

WHALLEY RANGE FOR PEACE AND JUSTICE

invite you to

THE PEN IS MIGHTIER THAN THE SWORD #19

SAT 4th December 2.00pm - 5.00pm St Margaret's Church, Rufford Rd, Whalley Range, M16 8AE

Many snowflakes make an avalanche

Join us for a nineteenth consecutive year in sending seasonal messages of solidarity to political prisoners in many parts of the world, as well as appeals to their captors. Last year we sent over 1,000 cards and letters, using case histories provided by Amnesty International. We supply cards and envelopes, plus craft materials for younger campaigners. We will have our own Whalley Range cards available, courtesy of local photographer Ollie Morris. If you can afford to, please make a contribution to cover materials and postage. Masks should be worn in the church by anyone aged 11+ when moving around, unless you have an exemption.

Live entertainment will include the Beech Band, Alice Nicolay and Isobel Paris. There will be food, savoury and sweet (Tibetan Kitchen will have a mobile unit outside), and hot and cold drinks available, and you will once again be able enjoy mulled cider! Shopping opportunities will include Palestine Solidarity Campaign, Kimbilio, and News from Nowhere bookshop. And, yes, I'm afraid they do take credit cards at the bookstall!

Those of you who can't, or feel unprepared to, attend a public event can still Write from Home. Please download the online booklet here https://www.amnesty.org.uk/write-rights-2021-get-started

You can post the letters/cards yourself but it is equally effective and less costly to send as a batch.

If you deliver your cards/letters to Paul Morris, 135 Nicolas Rd, Chorlton M21 9LS we will post them for you. Just put them through the letterbox. You only need to write the name of the person to whom it is being sent on the envelope. Our posting deadline is 15th December.

More information from WRPJ2020@gmail.com