THE SALVATION ARMY

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The Star Shines

enabled at Christmas
11th – 13th December 2026
Programme



Welcome to enabled at Christmas 2026 our online enabled Christmas event.

Our theme this year is The Star Shines.

The colour of the lanyards was chosen by Helen Birchall.

Christmas is the time that we celebrate the birth of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

We have 12 Christmas themed sessions for you to enjoy.

The aim is for us to be able to join online in fellowship at this special time of year.

The information in this programme should help you to make the most of the enabled at Christmas weekend.

Most sessions will be broadcast on the enabled (The Salvation Army) Facebook group using Facebook Live. We are aiming to make the sessions as interactive as possible.

Some sessions will take place on zoom. We have included in the programme the meeting ID and passcode for each Zoom activity.

Some sessions have been pre-recorded. You will find a link on the Facebook page to YouTube. If you follow the link, you will be able to see the broadcast

If you wish to take part in the sessions:



Where you require any equipment for an activity this is listed in the programme. You can watch the session if you do not have the equipment.

We encourage you to make comments during the session and/or use the like button.

Communicate with others taking part in enabled at Christmas on the enabled WhatsApp group. (please contact Chris if you wish to join the WhatsApp group)

Please post photos and clips of you taking part in enabled at Christmas on the enabled Facebook and WhatsApp groups.

Can I ask that we are kind to each other and that we only make positive comments.

If you miss a session, you will be able to watch it later as the clips will remain on the Facebook page and YouTube.

enabled at Christmas is happening thanks to everyone who is leading a session. I am sure that you will join me in saying a big **THANK YOU** to everyone for their contributions.

enabled at Christmas is a team effort. I am grateful for the enthusiasm, ideas and suggestions of the planning team for enabled at Christmas. I know that you would like to say another big **THANK YOU** to the following people who are part of the planning team:

Justin Gibson	Richard Knott
Paul Kingscott	Colin Machan
Jonny Searle	Georgina Symons
Amanda Say	Jo-Anne Graham
Stuart Miskin	Christine Piper
Julie Taylor	Wendy Keller

A very special **THANK YOU** to Stuart Miskin who as well as being part of the planning team takes the lead with the technical aspects of enabled at Christmas. Without Stuart enabled at Christmas would not be possible.

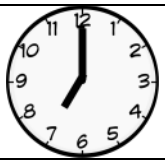
In closing I wish you a very Happy Christmas and I hope that you are blessed by what we have on offer for you.



Chris Stringer

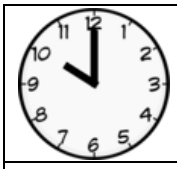
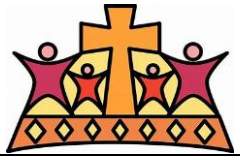
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Friday 11th December

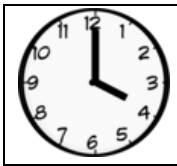
 **7.00**		**Welcome** **Chris Stringer**
Chris will welcome everyone to enabled at Christmas and introduce the programme. Expect some songs, at least one challenge and the now famous scavenger hunt.		
 **8.30**		**Open House** **Jo-Anne Graham and Ben Ellis**
Join Jo-Anne and Ben as they host a time of chat and fellowship.		

12 Dec

Saturday 12th December

 **10.00**		**Worship** **Tim Hall-Randle**
Tim leads us in a time of worship.		
 **12.00**		**Chair Exercise** **Barbara Davies**
Join Barbara as she leads us in some chair-based exercise.		
 **2.00**		**Craft** **with Joy Pocock**
Joy will be showing us how to make embroidered Christmas cards.		

You will need:
A4 card or card blanks (card and envelopes ready for making into cards)
Sewing needle
Embroidery thread
A drawing pin (not needed if sewing needle is sharp)
A tea towel
Pencil
Ruler
Sellotape

 **4.00**		**Mindfulness** **Julie Taylor**
A time to slow down as Juie leads us for a mindfulness session.		
 **7.00**		**Christmas Quiz** **Wendy Keller**
Join Wendy as she hosts a Christmas Quiz.		
	**The quiz will be broadcast on zoom.** **Meeting ID: 360 972 8871** **Passcode: 238460**	

13 Dec

Sunday 13th December

10.00		**Carols** **from Doncaster**
Recorded by Stuart Miskin the band and songsters at Doncaster Corps bring us some Christmas Carols.		
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12.00		**Timbrels** **Rachael Lawrence**
Join Rachael as she shows us how to perform a timbrels routine.		
YouTube	**This session is pre-recorded and will be broadcast on YouTube**	
2.00		**Tristan and Mandy Time**
Join Tristan and Mandy Lanceley as they bring us a time of music and poetry.		
4.00	Music Man Project	**Music Man Project**
Join David Stranley and the Music Man Project Essex as they bring us some Christmas songs.		
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 **7.00**		**Carol Service** **Andrew Renouf**
enabled at Christmas ends with a Carol Service led by Andrew.		


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