

# The Ryedale Methodist Circuit

## Weekly News 8 December 2018

**Weekly Prayers** for each other. Please pray for **Pickering** congregation and town.

**'DROP- IN' at Norton Trinity** Mondays 2 - 4pm. 10 December, 7 January, 4 February  
Call in for tea, coffee and a chat. All ARE WELCOME

**Advent Reflections** with Louise Hayes at Thornton Dale Old Grammar School.  
Anglican & Methodist Churches Together at 11.15am on Wednesday 12 December.  
Followed by a Bring & Share lunch

**Hovingham Tea Spot** Thursday 13 December 10.30am - 11.30am Rolling Pin Tearoom (Hovingham Bakery). Join us on the second Thursday of the month for a cuppa, chat and company. All welcome.

**Coffee every Saturday morning** at Malton Wesley Centre, 10 -12 noon. Come for a chat when you've done your shopping!

**Kirkbymoorside Christmas Tree Festival** for the Community – Opening on the 16 December with Rev Penny Worth and Kirkbymoorside Junior Band and closing 23 December with Rev Ken Gowland. No entrance fee but donations to Ryedale Special Families and Kirkbymoorside Junior Band.

### Church stewards and property stewards

A reminder that on-line forms for **annual returns and statistics** should be completed by 31 January 2019. If you need any help please contact Ann. **Plan appointments deadline** from now on will be 7th of the month 2 months preceding the first month of the new plan i.e. 7th January for March - May plan, 7th April for June - August plan, 7th July for September - November plan, 7th October for December - February plan.

### Trinity Mums & Tots

Dear Members of our Circuit,

I am writing on behalf of the Trinity Mum's & Tots team, a team that are very weary and feel that they have given all they can, over many years.

One member has decided that from this Christmas she can no longer volunteer to help run the Trinity group. The remaining two volunteers have agreed that they will continue until July 2019, but at that point they all also stepping down. All three have been doing this role for many years.

So, for Trinity Mums & Tots to continue we need a completely new team to continue this important support for mums / grandmas / carers & their children and also, so the link is not lost to our worshipping community. The group has been running for over forty years, many speak of it with great fondness, it would be so sad to see it fold in the summer if no one came forward.

Could you be part of a team, setting up and tidying away the toys, making teas & coffees, building up relationships? Mums & Tots **NEED YOU!**

If you feel that you could help be part of a new team, please speak to me, Rev Tanya.

Every blessing Tanya

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