



Westway Open Arms

Hand in Hand



With Local Churches

Welcome! 2025

Happy New Year!!! Westway Open Arms has had a very successful festive season with so many wonderful donations of toys, gift sets, food and money. We gave out 30 Xmas dinner hampers to local families and 6 Xmas food parcels to young people living in Foundation accommodation. Over 100 children benefited from the toys and gifts. Thank you to all that gave this year; your generosity never ceases to amaze.

The Westway Warblers performed at the Candlelight Carol service. The feedback has been fantastic. Our next performance is a fundraiser with Thornton Le Dale Ukuleles on Friday 14th March at 7pm. Tickets available from Westway Open Arms The group meets each Tuesday at 4pm for an hour all are welcome whether you feel you can sing or not it is all about having a good time. On a sad note, one of our client volunteers Robin passed away over the Christmas Holidays we remember him with fondness and love he will be greatly missed.



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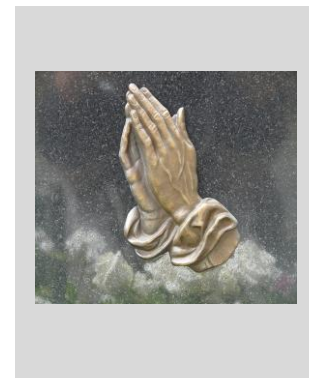
• **Thank you**

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Prayer for Winter

Dear God,

We thank You for season of winter and the warmth we've experienced in the hearts of those around us. We are grateful for the generosity of those who have shared food, gifts, and kindness at Westway Open Arms brightening the cold days and warming our spirits. May Your blessings continue to flow, inspiring more acts of love, care and kindness. Amen.



Contact us.

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Food Bank

Our volunteers continue to be extremely busy. The food bank at Westway Open Arms is open for donations Monday –Thursday 10:00am –2:30pm. Client Support is available Monday - Thursday 10am – 12pm for food parcels. There may be times the centre is required to close early, if possible, please call on 01723 448274 before visiting. Below is a list of the foods most required by the foodbank:

Tins of curry, cooked meat, carrots, and fruit.

Cartons of long-life milk

Jars of Jam and coffee

Donations of toiletries are always welcome.

Toilet Roll, Shampoo, Shower Gel, Toothpaste

NB. We cannot accept food containing alcohol.



Thank You

We have so many people, organisations, businesses and Churches to thank for all their fantastic donations. Below is Harry who sold Hot Chocolate and Reindeer food raising funds for Westway Open Arms. Beyond Housing (photo on RT) made a fabulous food donation.



What's On

Soup Social – Tuesday 1:00pm to 3:00pm (Term Time Only)

Lunch Club – Wednesday 12:00pm (Term Time Only)

Craft Group Thursday 10:00am - 12:00pm

Gardening Club Thursday 10:00am – 12:00pm

Westway Warblers 4:00pm – 5:00pm

Contact Bernie for more details 01723 448274

