

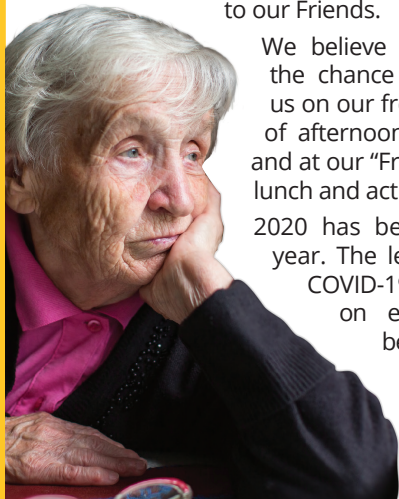
Trusted Local Charity Makes A Real difference to elderly lives in Darlington

Darlington Town Mission provides a vital life line of companionship and practical help to many elderly local residents. We employ two Missioners, who along with a team of trusted volunteer visitors and drivers visit our "Friends" in their own homes, care homes and hospitals and also assist with medical appointments and shopping trips.

In 2019 we made more than 1,300 home visits to our Friends.

We believe in giving older people the chance to socialise by joining us on our free monthly programme of afternoon outings, social events and at our "Friends Forum" to enjoy a lunch and activities.

2020 has been a very challenging year. The level of isolation due to COVID-19 has impacted heavily on elderly lives but we've been busier than ever with door step visits and companionship calling on a daily basis.



"I Really appreciate my doorstep visits"

Hamper Happiness

Our successful Christmas fund raising campaign meant that all our "Friends" received a Happy Christmas hamper loaded with festive foods supported by and bought from local suppliers including Alderson Butchers, Ulnaby Farm Shop and local Coop stores. A huge "thank you" to everyone who donated and gave their time on this project.



Every pound you donate goes towards alleviating isolation and loneliness and helping the elderly enjoy happy lives.

Visit our website to see how you can help.



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Enriching Elderly Lives

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