

## Tuesday

The Big Chill and TBC extra –Ben, Heather, Ana, Michele, Sarah

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**1<sup>st</sup>** Remember the Visiting Team as they carry out the Home Communions. Pray for the Music Group fellowship evening, and for Rev Holliday as he leads this.

*Holme Terrace*

**8<sup>th</sup>** Denton Holme Neighbourhood Forum.

*Charlotte Street*

**15<sup>th</sup>** Pray for a good turn-out for the Carol Singing tonight and for good weather.

*Freer Street*

**22<sup>nd</sup>** Pray for those who have completed the recent Just Looking Cours, that they will come along to church events and feel welcome.

*South Vale Court*

**29<sup>th</sup>** Pray for the new Vision Group for the Denton Street premises that the right people will be on this team and that they will be open to God's guidance.

*Westmorland Court*

## Wednesday

Toddlers am - Kate, Ann, Maureen.  
Toddlers pm - Kate, Sarah, Sheila

Assemblies – Cummersdale and Robert Ferguson – Kate and Ben.

CYFA Bible Study –Ben and Lucy

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**2<sup>nd</sup>** Home Communions – pray for those who are in care homes at Christmas time and for the staff working in these homes. Prayer & Praise

*Bridge Terrace*

**9<sup>th</sup>** Homegroup Leaders Meeting. Give thanks for the good numbers currently attending Toddlers.

*North Street*

**16<sup>th</sup>** Pray for the Toddlers and Sticky Fingers Christmas Service and Party taking place this morning – that the children would be excited about Christ's birth and not just the arrival of Santa! Pray that the mums and dads hear and take in the real message of Christmas amid all the busyness. Also pray for deepening friendships between the Mums as they enjoy a night out together.

*Freer Court*

**23<sup>rd</sup>** Pray for Jon Greenwood and the volunteers in the Op Shop – for rest and refreshment over the Christmas period. Also for Kate as she spends Christmas with her family.

*Dalston Street*

**30<sup>th</sup>** Pray for all the staff team as they enjoy a break.

*Morley Street*

## Thursday

Sticky Fingers – Kate, Sheila

Music Group

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**3<sup>rd</sup>** Home Communions. Kate is considering starting an 'informal' lunch following Sticky Fingers for those interested in looking through a gospel, pray that there would be interest in doing this in the New Year, and the right material found. Pray for those leading and attending the Bereavement Support Group

*Shaddongate*

**10<sup>th</sup>** Pray for the Youth Review meeting taking place tonight and for real wisdom for Kate, Wendy, Ben, Lucy and Paul.

*Caldew Street*

**17<sup>th</sup>** Midweek Service (Wendy) and Christmas Leisurely Lunch. Bereavement Support. Remember the Christmas in the City event taking place tonight from 5.00-9.00pm at the Town Hall. Pray for all involved and that the real Christmas message will be seen in action and well received.

*Dale Street*

**24<sup>th</sup> Midnight Communion** Pray for Eddie as he speaks.

*Hope Street*

**31<sup>st</sup>** At the start of a New Year let's pray for peace on earth and goodwill to all.

*Collingwood Street*

## Friday

Badminton and Table Tennis – Stephen Salmon

Rainbows –Dawn, Kate, Kim, Lucy  
Brownies – Islay and Margaret  
Guides – Lesley and Margaret

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**4<sup>th</sup>** Pray for Cummersdale School as they hold their Christingle Service today and for Ben as he speaks to them.

*Shaddon Mill*

**11<sup>th</sup>** We are looking for more volunteers to lead intercessions in church on Sunday – please pray about this – is this for you??

*Colmore Street*

**18<sup>th</sup>** Pray for the office staff and volunteers as they try to ensure everything is ready for Christmas Services.

*West Vale Court*

**25<sup>th</sup> Christmas Celebration**  
Pray for Wendy as she speaks at the All Age Service and for Eddie speaking at the 9.00am Cummersdale Communion. On this special day let's rejoice as we worship together.

*Cumberland Street*

## Saturday

5<sup>th</sup> Pray for the flood victims as they seek to get back to normality and try to prepare for Christmas.

12<sup>th</sup> Pakistan: Deadly attacks are an almost daily occurrence facing people in the unstable North-West region of the country. Pray for all Tearfund partners as they work in an insecure environment, that they maybe protected from violence.

19<sup>th</sup> Praise the Lord that Garry Ion's recent visit to St James was an encouragement to us and to Garry. Pray for him as he continues his visits to link churches this month and for a really happy and restful Christmas with his family.

26<sup>th</sup> As families celebrate this weekend, please remember to pray for anyone who may feel left out of the celebrations – especially our neighbours.

## Sunday

Sunday Club – Ben, Kate, Daphne, Linda, Emma

CYFA – Ben and Lucy

The Gap – Eddie and Sarah

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6<sup>th</sup> Preachers: am Frank, pm Eddie, Mark Rimmer at Cummersdale. Pray for the team of volunteers who drive the minibus and those members who use it.

13<sup>th</sup> Pray for Lewis Graham and Daniel Watson as they are baptised today. Preachers: am Peter Cantley, pm Ben, Cummersdale Frank. The Gap group (18's-30's) meeting tonight.

20<sup>th</sup> **Family Nativity Service** Pray for Eddie as he speaks, also John speaking at **Cummersdale Carols at 3.00pm and Carols by Candlelight** tonight. Pray for those attending who don't usually come to church, that they will be encouraged and want to come back again.

27<sup>th</sup> Preachers: am John, and Paul speaking at both Cummersdale and tonight's service.



## DECEMBER 2009

Before a word is on  
my tongue, you  
know it completely  
O Lord.

Psalm 139 vs 4



If anyone has anything they would like to be included in the Prayer Diary please contact Margaret Lawson 523529

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## Monday

Staff Meeting

Parent and Toddlers Bible Study

Women's Fellowship - Wendy

BB Anchor Boys – Kate, Jon, Adrian, Ana

BB Junior - Peter, Corrie, Eddie, Alex, Michele

BB Company – Wendy, Matt, Phil.

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7<sup>th</sup> Women's Fellowship as they celebrate Christmas Holy Communion. Boys Brigade Party evening – for fun and sharing together.

*Junction Street*

14<sup>th</sup> Pray for John as he returns to St James after his sabbatical, especially as he gets back into the busyness of Christmas Services etc. Women's Fellowship Christmas Meal out at Denton House.

*Blunt Street*

21<sup>st</sup> Pray for all parents, especially at the start of the school holidays and particularly for any who are worrying about the cost of Christmas.

*East Vale Court*

28<sup>th</sup> Pray for Ana and Michele (U-Crew) as they travel to Germany to visit friends.

*Westmorland Street*