Children's and Youth Work at Guiseley Baptist Church

Sunday Mornings

Sessions for children and youth run alongside our Sunday morning worship. The children's session is for children up to Year 6 and the youth sessions are for young people from Year 7 to 17 years of age.

Sunday Evenings

Youth Alpha: every Sunday from 5:30-7pm. It allows young people to discuss different topics of faith. Food is provided.

Midweek Activities

- Table Tennis Club: Mondays from 4-5:30pm for children from Year 5 to 17 years of age. Term time only.
- **GCT Kids Club:** Mondays from 6-7:15pm for children aged 5 11 years old. Meets term time only at Guiseley Methodist Church.
- Mainly Music: Fridays from 10-11am for pre-school aged children. £3 entry fee per family, includes refreshments for adults and children.
- **GBC Youth:** Fridays from 7-8:30pm for young people from Year 7 to 17 years of age. Various different games and activities including pool, table tennis and Xbox

All of our groups are led according to our GBC safeguarding policy, which can be viewe on the GBC website - <u>www.guiseleybaptistchurch.co.uk</u>

Please contact Joe Millar for more information.

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10th December 2023

Shepherds: From Fear to Faith

Following on in our Advent series, David Hudson will be preaching on Luke 2: 8-20 in today's service.

Refreshments will be served at the end of the service; please do join us for a hot drink and a chat!

Audio recordings of previous sermons can be found on our website

if you would like to catch up or revisit earlier sermon series

www.guiseleybaptistchurch.co.uk

Welcome to Guiseley Baptist Church!

If you are visiting us today, we give you a warm welcome and trust you will feel at home. If you'd like to know more about GBC and what we do, please speak to one of the leadership team. Alternatively, our website- www.guiseleybaptistchurch.co.uk - gives up to date details of church activities.

Advent and Christmas Services

- Dec 3rd: Mary: From Trouble to Trust
- Dec 10th: Shepherds: From Fear to Faith
- **Dec 17th:** Nativity Service (**10:30am**)
- **Dec 17th:** Simeon: From Darkness to Light (Carol Service, **6:30pm**)
- Dec 24th: Magi: From Wisdom to Worship
- Dec 25th: Christmas Day (please note this service will start earlier, at 10am)
- Dec 31st: Jesus: From Manger to Majesty

We are looking for donations of mince pies to serve after both of our services on the 17th December; please speak to Sue Tofrik if you are able to provide these.

Lantern Parade

On **Sunday 17th December at 4:20pm** there will be a Lantern parade and Carol Service at Guiseley Cross. A small number of people will walk down from Parkinson's Park with Lanterns and our very own Joe Millar will be taking part.

Everyone is welcome to join in and mince pies will be served.

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Joanna Project

A big thank you to all those who brought in gifts and toiletries for our collection for The Joanna Project! Our Christmas Day collection this year will also go to them.

Bradford North Foodbank

We work closely with the Aireborough Children's Centre. They are making sure no family is without food over Christmas, so we were busy making parcels up for them as well as coping with our own referrals. Needless to say we quickly ran out of some food items.

We are short of:

- Soup, tins of Beans/spaghetti/tomatoes/veg/meat/fish/potatoes.
- Tinned Fruit/rice pudding/custard
- Biscuits
- Pasta/rice
- UHT Milk
- Coffee
- Jam
- Cleaning products
- Toothpaste
- Shower gel/shampoo
- Deodorant
- Sanitary towels

If everyone was to buy just 1 item it would make a huge difference. Please speak to Judith Beckwith for more information.

If you would like to put any information in the church notice sheet, please email zoe.hutchinson@guiseleybaptistchurch.co.uk