

KINGSBURY/BAXTERLEY GROUP OF PARISHES

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



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Hurley



Kingsbury



Baxterley



Wood End



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 Advent 2

SUNDAY SERVICES

This Sunday—8th Dec **Advent 2**

WOOD END

9.30am Holy Communion

KINGSBURY

11.00am Holy Communion

1.00pm Baptism Service

MEREVALE

6.30pm Evening Worship

*(Readings: Isaiah 11.1-10;
 Psalm 72. 1-7, 18-19; Romans
 15. 4-13; Matthew 3.1-12)*

Next Sunday—15th Dec **Advent 3**

HURLEY

9.30am Holy Communion

KINGSBURY

11.00am Morning Worship

MEREVALE

11.00am Morning Prayer

BAXTERLEY

4.30pm Holy Communion

*(Readings: Isaiah 35. 1-10;
 Psalm 146. 4-10; James 5. 7-
 10; Matthew 11. 2-11)*

Sunday 22nd December **Advent 4**

WOOD END

9.30am Holy Communion

KINGSBURY

11.00am Holy Communion

HURLEY

4.00pm 'Christingle' at
 Tea Time Church

*(Readings: Isaiah 7. 10-16;
 Psalm 80. 1-8, 18-20; Romans
 1. 1-7; Matthew 1. 18-end)*

Christmas Services & Events **Cards —Available TODAY**

*Please remember to take one for
 anyone who may be interested*

Forthcoming Events

Tuesday 10th December

- 7.00pm Advent Reflections at Hurley (3) (followed by Ministry Team meeting)

Wednesday 11th December

- 9.30am Advent Reflections at Wood End (3)

Thursday 12th December

- 4.30pm Evening Prayer at Baxterley

Friday 13th December

- 12.15pm Funeral of Gladys Ball at Sutton Crem.

Saturday 14th December

- 10am to 12noon Kingsbury Green Clean

Monday 16th December

- 2.45pm Funeral of Margaret Bell at Southampton Crem

Tuesday 17th December

- 7.00pm Advent Reflections at Hurley (4)

Wednesday 18th December

- 9.30am Advent Reflections at Wood End (4)

- 6.15pm Evening Prayer at Kingsbury

Thursday 19th December

- 4.30pm Evening Prayer at Baxterley

- 7.30pm Traditional Carol Service at Kingsbury

Friday 20th December

- 7.30pm Traditional Carol Service at Baxterley

Advent Liturgy—week 2 We light this candle to recall the shepherds on the hills and all throughout the ages who in their place of work have been ready to hear good news and delighted to pass it on to others. May the light overcome the darkness.



Advent Appeal: During Advent this year, we shall be supporting our local foodbanks. There will be a box in each church throughout Advent. If we each bring one item of groceries each time we come to church, that will add up to a significant contribution to help people in need this Christmas time. *Please do not bring any perishable food items.*

Advent Reflections: This year our Advent Reflections will be on the Book of Revelation. There will be four sessions on **Tuesday** evenings at **Hurley Church, 7.00pm** and each session will be repeated on the **Wednesday** each week, **9.30am** at **Wood End Church**. See Services & Events cards for all dates. All Welcome!

Collect for Advent 2

Almighty God, purify our hearts and minds, that when your Son Jesus Christ comes again as judge and saviour we may be ready to receive him, who is our Lord and our God. **Amen**



Please Pray for:

Those who are ill:

Bill Thompson : Rachel
 Carol & Doreen Makepeace
 Lauren : June Arnold
 Alan & Marie Bridgewater
 Samuel : Hope : Kieran : Bethen
 Olive : Sean : Doris
 Cecil Nickells : Kay : Vera
 Celia Postans : Rose Stubbs
 Monica Paton : Patrick : Debbie
 Amelia : Gwen : Alan Barnes :
 Keith : Glenys : Vicky Jackson :
 Carole Haines : Sandra Priddey :
 Muriel Wright : Pearl : Jackie
 Betty Jones : Pam Bayliss
 Margaret Hewetson : Diane
 Sandra : Fred : Edna : Bill
 :Priscilla : Ann

Baptised today

Reuben Anthony Hemphill

Those who have died

Gladys Ball
 Margaret Bell

Please also pray for.....

Carole in her new role as priest



Kingsbury Christmas

Bazaar raised **£738.00** for church funds. Many thanks to all who helped or supported in any way.



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Safeguarding Support: If you have a safeguarding matter you need to discuss, speak to our **Parish Safeguarding Officer - Dr. Pru Allington-Smith on 01827 825701** or **Rev. John** or in emergency **the Bishop's Safeguarding Adviser, Steph Haynes on 07342 993844**
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Please stay and join us for coffee/tea after any of our 9.30am and 11.00am services



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