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Exhibition hopes to bring bible to life



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LOTS TO EXPLORE: Wear Valley Christian Centre, in Bishop Auckland, is holding a Bible Times Exhibition. From left, Yvonne Etherington and Katherine Potts, youth and children workers, with the Reverend Stan Woods

A SPECIAL exhibition which aims to bring the bible to life will be open to visitors next week.

The Bible Times Exhibition will be held at the Wear Valley Christian Centre, in South Church Road, [Bishop Auckland](#).

The Reverend Stan Woods, together with his wife Brenda, have built up the displays over the years.

They visit different venues as requested and this is the third time in as many years they have exhibited at this particular venue.

Items and artefacts on display include scrolls, coins, oil lamps and tear bottles, some of which are 3,000-years-old.

People are invited to drop-in from Tuesday, June 25 to Thursday, June 27, from 10am to 3pm. In addition, there will be a coffee morning on Saturday, June 29, from 10am to noon and an evening service entitled "The Greatest Story Ever Told" on Sunday, June 30, at 6pm.

Pupils from Escomb Primary School, Cockton Hill Infants School and King James I Academy will be visiting the exhibition throughout the week to explore and learn to help them with their religious education studies.

Rev Woods said: "This is something different, fun and historic. It is not just about bibles, it is all different things. Everyone seems to enjoy it and there is a lot to explore."