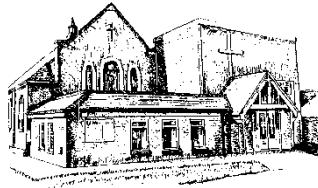


YMC News

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## YATE METHODIST CHURCH

**Sunday Worship: -10.30am (unless otherwise stated)**

**December 4<sup>th</sup>:** - Mrs Valerie Lamont

Weekly Prayer Topic: - Pray for Ukraine and all the war-torn places in the world

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December 11th: - To be announced. **(Toys (FOR SCHOOL AGE CHILDREN & TEENAGERS). Nativity & Family Parade Service).**

Weekly Prayer Topic: - Pray for the work of the Foodbank in Yate and North Bristol as they cope with increasing demand for food.

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**December 18<sup>th</sup>:** - Rev Leigh Maydew **(Communion Service)**

Weekly Prayer Topic: - For all who are affected by the industrial actions of so many unions.

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December 21st - 7.30pm-Longest Night/Blue Christmas Service (For those who find Christmas a difficult time.) Followed by Coffee & Mince Pies

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**December 24<sup>th</sup>: - 4.00pm - Christingle and Carol Service**

Followed by Coffee & Mince Pies

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December 25th: - 10.30am - Rev Leigh Maydew-
Christmas Day Service

Weekly Prayer Topic: Christ is Born in Bethlehem. Give thanks for the coming of our Saviour to the world.

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**January 1<sup>st</sup> - NO SERVICE!!!**

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Sunday (during 10.30am Service) Children's & Young People's Groups- More information: Faith Mango or Sue Harrison **If Sunday club is not running, please speak with a steward before the service for a children's activity sheet and pens.**

Monday

- **Boys' Brigade**

6:30 -7:30pm - Anchors

6:30 - 8:00pm - Junior Section

6:30 - 9:30pm - Company Section

More information: Simon Crocker

- **Messy Mondays** 9.30-11.30am - Parents, Carers, Babies and Toddlers Group-More information: Amy Marsh

Wednesday

- **Girls' Brigade**

6 - 7:30pm - N:vestigate & n:gage (4-11yrs)

7:30 - 9pm - N:counta & n:spire (11-18yr)

More information: Hilary Wilkins

Thursday

The next '**First Thursday**' short reflection and communion will be on **December 1st** @ 7.00pm.

~~ **What's On in December** ~~

Welcome to Yate Methodist Church. We do hope you will enjoy worshipping with us. Please note the following dates and items of interest **(At this church unless otherwise stated and see further details on the screen before the service.)**

Meeting Point- (Wednesday-2.15pm) Afternoon group for all with invited speakers.

- **December 14th - 12.30pm- Fish n' Chip Meal at Church (pre-ordered)**

Advent Home Groups

TUESDAYS- November 29th, 13th, & 20th @ 10.15am at MIKE & JOY'S (28, FERNDOWN)

and @ 7.30pm at ANDY & MARY'S (51, FINCH RD)

Everyone is invited to join the groups. The theme for the sessions is 'There is Room' 1) for you and me 2) for difference 3) for all of nature and 4) for all ages and genders.

AND

The Boys' Brigade Carol Service - Monday 5th December at 7pm. Followed by coffee and mince pies. All are welcome.

MONTHLY 'BRING & SHARE' LUNCH - Sunday, December 11th after the morning service. Items for a 'picnic' meal are welcome.

The Girls' Brigade Carol Service - Wednesday 14th December, @ 6.45pm. All are welcome. Leave time for parking.

Carol Singing in the Shopping Centre - Saturday, December 17th, 10.00am - 12.00pm. Everyone is welcome as we bring the Christmas message to the shoppers, with the collection for **Action for Children**

Please give events and meetings your full support Please advise Andy Eaves of anything you wish to be included in the January News-sheet before December 20th. Phone 314673 or e-mail, theeaves@talktalk.net