



ELIM  
COMMUNITY  
CHURCH  
CARLISLE +

# CHURCH BULLETIN

Week Commencing Thursday 21st November 2024

**“Our Mission is to win Carlisle for Christ by living, loving and giving like Jesus.”**

An Elim Pentecostal Church, Registered Charity no. 251549.  
A member of the Evangelical Alliance

## URGENT PRAYER NEEDS

Please continue to uphold those in our church family who are in particular need of prayer at the moment including - **Mo King, Evelyn Rhodes, Nigel Morant, Elizabeth Speck, Dave Gillen and Alison Hacker.**



**JESUS  
THE  
STORYTELLER**

**THE PARABLE OF  
TALENTS  
SUNDAY 24TH  
NOVEMBER**





# DATES FOR YOUR DIARY!

## Cell Groups and DNA weeks in NOVEMBER

w/c 4th - DNA Week  
w/c 11th & 25th - Cell Groups  
w/c 18th - Free Week

For more information about DNAs or Cell Groups,  
please see Christine or David

## ECC MEN'S NIGHT OUT

**THIS Saturday 23rd November  
MEETING AT 7PM AT SHANGHAI  
SHANGHAI**

Eat all you like Oriental Buffet

£15.99 (plus drinks) payable on the  
night

We are looking forward to a great  
night of food, fun and fellowship. If  
you haven't signed up but wish to join  
us, please contact David -  
07753906727



### **Wednesday 27th November 1pm - 2:30pm**

Mark Hazell, Green Doctor, is our special guest  
offering energy advice and practical help.  
Refreshments served from 1pm.

### **Wednesday 4th December - Christmas Buffet 1pm - 2:30pm**

Cost £10 per person

If you are a regular attender at Encounter and  
have yet to register a place please speak to  
Esther by Sunday at the latest.



**ENCOUNTER**  
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# ENGAGE EVENT



**FOR ALL THOSE AGED 17 TO 39**

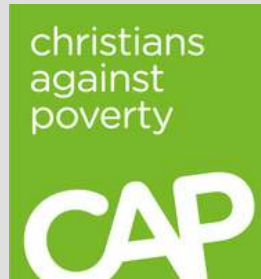


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# CAN YOU HELP?



## CAP in hand..."

If you have a few hours to spare during the week and would like to help support our church and Christians Against Poverty, I would love to have you as a volunteer. Either for Life Skills or the Job Club, all that is required is a heart to serve and support members with a smile.

**Your lived experience and love for Jesus is invaluable, please come chat with me if you are interested - Kathryn 07472741684**

**\* If anyone has a spare / unused laptop that you would be happy to donate to the church we would be extremely grateful!**

### GARDENING

Peter Wood will be carrying out gardening and other maintenance jobs at Chatsworth House and the church on Fridays between 10.30am and 12.30pm. We are grateful for all those who are able to help in this way. Please meet at Chatsworth House (access through the black gates at the side entrance).



### OASIS FOOD PANTRY

**With rising food costs we would greatly appreciate any donations to be placed in our trolley at church. Jam and Breakfast cereals would be most welcome!**



# INVITATION FROM SAFE FAMILIES

It's been great to gather with a number of you during 2024 at our various drops ins. The 28th November marks our final event for this year and I look forward to welcoming as many of you as possible for lunch at 108 Botchergate, Carlisle CA1 1SN 12-1.30pm. All are welcome and please feel free to bring friends or family members along, who would like to know more about Safe Families.

The main aim of the session is for us to catch up with you and see how you are doing, we will also share an update of what's been happening in Carlisle in the last 12 months and share some stories from volunteers who have been walking alongside families and individuals recently. There will also be an opportunity to hear more about our recent merger with Home for Good and ask questions.

Lunch will be provided, for catering purposes please let me know if you can make it by the end of the day on Monday 25th November.

Many blessings,

Caroline Hetherington,  
Community Volunteer Team Leader

Mobile: [07471 035276](tel:07471035276) / Tel: [0151 558 1474](tel:01515581474) / Email: [carolinehetherington@safefamilies.uk](mailto:carolinehetherington@safefamilies.uk)



## WREATH MAKING - FOLIAGE REQUIRED

We are delighted to have 47 ladies signed up for our wreath making night on 5th December. This will take a lot of foliage so if you have a holly tree, conifers or other greenery in your garden that you would like to bless us with, we would be most grateful. Please speak to Esther if you can help.





IF YOU ARE, OR HAVE TEENAGERS FROM 11-18 THEN WE WANT TO MEET YOU! OUR GROUP IS ENERGETIC, ENTHUSIASTIC, EXCITING AND MOST OF ALL CHRIST-CENTRED. WE GET TOGETHER ON FRIDAY EVENINGS TO HAVE FUN AND UNPACK LIFE'S BIG QUESTIONS AND MEET UP ON SUNDAY MORNINGS TO WORSHIP JESUS AND PRESS INTO THE WORD TOGETHER. THERE'S NEVER A DULL MOMENT WITH LIMITLESS CARLISLE.

