



***Welcome to our whole church gathering today!***

We are Countess Free Church – a people following Jesus together here in the city of Ely.

Young, old, big or small ... its great to have you with us today.

***We are a church in mission across the city ...***

***We want to see Kingdom Life across the city***

***Coming up ...***

We are gathering weekly – each Sunday at 10.30am

*In line with latest government regulations we now ask for masks to be worn unless exempt.*

For details of our Christmas services please see overleaf

Special Christmas offering to Sierra Leone Mission. Please use the envelopes and write 'SLM'. Please add your name and tick the Gift Aid box if you are a gift aider.

Or use the Contactless reader on your way out (if you are a gift aider, please use the 'Description' box to enter your name).

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***Christmas Micro-Initiatives***

Looking out for the opportunities the Spirit gives doesn't have to be complicated! Start with prayer - praying for as little as one person or family. Pray a blessing on them, and ask God to give you ideas on what next steps you might take. Then go with your hunch and take initiative - no matter how small a thing it seems.

## Christmas Specials and Arrangements

Two special events to invite friends to:

Our **Sunday 19th morning** gathering at **10.30am** will be an **All Age Christmas Special**.

On **Christmas Eve** we have our simple **Crib Service at 4.30pm** - great for all ages. This will be followed by light refreshments.

On **Christmas morning** we will gather using Zoom for a simple reflection at 10.30am. Zoom connection details will be emailed to those on our news distribution list.

Please note there will be no Sunday gathering on the 26th.

**Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> December:** Pray for Natalie & Megan 3 to 5pm

**Soul Question:** Do you actually feel alive in Christ, or more like just existing?

**Key Question: [OUT]** What initiative will you take this Christmas?

**Challenge:** Pray for as little as one person/family, ask God for the next step

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Locally we actively support Ely Foodbank, Ely CAP Debt centre, Ely College Chaplaincy, Monday Cafe and much more!

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