

## ACCOMMODATION REQUEST

Some of our Iranian community have been granted leave to remain here in the UK, but unfortunately have to vacate their present accommodation. Can anyone in the church family house them temporarily whilst they arrange permanent accommodation ? Please see Gary if you can help out.

## GIVING

Thank you so much for all you give to the mission and ministry of Holy Trinity. If you would like to join the regular giving scheme here please speak to Kevin treasurer@holytrinity.stalybridge.org. More information can be found on the welcome desk

## SERVING

There are a number of different ways to serve God at Holy Trinity – working with technology, young people, food and many many more. Please contact the office if you would like to explore how you can serve the Lord at Holy Trinity.

## LISTEN ONLINE

All our talks are recorded and available online here if you missed one <http://www.holytrinity.stalybridge.org/talks/>

**PLEASE PRAY** for the ministry and mission of the church and this week...

- Cascade Drop In Centre
- The schools and youth work
- All the coming Christmas events and the guests who visit our church

## PRAY FOR ME

If you have any prayer requests please email them to: [prayformeht@gmail.com](mailto:prayformeht@gmail.com)

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The church office is open Monday, Tuesday and Friday from 9.00am to 3.00pm and Wednesday 10.00am to 3.00pm

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H O L Y T R I N I T Y  
S T A L Y B R I D G E

**November 24th 2019**

### Sunday 24th November

9.15am and 11.15am Communion and Children's groups  
'Faith in the Miraculous  
Joshua 10: 1-15

3.00pm Football at Astley Sports  
5.00pm Iranian Worship  
In St Matthews

### Monday 25th November

9.00am Prayer meeting  
9.00am Family Forum  
7.30pm Alpha Course

### Tuesday 26th November

9.00am Prayer meeting  
1.00pm Cascade Drop In

### Wednesday 27th November

9.00am Prayer meeting  
10.00am Bridge Coffee  
10.30am Communion  
6.30pm Alive Youth

### Thursday 28th November

9.00am Prayer meeting  
7.15pm Encounter Youth  
7.30pm Worship group

### Friday 29th November

9.00am Prayer meeting

### Saturday 30th November

9.30am Later Life Conference

### Sunday 1st December

9.15am and 11.15am  
Family Worship and Toy Service  
'Get ready for Jesus'  
Matthew 24: 36-44

6.30pm Breathe service



It is great to see you this morning! If you are visiting us or are new to Holy Trinity, thank you for coming. Please sit anywhere you want to and join in as much or as little as you feel comfortable with. Everything you need will be on the screens and there is always provision for young people.

Afterwards we share tea and coffee together (get there quickly before the kids eat all the biscuits) and we offer prayer ministry in the side chapel near the front. If you want to know more about the church please ask one of the welcome team (wearing white badges) or ask Gary, the Vicar. We hope you will feel at home this morning.

**Holy Trinity exists to:**

**Love God  
Grow Community  
Serve Stalybridge**

### **FOOTBALL MATCH Today**

We are having another football match at Astley Sports today at 3pm. Cost is £2 adults, 14-17yr olds free. After the game we'll be heading to the pub for some traditional refreshments! For more information, or if you need a lift, please contact Chris Chester (07982 615740 or mail@chrischester.plus.com )

### **ENCOURAGING FAITH in LATER LIFE 30th November**

This is an exciting conference designed to look at God's plans for our senior years. This is a free event here in church next Saturday and starts at 9.30am and finishes at 1pm  
If anyone would like to help Veronica with the refreshments, please let her know.

### **TOY SERVICE 1st December - NEXT WEEK**

Next Sunday we are having our annual Toy Service. Please bring along new and unwrapped toys that will be given to children in and around our local community. It's a great way of extending God's love in the surrounding area.

### **KAIROS Youth Event 6th December**

A special Friday night for teenagers. Speak to Ruth for more information

### **MESSY CHURCH 7th December**

More information soon, but speak with Bea if you would like to help or know more. It will be from 4.00pm

### **MEMORY TREE CAFÉ 8th December**

An opportunity for some quiet reflection amidst the busy festive season. Call in the lounge between 2.30pm and 6.00pm for free light refreshments and an opportunity to add a name or message to the Memory Tree and light a candle in memory of a loved one. See Janet D'Anzi for more details.

### **CAROL SERVICES 15th December**

Our annual Carol Services will be at 4.30pm and 6.30pm on Sunday 15th December. Please invite friends and neighbours along to either service

### **CASCADE DROP IN CHRISTMAS PARTY 17th December**

Buffet lunch and refreshments, guest singer and other activities. You will need to book a place and the forms are at the back of church or from the church office or Janet D'Anzi.

### **OUTDOOR CAROLS 18th December**

We are joining with other churches, West Hill School, Tameside Community Voices and Tameside Council to hold an outdoor Carol Service. It's in the evening, in the square outside the Civic hall. All are welcome.

### **CHRISTMAS CEILIDH 20th December**

Dancing, singing and celebrating together with a live Band. Join us for a fun evening with Bring and Share supper and bring your friends. Tickets now available from the church office at £7.00 each.

### **GOSPEL CHOIR**

The Gospel Choir will be getting together again for our Carol Services on Sunday 15th December (4.00pm & 6.30pm). We would love some new members and would like to particularly encourage more men to join us! This is a fun and uplifting way of connecting with others and meeting new people. Enthusiasm and an ability to hold a tune are all that is required. Rehearsals will be 24th Nov, 1st and 8th December all at 1.30 to 2.30pm in church. People from the 1st service usually pop home for lunch and come back for an hour while people at the later service bring a packed lunch. We are also hoping to organise a short performance at Tesco on Sat morning December 14th plus the outdoor Carols on Wed 18th Dec in the evening. Further details to follow. For more info and to get the dropbox link to the songs speak to or email Sue Green. drummersue@hotmail.com

### **TEAR FUND THANK YOU**

The BIG QUIZ last Saturday raised an amazing £467.00 for Tear Fund and the work it does overseas. A big thanks to all who supported it. Commiserations to the gallant losers 'Staly Scally's' and Congratulations to this years winners 'Team Interlopers'. As mentioned last Sunday to 'Team Interlopers', next year were all coming to get you !. Look after the trophy while you have the chance.

### **SPONSORED RICE AND BEANS DIET CHALLENGE**

Nick Lowther, Diana Flynn Carien Rai and Cris Trueman are going on a diet of rice and beans for a week between 7<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> December in order to raise money for the Malawi Eagles who work with some of the poorest communities in Malawi. **Sponsorship forms** are at the back of the church and your prayers of support would be very much welcomed.

### **AMEN SHOEBOXES**

Thanks to all who gave shoeboxes for The Amen Trust. All 51 boxes were collected last Saturday and are on their way to bless children and families in Romania.

We were also able to donate £185.00 to them from the donations on the contents forms.

### **CARERS CONNECT**

Just a reminder that Carers Connect meet on just the first Friday of each month at 12noon in the church lounge.