



Rivertown Voice



Sunday 29nd October 2023

SUNDAY Hymns:- 1. MP.691 *This is the day.* 2. *I dream of a church.* 3. MP.329 *In Christ there is no east or west.* 4. MP.335 *In my life, Lord be glorified.* 5. MP.189 *Put peace into each other's hands.* 6. MP.52 *Be thou my vision.*

Bible Readings.

Micah 3.5-12; Psalm 23;

1 Thessalonians 2.9-13; Matthew 5.13-20

11am Communion Sunday Service

Revd. Johnny O'Hanlon

Followed by refreshments

Next Sunday Worship

Revd. Johnny O'Hanlon

You are the salt of the earth;
but if salt has lost its taste,
how can its saltiness be
restored? It is no longer good
for anything, but is thrown out
and trampled under foot.

Matthew 22:13

Save the Children.

I would like to mention that I am collecting books of all types (children/cookery/paperbacks) for Save the Children shop in Mold who have empty shelves! Please bring them to church and I will arrange delivery to Mold. Thank you.

See *Janet Gray* for more details.



Save the Children

Christmas shoebox appeal.

Your shoebox will be given to a vulnerable child, or family, through schools, nurseries, hospitals and orphanages. Our aim is that each box is given in relationship with the local community as part of a long-term commitment to these children. Please be a part of this ongoing story that is continuing to impact and change lives by donating a shoebox to this year's appeal!

"Christmas is coming, and, right now, I think, children need us to be more present for them. Now is the biggest need." – Dima Nachyna

This year the shoeboxes will be heading to the Ukraine, Moldova, Georgia, Bosnia and Romania.

T4U Teams for you shoebox appeal. We will be collecting goods during November. Please add them to the box in the porch or give them to me directly. If you would like to cover and fill your own box you are welcome to do that too.

See Ruth for more details

See next page for shoebox items suggestions.

River Quiz.

1. What is the longest river in Britain?

A. The Trent B. The Thames C. The Severn

2. Which river flows through 10 countries?

A. The Volga B. The Danube C. The Rhine.

3. Which is the deepest river in the world?

A. The Congo B. The Amazon C. The Zambezi

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Rivertown church
CHRISTMAS
Fair

SAT 11TH NOV, 10-3 PM

VARIETY OF STALLS , TOMBOLA,
 REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE

FREE ADMISSION


Shoebox suggestions.

For boys or girls: Toothbrush & toothpaste, hair accessories/brush, soap & face cloth, stationery & paper, gloves, hat & scarf, new socks/underwear, a soft toy, game, puzzle, small musical instruments, toy vehicles, small ball, sweets (use by date from June), a photo and message from yourself.

The Home box: Candles, cooking utensils, plastic containers, t-towels, washing up cloths, hairbrush, small toiletries, bowls & cups, small decoration, soap, clothes pegs, headscarves, new socks and underwear, jewellery, new makeup.

NO: Food (only exception is sweets), medicines, military themed items, anything highly flammable, sharp items, novels. No sanitary items in shoeboxes although they can be sent out separately. Looking for more ideas? *Please visit our YouTube channel to watch videos of example shoeboxes being made*

<https://teams4u.com/shoebox-resources/>



**REMEMBER THIS SEASON THAT
 LOVING JESUS IS LIKE BEING A PUMPKIN**

God picks you from the patch
 & brings you in
 John 15:16

He washes all the dirt off of you
 2 Corinthians 5:17

He opens you up and scoops out all
 the yucky stuff - He removes the seeds
 of doubt, fear, hate & greed
 Romans 6:6

He carves you a new smiling face
 Psalm 71:23

He puts His light inside of you to shine
 for all the world to see!
 Matthew 5:16

Suggested by Den