

# M.A.S.T.

MATLOCK AREA SCHOOLS TRUST

## As the days get darker there's good news...

Over the next two months thousands of children will be hearing about the story of Christmas and the good news that Jesus is the Light of the World.



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'We will tell the next generation the praiseworthy deeds of the Lord...' Psalm 78:4

November update

Dear co-workers in Christ!

What an opportunity we have to live out Psalm 78. And what praiseworthy deeds of the Lord we have to share!

Last half term was Michael Tinker's first one with MAST and it

got off to a great start. All the schools that had Michael in (37 in all) have rebooked, and he has now increased the number to 43 for this 1/2 term.

Ray and Beryl continue their work going into 25 schools this 1/2 term, exciting the children with their puppets and songs. James is continuing his period of recovery and the team are looking for ways to make sure all the schools are still reached.

Prayer points:

- Thank God for continued open doors to speak about Jesus.
- For James' health - that he'd have wisdom in how to manage things and that throughout it all he'd grow in trust and faith of his powerful saviour.
- For the welcome Michael has received taking over from t'other Michael!
- For Highfields CU that students would feel comfortable coming and bringing friends and that the Holy Spirit would be at work in hearts.
- Thanks and praise to God for the generosity his people in providing financial support for this work.
- Prayer for a growth in that financial support to fully meet the needs of the team.

Again, thank you so much for your partnership in this work and please let us know if there's any ways we can be praying for you and if we could visit your church to share more about our work.

To God's glory alone  
The MAST Team and Trustees

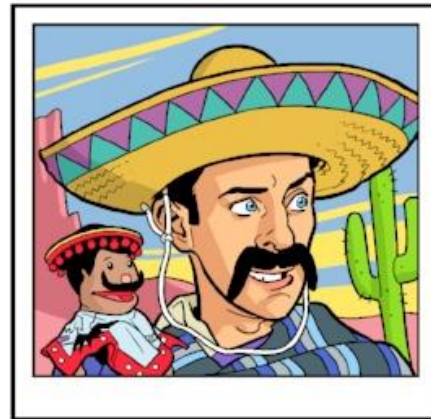


## The Shepherds Surprise

Ray and Beryl will be teaching the Christmas story told from the Shepherds perspective. The song they will be using is "Go tell it on the mountain" with some different lyrics...

## I am the Light of the World

With the days getting darker it seemed a perfect time to share the news that Jesus is the Light of the World. He shows us the way to God... and the way to God is Him!



Michael will be introducing the kids to Diego and Lopez, his Mexican friends who have a story to tell from John 9 where someone discovered that Jesus really is the Light of the World.

You can have a [listen to the songs here](#)

Or download the [singalong album for your church here](#).

[Michael has gone digital! If you have too, you can get an uptodate list of his schools by clicking here](#)



Emily and Zania

The team head into Highfields Secondary School every week to run the Christian Unions there.

[For a pdf version of the schools list click here](#)

or [here](#).

### **Michael J Tinker**

#### **Thursday 2nd November**

9am Stoney Middleton

1.10pm Bradwell jnrs

#### **Monday 6th November**

9am Great Hucklow

1.15pm Edale

#### **Tuesday 7th November**

10.10am Eyam

#### **Wednesday 8th November**

9am Stanton in the Peak

10.10am Ashover Primary

11.15am Old Hall Juniors

3pm Rowsley

#### **Thursday 9th November**

10.10am Darley Churchtown

1pm Gt Longstone

2pm Baslow St Annes

#### **Friday 10th November**

### **Ray and Beryl Briddon**

#### **Wednesday 8th November**

9am Peak Forest

1pm Youlgrave

#### **Thursday 9th November**

9am Litton

#### **Friday 10th November**

9am Hope

10am Bamford

#### **Monday 13th November**

2pm Hathersage

#### **Tuesday 14th November**

9am Elton

#### **Wednesday 15th**

#### **November**

9am Darley Dale Primary KS1

1.15pm Brigg Infant School

#### **Friday 17th November**

10am Hartington

11.30 Biggin

11.40am Biggin

**Monday 13th November**

9am Pilsley

10.30am Hartington

3pm Earl Sterndale

**Tuesday 14th November**

10.10am Matlock Bath

**Wednesday 15th**

**November**

10.15am Stretton Handley

1.10pm Youlgrave

**Monday 20th November**

9am Peak Forest

10am Harpur Hill

1.10pm Castleton

2.45pm Dove Holes

**Wednesday 22nd**

**November**

9am Lea

10am Wessington

11.40am Brassington

**Thursday 23rd November**

9am Castleview (Matlock)

10.10am Matlock All Saints  
Infants

2.50pm St Giles (Matlock)

**Friday 24th November**

10.10am Winster

**Monday 27th November**

9am Litton

10.20am Tansley

**Monday 20th November**

9am Calow

2.45pm Bolsover Infants

**Tuesday 21st November**

1pm Bradwell Juniors

**Wednesday 22nd**

**November**

9am Tideswell

1.10pm Gt Longstone

**Thursday 23rd November**

9am South Darley

1pm Tupton Primary

**Monday 27th November**

11am Edale

**Tuesday 28th November**

1pm Castleton

**Friday 1st December**

*11am Friday Group Medway  
Centre, Bakewell*

3pm Earl Sterndale

**Tuesday 5th December**

10am Duke of Norfolk,  
Glossop

**Wednesday 6th December**

10.30am Taddington

Priestcliffe

2pm Shuttlewood Brockley  
Primary

**Sunday 10th December**

*Curbar W. R. Church*

**Monday 11th December**

**Wednesday 29th**

**November**

9.30am Brimington Manor

2.45pm Cromford Primary

**Thursday 30th November**

10.15am Bakewell Juniors

12.45pm Bakewell Infants

**Monday 4th December**

9am Whitecoates

**Wednesday 6th December**

9am Tideswell

10am Bamford

**Thursday 7th December**

1pm Hope

**Wednesday 13th**

**December**

9am Matlock All Saints

Juniors

10am Bonsall

3pm St Anselms (pre-prep)

**Wednesday 13th**

**December**

*Age UK Bakewell*

**Thursday 14th December**

*Age UK Bakewell*

**Emily Spencer and Zoe**

**van Schalkwyk**

**Mondays 1-1.45pm**

Highfields Lumsdale (Upper Site)

**Tuesdays 1-1.45pm**

Highfields Starkholmes (Lower Site)