KINGSBURY/BAXTERLEY GROUP OF PARISHES WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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03/12/2017 Advent Sunday

SUNDAY SERVICES

This Sunday—3rd Dec. **Advent Sunday**

GROUP CHRISTINGLE **SERVICE**

10.30am





(Year 'B' begins)

Next Sunday—10th Dec. Advent 2

WOOD END

9.30am Holy Communion

KINGSBURY

11.00am Holy Communion

MEREVALE

6.30pm Evening Worship

(Readings: Isaiah 40. 1-11; Psalm 85. 1-2, 8-end; 2 Peter 3. 8-15a; Mark 1. 1-8)

Sunday 17th December Advent 3

HURLEY

9.30am Holy Communion

KINGSBURY

11.00am Morning Worship

MEREVALE

11.00am Carol Service

BAXTERLEY

6.30pm Carol Service

(Readings: Isaiah 61. 1-4, 8-11; Psalm 126; 1 Thess. 5. 16-24; John 1. 6-8, 19-28)

Christmas Events Leaflet Available NOW

Please remember to take one for anyone who may be interested

Forthcoming Events



- 1.30pm Prayers Together at Kingsbury
- 7.00pm 'Mulled Wine, Mince Pies & Music' at Hurley Wednesday 6th December
- 9.30am Holy Communion at Wood End
- 10.00-12noon Blythe Hall Coffee Morning
- 11.00am Funeral of Carol Anne Pethick at Kingsbury
- 2.00pm Mothers' Union meet in the Old Stables
- 7.00pm Advent Reflections (2) at Hurley

Thursday 7th December

- 2.00pm Advent Reflections (2) at Wood End
- 4.30pm Funeral of Margaret Maddox at Nuneaton Crem Saturday 9th December
- 10.00-12.00 Wood End Coffee Morning & Carols Wednesday 13th December
- 7.00pm Advent Reflections (3) at Hurley Thursday 14th December
- 2.00pm Advent Reflections (3) at Wood End
- 7.00pm Candlelit Carols at Kingsbury

Come and join in with **Carols on the Green**, by the Jubilee Court shops in Kingsbury, on Tuesday 19th December from 7pm. (Organised by Kingsbury and Cliff Residents Group).

Advent Liturgy—week 1 Lord Jesus, light of the world, born in David's city of Bethlehem, born like him to be a king; be born in our hearts at Christmas, be King of our lives today. Amen.

Advent Reflections

A series of reflections entitled 'Inspired to Follow' based on paintings in the National Gallery. Wednesdays 6th, 13th & 20th December 7.00pm at Hurley Church and repeated Thursdays 7th, 14th & 21st December, 2.00pm at Wood End Church.

Collect for Advent Sunday

Almighty God, as your kingdom dawns, turn us from the darkness of sin to the light of holiness, that we may be ready to meet you in our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.

All welcome to sing carols with the residents of Bentley House, on Thursday 21 December at 5.30pm. Tea and cake provided!

Baxterley Bingo raised **£587.50** for church funds. Many thanks to all who supported this event!

Advance Notices: Hurley Mulled Wine, Mince Pies & Music Tuesday 5th December

7.00pm Entrance £5.00 **Blythe Hall Coffee** Morning

Wednesday 6th December 10.00am-12noon Tickets £5.00

Wood End Coffee Morning & Carols

Saturday 9th December 10.00-12noon

Please Pray for:

Those who are ill: Bill Thompson

Rachel: Carol Makepeace Doreen Makepeace Lauren: Roger: June Arnold

Alan & Marie Bridgewater Samuel: Hope: Kieran: Olive Bethen: Sean: Doris

Cecil Nickells: Carol Barton: Delia Gee: Kay: Vera Celia Postans: Harry Williams Rose Stubbs : Monica Paton

David: Debbie: Amelia: Gwen Those who have died **Christopher Richard Collins** Esther Kaminski

Terence Brown Carol Anne Pethick Margaret Maddox

Please also pray for Carole, our Ordinand



Advent Appeal 2017

Our Advent Appeal this year will be for the Children's Society. Please give generously at our Christingle or other Services throughout December.

WANTED - BOTTLES AND CANS For tombola at Hurley Mulled Wine and Mince Pies evening. Please see Nick or Sue if you can donate any, or bring them to Church.



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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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