

# KIRKBYMOORSIDE METHODIST CHURCH

## December 2025

### Worship in December

Sunday 7 December	10.30am	Local arrangement: <i>The Orange in the Stocking</i>
Sunday 14 December	10.30am	Local arrangement: <i>Give Hope</i>
Wednesday 17 December	11.00am	Next Steps Carol Service
Thursday 18 December	7.00pm	Churches Together Carol Service at All Saints
Sunday 21 December	10.30am	Carol Service & Holy Communion <i>With love from God</i>
CHRISTMAS DAY	10.00am	Chris Shore: <i>The Best Gift</i>
Sunday 28 December		Invitation to neighbouring churches for worship (no service here)

### Next Steps

All are invited to the Next Steps carol service on Wednesday 18 December at 11.00am. The service will last about half an hour and lunch will be available afterwards.

### Churches Together service of nine lessons and carols

All are welcome to the Churches Together service of nine lessons and carols to be held at All Saints on Thursday 18 December at 7.00pm. There will be refreshments afterwards and a collection for Ryedale Carers.

### Morning prayer

Just a reminder that informal morning prayer takes place at 9.30am each Tuesday morning prior to Oasis.

### Oasis

Anyone is welcome to join us at Oasis on a Tuesday morning between 10am and 11.30am for a coffee, a chat, warmth or simply a quiet space in chapel. If you are able to help occasionally, that would be appreciated – please see any of the stewards or sign your name on the list in the church porch.

### Tuesday group

9 December: 'There is room for all' Christmas evening with members, beginning at 7pm. All are welcome.

### Lunch club

At present, we are catering for around 24 plus helpers and we are very grateful for the volunteers who help prepare, set up, serve and clear away. Christmas festivities will be held on Thursday 18 December. After that, the next lunch will be on Thursday 8 January 2026.

### **Shoebox Appeal**

A huge thank-you to all who supported the Shoebox appeal in any way. A total of 132 boxes were taken to Irton week beginning 10 November. Thank-you.  
Anne

### **Bible Study**

To be arranged in the New Year.

### **Bible readers, etc**

There is a list of dates (two months ahead) in the church porch if you are prepared to read a Bible passage (or two) at a Sunday morning service. Please sign on a convenient date and if you would like the passage beforehand, include your telephone number/email address or give this information to the steward.  
This rota also includes volunteers to prepare the IT for the Sunday service, to welcome in church or serve coffee after the service. The stewards will be very grateful for any help.

Thank-you

### **Flower rota**

A rota for the donation of flowers in church has been placed on the noticeboard in the church porch. If you would like to give flowers on a particular Sunday please sign the rota and either place the flowers in church yourself or arrange for someone to do this on your behalf.

Thank-you.

### **Church Council**

Please note there will be an urgent, short Church Council meeting after the service on 7 December. Thank-you.

January notices will be available on Sunday 4 January.  
Please let Janet Brown have any notices by Friday 2 January.  
Thank-you.

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**The Church leadership team would like to thank everyone for their continued support during 2025 and would like to wish everyone a Joyful Christmas and a Happy New Year!**