## Dear All

Union Road Presbyterian Church normally have a community event on the same evening as the switching on of the Magherafelt Christmas lights. Unfortunately, due to COVID restrictions, this event has had to be cancelled.

However, as Christmas is not cancelled, an alternative event has been organised for you to take part in.

A Way to the Manger will be held on Saturday 12th December 11am – 4pm. The details are as follows

- The Journey begins at Union Road Presbyterian Church on Union Road, Magherafelt where we would love you to follow the trail around the town in the safety of your family bubbles.
- As you follow the map we want you to count the sheep that have escaped.
- The sheep have made their way into shop windows along the route (some of the shop windows maybe hiding more than one).
- Keep a note and help our shepherds by filling in your totals along the way.
- The second thing you just find are people, 'live in action', nativity characters from the Christmas story.
- There are 5 to find around the town. Once you find them, each will give you two words to be
  collected. These words will not necessarily be in the right order but will help to form the final
  passcode.
- Having completed your sheet and your journey, leave it in the post box at the manger scene at Union Road Presbyterian Church.
- There are a guite a number of prizes sponsored by the local businesses.... so you never know what prize may be forth coming.

We really want you to take part. Print the forms below and fill them in on Saturday.

Happy Christmas Ch Ch

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\*If you do not have access to a printer please let your child's teacher know and we will supply a copy.