone Aspatria
	2.00pm	Bible Study	1st & 3rd	Cornerstone: Wigton
	6.30pm	Cubs	Weekly TT	CMC: Wigton Road
	7.30pm	Wives' Group	Fortnightly	CMC: Wigton Road
Thursday	10.00am	Alpha Course	Weekly	The Fearon's House
	10.00am	Parent & Toddler Group	Weekly TT	CMC: Wigton Road
	10.00am	House Group	Weekly	Cornerstone: Caldbeck
	10.00am	Bible Study	Weekly	Cornerstone: Abbeytown
	10.30am	Coffee Break	Weekly	Gilsland
	12 noon	Soup & Sweet	3rd	Port Carlisle
	12 noon	Lunch with Us	Last	Monkhill
	1.30pm	Parent & Toddler Group	Weekly	Thurstonfield
	3.30pm—5	The Youth Hub	Weekly TT	Longtown
	7.00pm	Scouts	Weekly TT	CMC: Wigton Road
Friday	10.00am	Food Bank in Church	Weekly	Cornerstone: Wigton
Sunday	10:30am	Sunday Morning Worship	Weekly	Cornerstone Facebook, YouTube and Phone line
	4.00pm	Messy Sunday	2nd & 4th	Cornerstone: Wigton
	6:30pm	Sunday Evening Worship	1st & 3rd	Zoom

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

These are all great opportunities to meet together, support each other and get to know one another better. Please make a note of them and try to support these events.

JANUARY

Thu.	18	7.30pm	Revive	CMC, Wigton Road
Tue.	30	9.30am	Worship Leader Training	CMC, Wigton Road

FEBRUARY

Sat.	03	2.00pm	Chaplaincy Celebration	St Cuthbert's
Wed.	07	7.30pm	LP & WL Meeting	CMC, Wigton Road
Sat.	10	12.00nn	Pancake Lunch	Monkhill
Sun.	11	9.30am	United Covenant Service	Longtown
Thu.	15	12.00nn	Lent Lunch	Dalston
Thu.	15	7.30pm	Revive	CMC, Wigton Road
Thu.	22	12.00nn	Lent Lunch	Dalston
Thu.	29	12.00nn	Lent Lunch	Dalston

MARCH

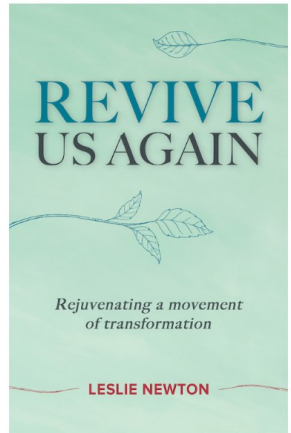
Fri.	01	2.00pm	World Day of Prayer	Longtown
Sat.	02		Christian Aid Changemakers Conference	
Thu.	07	12.00nn	Lent Lunch	Dalston
Wed.	13	7.30pm	Circuit Meeting	CMC, Wigton Road
Thu.	14	12.00nn	Lent Lunch	Dalston
Sun.	17	10.45am	Church Anniversary Service	CMC, Upperby
Thu.	21	12.00nn	Lent Lunch	Dalston
Thu.	21	7.30pm	Revive	CMC, Wigton Road
Tue.	26	7.00pm	Holy Week Concert followed by Refreshments	Dalston
Thu.	28	10.00am	Maundy Thursday Holy Communion	Cornerstone@Caldbeck
Thu.	28	7.00pm	Maundy Thursday Service	Brampton
Thu.	28	7.00pm	Maundy Thursday Meal & Communion	CMC, Wigton Road
Thu.	28	7.30pm	Maundy Thursday Holy Communion	Cornerstone@Wigton
Fri.	29	10.00am	Good Friday Service	CMC, Wigton Road
Fri.	29	10.00am	Good Friday Walk of Witness	Silloth
Fri.	29	10.00am	Good Friday Walk of Witness	Wigton
Fri.	29	11.00am	Good Friday Service with Rev Janice Faris	Dalston
Fri.	29	11.15am	Good Friday Service in the Green Market (City Centre)	Carlisle
Sun.	31st	6.00am	Sunrise Service	Bitts Park
Sun.	31st	2.30pm	Easter Communion	Port Carlisle

APRIL

Thu.	18	7.30pm	Revive	CMC, Wigton Road
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Lent

During Lent we will be making available copies of a study guide to go with the book "Revive us again" by Leslie Newton. Leslie is the chair of the Yorkshire North and East district. His book takes a good look at the roots of growth in the Methodist Church such as the class meeting and the initial desire of early Methodists to reform the nation and the church through the spread of scriptural holiness which he defines as 'Love in action'. As Lesley suggests that we might simply become better at what we used to do, rather than transform and grow the Kingdom of God, he takes a journey that looks at why we do the things we do rather than simply think about how we can do them better.



