

Bethlehem born

two short poems

Midwifery Report

Did we have the best of facilities?

No.

Did it proceed like clockwork?

No.

Did we panic and make a mess?

No.

Did we dig deep and make it work?

Yes.

At last

Your first cry?

It could of course been

For the sorrows you would face

But it was probably more normal:

A set of lungs saying,

I'm here at last.

***We continue to pray for those members of our Church Family
and Friends who are unwell and all those who mourn.***

Welcome to Cyncoed Methodist Church



part of Cardiff Methodist Circuit

**Church Notices for Sunday 21st December 2025
Fourth Sunday of Advent**

Steward: Sue Tester

10.30am Rev. Cathy Gale – Christingle Service

6.00pm Carol Service

At Cyncoed Methodist Church

We are called to tell God's story by living as God's people through:

- Preaching and teaching the gospel
- Encouraging spiritual growth
- Outreach in the community
- Responding to opportunities for change

All inspired by God centred worship and prayer.

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Office Hours: Mon - Thurs 8:30am to 11:30am

Christmas Eve

11.30pm Rev. Cathy Gale – Midnight Communion

Christmas Day

10.30am Rev. Andrew Charlesworth

Sunday 28th December.

First Sunday of Christmas

Service at Llanishen Methodist Church

No Service at Cyncoed



Informal mid-week Communion

There will be no Communion service on Thursday 11th or 18th December 2025. The Mid-week Communion will recommence on Thursday 8th January 2026.

Cyncoed Church Premises

For Out of Hours or Emergency access to the Cyncoed Church Premises, please call Martin on 07849 632 394

Please send items for the church notices to the Church Office or email to cyncoedmethodistchurch@gmail.com before 5.00pm on Wednesday.

Notices

- ❖ **A BIG THANK YOU!** Thank you to **Sullivans Greengrocers at Cardiff indoor market** who have very kindly donated the oranges for our Christingle Service today.
- ❖ **Donations to 'Reachout'** This year we would be grateful for donations of Chocolate Oranges or Puzzle books for the homeless and vulnerable which will be given out at the Conway Road Breakfast group. Please bring to Church over the next couple of weeks. Many thanks. Margaret Ashford and Carolyn Penn.
- ❖ **Welsh Blood Service** The Blood Donation Clinic will be coming to Cyncoed Methodist Church on Friday 2nd January 2026. See attached booking link for your use.
Booking link: <https://wbs.wales/CyncoedMethodistChurch>