**Sharing God’s Love in our Community**

*January 2023*

In what ways do we share God’s love in our community at St Margaret’s?

**Read** Matthew 5:13-16

What was salt used for in the first century? How does that differ from today?

Why does Jesus talk about salt losing its saltiness?

What does it mean to be the salt of the earth?

What would it mean for christians to lose their saltiness?

In what ways are we at risk of losing our saltiness in today’s culture?

Who’s the light of the world? (John 8:12)

How, then, can we be the light of the world?

What does it mean to be the light of the world?

In what ways might we be tempted (or accidentally) hide our light?

What does it mean to bring God glory?

How might we be tempted to bring ourselves glory (either individually or as church)?

How do the activities you thought about at the beginning measure up to the three tests?

Are there any ways they can do this better?

**Pray** – Let’s pray that we can be distinctive, bring light, and glorify God. Let’s also spend time praying for activities at St Margarets.