We would encourage you to make this part of your Lent studies, either as a group or as part of you personal devotions. Please ask a member of the staff team for a copy of the study guide.



Holy Week

Maundy Thursday

10:00am Holy Communion at Cornerstone @ Caldbeck
7.00pm Service at Brampton
7:00pm, Meal and Communion at CMC, Wigton Rd
7:30pm Holy Communion at Cornerstone @ Wigton

Good Friday

10:00am Service at CMC, Wigton Rd
10:00am Walk of Witness at Silloth
10:00am Walk of Witness at Wigton
11:00am Service at Dalston
11:15am in the Green Market (City Centre)

Easter Day

6:00am Sunrise Service in Bitts Park
2:30pm Easter Communion at Port Carlisle

**We need
YOU!**

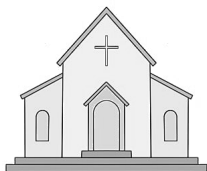


Circuit Steward Vacancy

What idea's do you have to;
Shape the church for the future,
Support local congregations,
Support the ministers

Become a Circuit Steward and you
would be involved in the Circuit Leadership Team which:
Shapes the spiritual direction of the circuit,
Seeks to support local churches in mission, worship,
discipleship and growth,
Help set the priorities for the circuit.

Are you being called to this role?
Please chat with one of the current circuit stewards or with
David or Phil.



Circuit Property Secretary Vacancy

Do you have a general overview of property
issues for churches?

Could you attend district property meetings and
pass on the relevant information to the churches?

Could you take on this administrative role?

Liaise between Churches and the District

Set up Quinquennial Inspections every 5 years

If churches plan any significant work liaise with

TMCP & District

Work with the Circuit Administrator to maintain a list of local
trades people and check annual online property forms have been
completed

Keep the Leadership Team up to date with what's happening with
properties.

If you are called to this role please speak to David, Phil or one of
the Circuit Stewards.

Cornerstone

Cornerstone Youth Church did us proud (18th November) when they organised a waiter/waitress service beetle drive and pie & peas supper in Wigton church hall to raise cash for a Tear Fund project known as Toilet Twinning. More than 50 folk had a great night and lovely supper (included cakes and tea/coffee) at the end of which enough cash (which included donations) had been raised to install three toilets (for communal use) in underdeveloped countries where flush toilets are a real luxury. Sadly, there is a long list of countries where sanitation is both shockingly basic and scarce – but by a ballot among worshippers at morning service (on 26th November), it was decided to install toilets in Nepal, South Sudan and the Democratic Republic of Congo. A sizeable team pulled out the stops, not least supervisor Claire Jackson (wife of Rev Phil) and MC Adrian Cozens.

Cornerstone's new Children and Families Worker Mrs Jennie Crawley is making new friends and building strong bonds of outreach since her arrival. There's a sizeable bag of ideas being put into programme but mum-of-two Jennie got a taste of how responsive the local community can be with a 'Light Party' at Wigton Church (29th October). Lots of helpers and donors responded and around 60 parents/carers and children had a whale of a time (dressing up, pumpkin carving, treasure hunting, maze exploration and the rest). And two sessions of crafting launched a travelling nativity sets initiative which was a success at the Wigton church's 'Messy Lite' event (26th November, Wigton lights switch-on).

A touching contribution was made to Wigton morning service on 12th November with a reading from his wheelchair (and with wife Julie by his side) from Steve Harding who has been slowly re-building his life after suffering a stroke. Steve, a former major in the Royal Army Medical Corps, was under training as a Circuit Local Preacher, when his life was turned upside down a little over 18 months ago. But he's letting it be known that he has work to do for Cornerstone and that he's back!

There was a pleasing response to the annual Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Appeal. At the dedication service (5th November), 62 shoeboxes, filled with Christmas gifts for less privileged children overseas, were blessed by Betty Jagger before onward transportation by the charity Samaritan's Purse. In addition, a total of £268 was collected for the same cause. Three weeks later, Rev Phil Jackson blessed and dedicated new toys to be gifted to local children...another

top response to an appeal put out by Alan and Adeline Fearon who were confident of hitting their target of 100 toys.

Remembrance Sunday (12th November) was marked at morning services at Wigton (leader Nathan Pattinson) and at Aspatria (leader Robert Pattinson with valuable input from Abigail Hartshorne-Bell and Jennifer Reay) to remember and honour the memories of those who fought for our freedom and those who continue to defend it. As our images portray, the ladies at Aspatria know how to make a salute with colour and creative thought.

The Cornerstone Gift Day appeal in October added a marvellous £6,330 (from all sources) to church funds. A timely prompt had been given earlier with the cautionary news that in the year ended 31st August, 2023, Cornerstone's essential spending exceeded income by £16,238. A 'big ticket' item which couldn't be avoided was the fitting of a new heating boiler in the Wigton church in early October. The supply and installation of the Rehema Quinta Ace 55 came with a bill of £7,500 – but with the promise of splendid service for years to come.

