

❖ **Methodist Women in Britain Christmas Market**

The MWiB Christmas Market will be held on **Friday 6th December** from 10:30am to 1:00pm at Victoria Hall, Norfolk Street. Methodist churches from this area are providing the cake stall and any donations of cakes would be appreciated. Please phone Jean Wilmslow on [REDACTED] for details.

COMING SOON...

❖ **Christmas Concert at Wesley Hall**

On **Wednesday 11th December**, at 7:30pm, there will be a joint concert by the University of Sheffield Gospel Choir and the Steel City Concert Band at Wesley Hall. If you would like to book a ticket, (£5, £3 concessions), please email: gospelchoir@sheffield.ac.uk or ring/see Liz. All profit will go to charity.

❖ **Worrall Male Voice Choir**

Worrall Male Voice Choir presents 'A Christmas Celebration' with special guests, the Unite the Union Band, at 7:30pm on **Friday 20th December** at Wesley Hall. Tickets cost £7 (£6 concessions) and are available by calling 0845 601 4943 or emailing concerts@worrallmvc.org.uk.

AND FINALLY...

❖ **Pianists Wanted**

As I'm sure you've noticed, Rebekah will be gaining a brother or sister in January. As such, I am going to be out of action from playing the piano for a while. If you or anyone you know would be able and willing to play, then any help would be much appreciated, even if it's just a one off or once a month. Thanks, Emma.

❖ **CLC Bookshop**

Advent and Christmas resources – CLC has plenty of choice and loads of offers. Come and see! Late night opening until 7.30pm every Wednesday. NOTE: Make a group of at least ten people and have access to the shop on the evening of your choice. Yes, we will open after hours just for you! Date and time to suit; refreshments included. Contact us soon! We now sell used books and Bibles; prices start at just 25p and stock changes quickly. CLC Bookshops, 103 West Street, Sheffield S1 4EQ; (0114) 2812136; sheffield@clcbookshops.com. Shop online at www.clcbookshops.com; search for CLC Bookshops, Sheffield on facebook and twitter.

❖ **Christmas in Crookes Poster**

Representatives from all of the churches in Crookes have met and put together a poster giving details of services that are happening across all of the churches this Christmas. We have a large version up on our community notice board and there are small flyer versions at the back of church. If someone you know might be interested in coming along to a service this Christmas, please take some flyers to give to them. Also, if you would be willing to take a poster (either A3 or A4 size) and display it in your window for passers-by to see, please see Matt.

❖ **Secondary Glazing & Crèche Re-launch**

The secondary glazing will be installed this week. The rooms that will benefit from the new glazing are the Church Hall, Committee Room, Emmaus Room and Crèche. The Emmaus Room and Crèche will also be having insulation installed above the suspended ceiling tiles. Once this work is complete, we would like to bring the Crèche room back into use by offering it as a place where parents can leave their young children while they stay in the service. The new Crèche will have toys and figures which can be used to act out simple Bible stories, as well as a better range of age appropriate toys to play with. The Leadership Team has been discussing this but we realise that in order to offer a staffed crèche, we need volunteers to make it happen. If you would be willing to help look after the children in crèche on a rota basis, please see Matt.