# LIMITLESS YOUTH

NOVEMBER 2024

FRI 08

## TRANSFORM SESSION 7

Church - 7-9pm

## SHUFFLE & SHAKE

Chatsworth House - 7-9pm



FRI 15

FRI 22

## PRAYER WEEK 1

Church - 7-9pm

## PRAYER WEEK 2

Church - 7-9pm

FRI 29

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# THANK YOU!

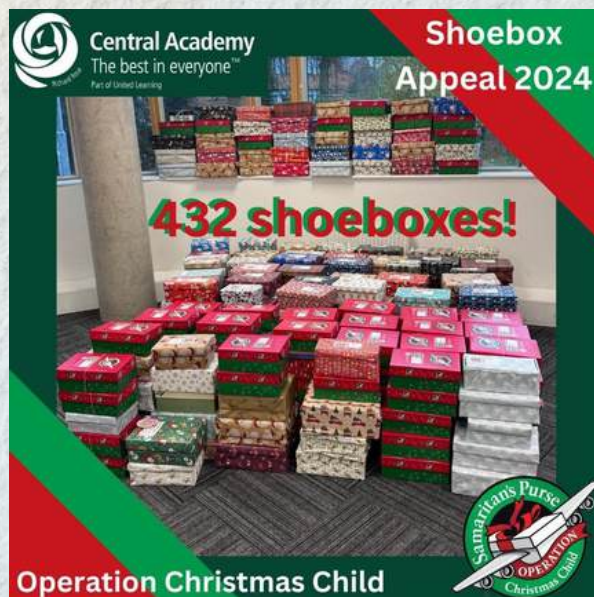


## Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child

Thank you to everyone who participated in our Christmas Shoe Box appeal which will change the lives of some of the most vulnerable children in the world who otherwise would not receive a gift this Christmas.

This year we partnered with Central Academy adding our boxes to those collected by the pupils and teachers. This week, the amazing team from Operation Christmas Child collected 432 boxes ready for Christmas delivery to children around the world.

Special thanks to Joyce Hetherington who lovingly wraps all the shoeboxes throughout the year and to Fiona Sheridan for transporting all the boxes to Central Academy on our behalf.





**4FRONT THEATRE PRESENTS**



## A Christmas Pan-tivity

**Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November 2024**

**7pm**

**St Michael's Church, Stanwix CA3 9DJ**



Reserve your FREE tickets at [eventbrite.co.uk](https://www.eventbrite.co.uk) (Booking recommended)

The Nativity story meets Fawlty Towers!

A 1 hour panto bursting at the seams with slapstick fun, laughter, brilliant songs and a heartfelt message of hope and joy from the heart of the nativity.



Suitable for all ages

**WWW.4FRONT-THEATRE.COM**





## Church Contact details – 01228 523991

**Church Office:** Chatsworth House, 1 Chatsworth Square, Carlisle, CA1 1HB

**Room bookings & general enquiries:** Contact **Ruth Whiffen** (Operations Manager) at the Church office or mobile (Mon – Thurs 10 am – 4 pm) [ruth@elimcarlisle.org](mailto:ruth@elimcarlisle.org) (07964 544893)

**Lead Pastor: David Allen** (07753 906727) [david@elimcarlisle.org](mailto:david@elimcarlisle.org)

**Assistant Pastor: Christine Orr** (07905 139107) [christine@elimcarlisle.org](mailto:christine@elimcarlisle.org)

**Debt Advice: Christians Against Poverty** (0800 328 0006) or **Jill Wheatley** (07812 524849)

**Oasis Pantry:** 07838 349561 or contact **Caroline Lunny** (07799 634601)

**Family & Children's Ministry (ages 0-11): Jean Ranson** (07896 999887)

**Youth: Jonny & Eleanor Brunskill** (07508 505524)

**Finance: Jane Wood & Ojima Adio** (07531 828289) [elimfinance@outlook.com](mailto:elimfinance@outlook.com)

**Admin: Esther Allen** (07753 906157) [esther@elimcarlisle.org](mailto:esther@elimcarlisle.org)

**OFFERINGS FOR OCTOBER – these came to £19,570.86 and we thank God for his provision to us through the giving of his people.**

**GIVING TO THE CHURCH** can currently be done in 3 ways:-

1. By standing order to the church bank account – NATWEST Bank A/c Name: Elim Foursquare Gospel Alliance (UK), A/C no 28080254, Sort Code 60-05-16
2. By placing your offering in the boxes available at our Sunday services
3. We also have facilities to give one off donations by Debit or Credit Card – see Jane or Glory at the Information Point.

**IF YOU HAVE ANY QUERIES ABOUT GIVING OR GIFT AID, CONTACT DETAILS FOR OUR FINANCE TEAM ARE ABOVE.**

**SUPPORT ELIM COMMUNITY CHURCH WITH FREE DONATIONS – £1500 raised so far! We've received £62.65 for donations raised from July to September. Thank you!**



We're registered on #easyfundraising which means you can raise free donations for us when you shop online! Over 8,000 retailers will make a donation to Elim Community Church, Carlisle on your behalf when you shop with them. All the big names like Sainsbury's, M&S, Argos, Just Eat and more are ready to donate at no extra cost to you.

Plus, join today and we could win a £300 bonus! Sign up here:

<https://join.easyfundraising.org.uk/elimcarlisle/AQ7Z28/c2s/iuMTCX5P/CE953/facebook/>