



Please see below information for the coming weeks.

## SUNDAYS

**SUNDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> November:** Morning Service 10:30 am

**“God Never Said That”** It doesn’t matter what you do!  
Romans 6: 18-23 Rev Gary Watt

Hilary Disney will be leading worship.

The service will be streamed on the Littleover Methodist Church YouTube Channel – see notice overleaf that explains more.



[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCwcrjy\\_2LvFR3ArB2UaWSQQ](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCwcrjy_2LvFR3ArB2UaWSQQ)

The service will also be on Zoom

After the service there will be opportunity to chat together over zoom. For easier conversation “breakout rooms” with a smaller group of people chosen at random will operate. Click “Join” breakout room when prompted.

**Families Together at Home @ 4:30pm – Who’s Who in the Rescue?**  
Luke 1:5-7 and Luke 1:8-17

This Sunday we are inviting families to join us on Zoom to explore Luke 2:5-7 and Luke 1:8-17. There will be activities, songs, questions, and an opportunity to pray together.



We would ask parents to be present with their children during this session as we will need your help with some of the activities and questions!

## NOTICES

**ANNUAL CHURCH MEETING SUNDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> NOVEMBER AT 1:30 PM**

This will be held on ZOOM. Please be in prayer for the meeting.

**LMC Services: YouTube**

Our YouTube channel is up and running and can be found following this link:

[Littleover Methodist Church - YouTube](#)

Those who have watched the videos on YouTube have already commented on how much better the quality is compared to the experience on Zoom. Of course, you also get the benefit of not missing anything if you are delayed starting the service. You can also rewind if you want to listen to an important sermon point again, missed a notice or just really like a particular song. You can also find the videos of previous services as well by looking in the Sunday Worship playlist.

If you subscribe it also makes it easier to find our videos as they appear in your “recommended list”. You can also find out when new resources are made available on our channel.

For example, this link:

[ADVENTure - a video series to journey through Advent](#)

will take you to a trailer for a series of short videos we are currently producing to share in a journey through advent. Each video will become available on each day of Advent starting from the 29<sup>th</sup> of November.

You don't have to miss out on the after service face to face chat either. You can watch the video on YouTube and then at the end of the service use the usual link to join the Zoom meeting and chat with others in our church family.

## CITYWIDE PRAYER Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> November, 2020 at 6:30pm

Be encouraged to join in with over 300 prayer warriors and pray for our city and for the work of Derby City Mission at this online prayer event.

We will be online for this event, streaming live on **Derby City Mission Facebook Page** and **City Wide Prayer YouTube Channel**. Everyone is welcome, share the news with your friends and family. God always meets with us at these prayer events and loves your children to be there too!

Got a question? Email [viv@derbycitymission.org.uk](mailto:viv@derbycitymission.org.uk)

**WATCH LIVE - FACEBOOK**

click these links

**WATCH LIVE - YOUTUBE**



As part of our Christmas preparations at LMC, we would like to present '**Christmas in a Bag**' gifts for those members of the congregation who may be on their own - around 20 members.

Many thanks in anticipation of your help. For more information, please contact Rachel Hilton.



Since 1996 **Derby City Mission** has been providing Christmas presents for thousands of children who might not otherwise receive any. In 2019 over 460 children received a bag of Christmas presents. This year because of the effect that Coronavirus has had on the economy, in the last month we have seen a sharp increase in the number of families facing poverty and seeking help with food and debt advice through our Jubilee clinics. With churches not meeting, or only in smaller numbers, we fear that we may receive fewer presents from this major source this year, so please can you spread the word and help us bring hope and happiness to these struggling families with some toys and gifts this Christmas.

### HOW CAN I GET INVOLVED?

From mid-November, we start collecting donations of brand new toys, books and cuddly toys for children aged 0 to 17 years old, **[gifts for 0- 3 particularly needed]** which are then packed into age-appropriate parcels with sweets and selection packs as distributed to the families from early December. This year because of having to quarantine donations before packing and distributing, please can donations be made before **the end of the month**. See Suggested Gift List attached to email.

1. Buy a toy and deliver to our offices at 10 Normanton Road. Please call on 07954 783454 to check someone will be there to receive your gifts. **OR DELIVER TO LINDA MILLER ( who will have a collection box available for gifts at her house) tel: 07739259741 to let her know.**
2. Can't get out to buy? This year we have created an Amazon wish list to make it easier for you to buy a gift [https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/1NB902AOYE7X5?ref=wl\\_share](https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/1NB902AOYE7X5?ref=wl_share) Please make sure gifts are sent to the Gift Registry address so they come directly to our offices. If you order by AmazonSmile and choose Derby City Mission as your Charity of Choice, you may be able to raise extra funds for us when you buy gifts marked Eligible for [ [smile.amazon.co.uk](https://www.amazon.co.uk)] donation
3. No time to buy? We can buy them for you. Donate now <https://www.derbycitymission.org.uk/appeal/christmas-connection-2020> via our website

## Church Family News

**Roger Gynn.** The funeral for Roger Gynn will take place at LMC on **Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> November at 2:00 pm**. There is a limit on numbers; please let us know if you wish to attend. In order to book a place and for track and trace purposes please email Jane at [office@lmclife.org.uk](mailto:office@lmclife.org.uk) or phone 01332 365045.

Everyone is reminded that they should not attend if they are self-isolating or exhibiting Covid symptoms; masks must be worn; there will be no congregational singing; and worshippers are asked to disperse promptly at the end of the service.

**Friday Coffee Morning:** Friday 27<sup>th</sup> November On ZOOM

All welcome to meet up for a catch up to chat and encourage one another. This will continue **fortnightly** on ZOOM.

10:30 and 12:00 (come and go as you please)



## Contact information

### Keep in Touch

- If you are in touch with folk from church who do not receive emails from the church office please ask them to contact the church office - we can send them a GDPR form to complete and we can add them to the email list.
- In addition Facebook users may want to follow [@LittleoverMethodistChurch](https://www.facebook.com/LittleoverMethodistChurch) and join the group/ chat room "Life at Littleover Methodist Church".



### Minister Appointments:

Just a reminder that Gary is available for conversation or pastoral calls on Wednesdays - pre-booking preferred. Please respect his day off - Friday.

Jackie Berry can be contacted between 9am and 2pm.

The Church office answer phone is available during the week and emails are responded to promptly.

If you have further questions or queries, please do not hesitate to contact: Church office 01332 365045 or Gary Watt or Jackie Berry