



## AND FINALLY...

### ❖ **Collection for Nel Shallow**

As most people will be aware, Nel will shortly be leaving her current role as Mission Enabler for the Sheffield West Circuit. As a token of our thanks, the circuit will be presenting her with a gift. If you would like to contribute to this, please see Andrew Gray.

### ❖ **New Photocopier**

We have a new photocopier but because the lift is not working at the moment, it is in the office because we can't get it upstairs! If you need to do any photocopying, please see someone with an office key.

### ❖ **Church Offering for June**

Wesley Ebenezer Methodist Church is now a registered charity number 1150284. As a registered charity, we are now publishing the amount given in the church offering both on Sunday morning and via standing order. The amount given in June was £1,549.39; thank you for your generosity.

### ❖ **Church Away Weekend**

We will be joining together with our friends at Walkley for an away weekend in Blackpool again next year. This will be over the May Day weekend from the 2<sup>nd</sup> to the 4<sup>th</sup> May 2014. If you are interested in joining us, please let Dorothy White know as soon as possible.

### ❖ **Do You Know Anyone Who Can Help?**

The daughter of friends of ours in Germany is going to be spending the Autumn term at Silverdale School and we are desperately looking for a host family for her to stay with. The school has firmly refused to offer any help in finding her somewhere to stay because of "child protection issues", so we're asking around all our friends, colleagues etc. in the hope that somebody will know a suitable family. If you have any ideas or know anybody we could contact, please let me know.

The girl's name is Johanna Barkam. She will be 16 in the autumn (going into Y11 at Silverdale) and comes from Wilhelmshaven, north Germany. Her father is a head-teacher and teacher of English. She seems a bright girl, is an only child, is learning 3 languages I think and has two rabbits!

She would be a paying guest and would like to be in a family with children (ideally with some about the same age as her and/or attending Silverdale). She will be spending the Autumn term at Silverdale (I don't know the exact dates). She is Catholic but didn't insist on attending a Catholic school and her parents seem to be involved in cross denominational activities.

If you would like any more details please contact Vic Bowden on [vic\\_bowden@hotmail.com](mailto:vic_bowden@hotmail.com).

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