

# KINGSBURY/BAXTERLEY GROUP OF PARISHES

## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



Merevale



Hurley



Kingsbury



Baxterley



Wood End



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24/11/2019  
Christ the King

### SUNDAY SERVICES

#### **This Sunday—24th Nov** **Christ the King**

##### **WOOD END**

9.30am Holy Communion

##### **KINGSBURY**

11.00am Holy Communion

1.00pm Baptism Service

##### **HURLEY**

4.00pm Tea Time Church

(Readings: Jeremiah 23. 1-6;  
Psalm 46; Colossians 1. 11-20;  
Luke 23. 33-43)

#### **Next Sunday—1st Dec** **Advent Sunday**

##### **GROUP SERVICE**

10.30am

##### **MEREVALE**

(Followed by 12.30pm  
Baptism Service)

(Readings: Jeremiah 23. 1-6;  
Psalm 46; Colossians 1. 11-20;  
Luke 23. 33-43)

#### **Sunday 8th December** **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)

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

Please remember to take one for  
anyone who may be interested

### Forthcoming Events

#### Tuesday 26th November

- 7.00pm Advent Reflections at Hurley (1)

#### Wednesday 27th November

- 9.30am Advent Reflections at Wood End (1)
- 6.15pm Evening Prayer at Kingsbury
- 7.30pm Merevale PCC meet at Idle Hollow

#### Thursday 28th November

- 4.30pm Evening Prayer at Baxterley
- 7.30pm Choir Practice at Hurley

#### Saturday 30th November

- 12.00-2.00pm **Kingsbury Christmas Bazaar** at the Methodist Church

#### Tuesday 3rd December

- 7.00pm Advent Reflections at Hurley (2)

#### Wednesday 4th December

- 9.30am Advent Reflections at Wood End (2)
- 2.00pm Mothers Union meet - Christmas Decorations
- 6.15pm Evening Prayer at Kingsbury

#### Thursday 5th December

- 4.30pm Evening Prayer at Baxterley

#### Saturday 7th December

- 10.00-12noon **Coffee Morning & Carols** at Wood End

**Friends of Baxterley Church and Churchyard:** In the New Year, we shall be launching a Friends network for Baxterley. This will be open to everyone (churchgoers or not) who may be able to help with fundraising and maintenance for Baxterley Church. If you are interested in being part of a group to help set this up, please have a word with Revd John

**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** starting on 26th November, 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 Christ the King**

God the Father, help us to hear the call of Christ the King and to follow in his service, whose kingdom has no end; for he reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, one glory. **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 : Margaret Bell

#### Baptised today

Bobby Thomas Hemming  
Aston Alan Stubbs

#### Those who have died

Stanley Rushton  
Vivien Yvonne Skipton  
Dorothy Mary Dipple  
Gladys Ball

#### Please also pray for.....

Carole in her new role as priest



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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** [StephH@cofebirmingham.com](mailto:StephH@cofebirmingham.com)

Please stay and join us for  
coffee/tea after any  
of our 9.30am and  
11.00am services



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