

MINSHULL MUSINGS

Once again we had a good turn out for our Harvest Festival Service, our most gracious thanks for all who supported us, by donating items for the table and being at our services. Darren Thornhill's selection of music for the evening service made the hairs on the back of several folks neck stand up. Thank you Darren. We raised £100 from the auction on the Monday night, which was donated to the Cheshire Churches Agricultural Chaplaincy.

Our coffee morning held on the 2nd October in Nantwich raised, after expenses, £128, which will go to church funds.

People travelling past Minshull Church after dark may notice that we now have a light burning on the outside of the Church. This was a decision taken at the last Church Meeting to light the corner as a beacon, and bring attention to our Church.



Yes Christmas is nearly upon us again. **Our annual Salvation Army Christmas appeal service** will take place on **16th November at 2.30pm**. We are very fortunate to be able to have the Salvation Army Band and Singers with us at this busy time. Minshull was one of the first churches to start collecting for the Christmas appeal many years ago. We have a very special relationship with the Salvation Army.



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Little Mario was desperate for a new bike for Christmas
He knew Jesus was a very kind person, so he thought he would ask for his help in getting one.
He started to pray
“Lord Jesus, if I am a really good boy for one week, would you help to get me a new bike for Christmas?”
Mario thought, Uummm a week is a long time, better change that.
“Lord Jesus if I am a good boy for a whole day would you help to get me a new bike for Christmas”
Mario thought again, Could I really be good for a whole day?
Looking round his bedroom for inspiration he noticed his statue of the Virgin Mary on his shelf.
Quickly he got it down, opened the draw and placed the statue in the draw and locked it!
HE STARTED TO PRAY AGAIN
“Loving Lord Jesus, If you want to see your Mother again.....!”