

## Front of Shoebox

Detach and secure this form to the top of your shoebox.



Please tape coins totalling **£2** to help towards the cost of transport and distribution.

My gift is for (please tick)

BOY  or GIRL   
*aged*

4-7  8-11  12-16

MAN  or WOMAN

FAMILY

## UK Supporter

For any help contact one of the Shoebox team:

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Or e-mail us on  
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Please let Heather know / email if you are promising a monetary donation

**Now**

Please take your filled shoeboxes / contributions to Church

**Before Sunday 7th November Please.**



For children, families and the elderly who otherwise would be unlikely to receive a present this Christmas time.

## Where do the boxes go?

### Hunedoara in Romania

Our Romanian partner is The Bethlehem Christian Centre based in the old steel town of Hunedoara. They are active in rebuilding their deprived communities with great needs and few resources.



## Three ways to help:

**A: Fill an adult sized shoebox** using the suggestions on p.4

**B: Donate suitable items** to go into a shoebox and we will allocate them into shoeboxes.

### C: Give a gift of money.

You may prefer to give money rather than make up a traditional shoebox. Your donation will be used by the team or the Bethlehem Christian centre to make up shoe boxes.

To make a cash gift please make a bank transfer into the church account

Sort Code: 30-19-54

Account Number: 03220010

Reference: Shoebox

You may like to enclose an appropriate Christmas message in ROMANIAN:

*Salute!*

*Numele mea este.....*

*Acces cadou de Craciun e special pentru tine.*

*Sper ca te bururi de el.*

*CRACIUN FERICIT!*

This says:

*Hello!*

*My name is .....*

*This Christmas present is especially for you.*

*I hope you enjoy it, and have a very*

*HAPPY CHRISTMAS!*



## To make up a shoebox:

A Wrap a strong shoebox and lid with decorative paper.

B Fill your shoebox with Christmas goodies. We suggest you include something from each of these 5 areas:-

- Warm clothing e.g. gloves
- Toiletries
- Sweets
- Toys / Games\* /Gifts
- Stationery

\*Remember picture or number based games

*See the full list on page 4 for ideas.*

C Enclose a Christmas message if you wish (see page 2).

D Complete the form on page 5, and attach it to the lid of your box with £2 to cover transport costs.

## For children and teenagers:

### Suggested items:

- Knitted hat, gloves, scarf
- Shampoo, soap, flannel, hairbrush, tissues
- Toothbrush, toothpaste
- Simple calculator
- Crayons, felt pens, pencils
- Colouring book, notebook
- Dynamo torch
- Teddy bear, small toys, dolls,
- Wrapped sweets
- Small travel games, playing cards
- Deodorant, aftershave
- Make up, perfume, sanitary towels

## For families or the elderly:

### Suggested items:

- Knitted hat, scarf, gloves, shawl, bed socks
- Shampoo, soap, flannel, comb/hairbrush, hankies/tissues
- Toothbrush and tooth paste
- Notebook and pens
- Travel games, picture puzzles
- Adult colouring books and pencils
- Perfume / aftershave
- Make up or shaving items
- Wrapped sweets

If making up a family box, give larger sized items/in multiple amounts  
e.g. 4 toothbrushes

**Thankyou Very Much**