

## **St. George's Church, Oakdale**

Summary of responses from Church Groups to the "Questions for Consultation within Benefices and Deaneries" as part of the 'Let's Talk' initiative

1. What is the 'Personality and Character' of St George's
  - a. Helpful
  - b. Welcoming
  - c. Reassuring
  - d. Considerate
  - e. Outgoing
  - f. Forward thinking
  - g. Sustaining
  - h. Supportive
  - i. Good sense of camaraderie
  - j. Loving
  - k. No bad vibes
  - l. Spontaneous
2. What are the priorities of St George's
  - a. Prayer
  - b. Spiritual development
  - c. Reaching out into the community
  - d. Youth
  - e. Charitable work
3. One thing to develop in the coming year
  - a. Within the Church: A Church Band to lead worship in our more informal evening services.
  - b. Service to the Community: Extend the lunch club for elderly people living alone to include the school holiday weeks
4. Ways to work with neighbouring churches to achieve more

- a. Boxing day lunch and similar events
  - b. Entertainers, speakers
  - c. Training events
5. How can we best measure the quality and impact of church life
- a. By the fellowship we enjoy
  - b. Growth
  - c. 7 day a week Christianity
  - d. Stewardship

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