



Under One Roof Project  
wishes you

## SEASONS GREETINGS

Let's all catch up, chat and do creative things together in the New Year, and while we wait.....

The **Under One Roof** project is about people, their stories and histories and our shared diverse heritage in Stoke-on-Trent. The project is based in Shelton and we aim to open up and restore **St Marks Church** for many uses by all members of the local community. We hope to see you soon and talk about any ideas you may have for that space, and other local heritage treasures that matter to our communities. We would also like to let you know about events and activities planned that get us all out and about.

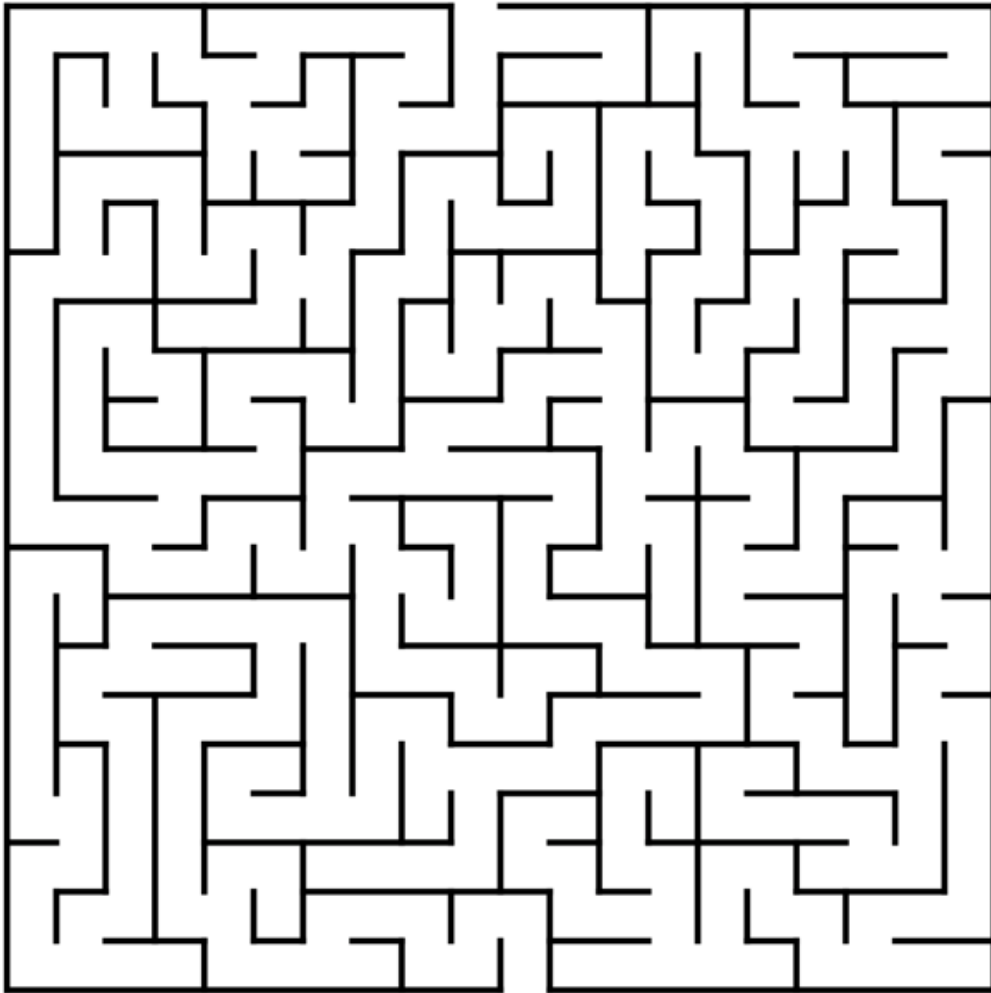
We have created a fun pack for you to enjoy over the holiday season so we hope you find this small sample of puzzles, games and creative activities interesting. Feel free to share them with us and others on our social media listed on the back of this pack, or simply enjoy them at home with friends and family.

So get busy, and get creative!

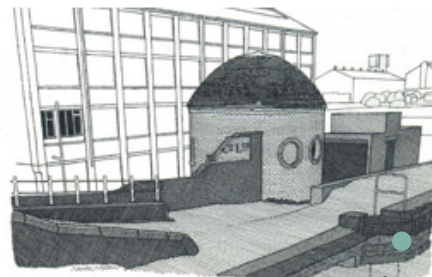


# Potteries Puzzles

Can you help the narrow boat get to the roundhouse cottage?



The canals in the area were built many years ago to help the Potters get their precious pots to the markets and shops where they would be sold. The Caldon Canal runs through Etruria and Shelton and would have been like a motorway to the people of Stoke-on-Trent when it was built all the way back in 1779.



## Potteries Slang

U	G	E	A	U	Y	S	D	A	O	W	C	P	G
B	U	U	P	A	T	Y	N	T	D	B	S	U	S
W	A	K	A	G	P	T	E	B	Y	N	A	T	U
T	P	Y	C	E	N	B	B	C	U	A	G	A	N
O	Y	O	A	U	I	A	A	K	A	K	C	W	B
C	B	T	N	P	B	Y	G	B	T	O	C	O	O
A	C	A	S	U	B	A	B	B	I	E	G	U	N
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S	Y	D	P	G	T	O	B	A	S	W	P	A	U
O	P	U	C	I	D	B	E	Y	S	Y	O	O	B
P	H	U	P	H	A	N	L	E	Y	L	K	L	U
T	U	E	T	E	P	A	H	T	A	L	U	O	B

BABBIE  
SHUG  
OWD  
BLAB  
UP HANLEY  
OW AT  
DUCK  
BOST  
AY UP  
CANST

## Did you know?

The people of the Potteries have many of their own words which, like in lots of other areas in the United Kingdom, came from an ancient language called **Anglo Saxon Old English**.

Many of the words on the right are still used today by local people. **Can you find the list of words in the word search?**  
**What do you think they mean?**

## Famous Potters

There are lots of potters from Stoke-on-Trent who are famous all over the world. This coffee pot, cup, and saucer was designed by a woman called **Clarice Cliff** who was born in Tunstall in 1899.

Her designs often contained many bold colours and were very popular and unusual for the time when they were made.

**Have a go at colouring in this pot and cup. Choose your own colours!**





## Your turn to be Clarice

Now imagine that you are one of the famous potters of Stoke-on-Trent and create your own cup and saucer design!

## This little light of mine...

People all over the world use light to celebrate in their communities. This can be during festivals, seasons, and in many many more ways. Ancient people believed that light was a symbol of hope in the darkness of winter, to let you know the sun is on the way.

**How are you and your family shining your light this winter?**



There are many ways you can find out more about the project, try new skills, and take part in creative workshops. Please let us know if you want to be kept up to date with our programme of events and activity. From tile-making and pottery, fun days, performances, walks and talks, there are many free and exciting things planned for 2021 and beyond so find us at:

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