Phil Cram

Flanders poppies – the symbol of the Royal British Legion and of the struggle of the allies on the Western Front (1914-18) resonated with life at Aspatria Methodist Chapel (Remembrance Sunday – 12th November, 2023).



Monkhill

The Joint Harvest Supper held in October in Beaumont Parish Hall was a great success and well attended. St Mary's Beaumont, St Michael's Burgh and Monkhill Chapel jointly hosted the event and a meal of delicious steak pie and peas followed by a variety of sweet desserts was served. The meal was accompanied by a fun quiz with prizes and the evening proved very enjoyable.

The United Remembrance Day service was held at St Mary's Beaumont followed by our Brunch Service in the schoolroom at Monkhill to enjoy delicious bacon butties and hear some interesting and relevant stories relayed by Alan Fearon.

In November we participated in Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Appeal and the schoolroom was a drop-off point for shoeboxes again. We held a couple of official packing sessions that were advertised locally and a few unofficial ones to deal with all the items donated to go in the boxes. Together with Stoneraise School Shoeboxes (thanks to Annmarie Pattinson of Thurstonfield Chapel), a total of 168 shoeboxes were collected from the schoolroom towards the end of November. This exceeded the number collected last year – amazing! An email just received from Samaritan's Purse who oversee the appeal have notified us that 23,655 shoeboxes have been donated this year; that's over 23,000 children who will hear about Jesus and the hope of the Gospel, perhaps for the first time. We are proud at Monkhill to be able to be a part of this achievement and eagerly await news of our boxes' destination.

Now in Christmas mode, we have held our Christmas Lunch with Us on the first Thursday in December; a traditional Christmas dinner which apparently was "superb". The new heaters in the schoolroom have just been fitted so festive lunchers were able to take full advantage of a warmer place to eat! We are attracting a few new faces as well which is excellent news.

The next lunch reverts back to the usual last Thursday (25th January)

Christmas celebrations continue this week with Carol Singing in The Drovers at Monkhill on Friday 15th at 7.00pm, back this year by popular demand.

On Saturday 16th between 10am and 2pm, a kind invitation has been extended to all within the Solway Hub of Churches to join a get-together at Cardew Lodge Dalston, following a successful get-together and barbeque in the summer.

The Community Christmas Service for our Parish is taking place at the Parish Hall this Sunday 17th at 10am starting with coffee and mince pies. It will be led by David Newlove and members at Monkhill and St Mary's will be taking part. We hope to be able to send donations again of non-perishable items to the Carlisle Food Bank and toys to children in the Carlisle area who are less fortunate.

The following Tuesday evening 19th at 7.00pm is the Carol Service at Port Carlisle Chapel followed by refreshments.

Monkhill Chapel is not holding further services now until after New Year because most members are away or unable to attend but of course there is opportunity for any others who are able, to support services in the Parish or at other Methodist Churches over the next couple of weeks.

We take this opportunity to wish you all a very happy and peaceful Christmas and New Year.

Forthcoming event

Pancake Lunch in the School-room on **Saturday 10 February 2024** from 12 noon to 2.00pm.

Proceeds in aid of North Cumbria Methodist Circuit Project 2023/24 – Release International - a UK based Christian ministry supporting believers in about 30 countries around the world who are persecuted for Christ and the gospel.

Lynne Graham

Carlisle Methodist Church, Wigton Rd

You can't beat a Brass Band at Christmas. St Stephen's Band and the Belle Vue School Ukulele Band joined forces to give a very successful concert at Wigton Road on the 20th December. The bands each played separately. The brass band played a mixture of seasonal music to their usual high standard whilst the ukuleles were exceptionally good playing happy tunes with actions. Both bands then gave us some combined pieces and a good time was had by the large audience.

Harry Gill



Hosting Political Events.

With the Government's commitment to a General Election coming in this year it is appropriate to remind churches of how we handle requests for the use of our premises for political meetings.

Our Standing Orders (921) remind us that Managing trustees are not permitted to sponsor meetings of political parties, nor may such meetings be held in the name of any Methodist body.

We can allow political parties to hire our buildings for their occasional use (eg as prospective candidate wishing to host a meeting in their name). This must be a separate event to anything we run. Please note that the submission of resolutions or taking of votes on political matters is not allowed during any Methodist meeting for public religious worship nor whilst congregations are assembled or dispersed.

It is also the case that no signatures for petitions on political matters may be invited during any Methodist meeting for public religious worship without the consent of the Church Council.

What we can do is sponsor an event that promotes informed discussion of public issues in the context of Christian theology and ethics and we are able to host a hustings for prospective candidates to attend but as a rule for this and all of the above we only accept such requests from a candidate whose party they represent currently has a sitting MP in the Houses of Parliament.

If you have any queries please speak to either Phil Jackson or David Newlove. In any case, please inform one of them if such bookings are accepted.

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