

SUNDAY 7th December

Second Sunday of Advent



TODAY'S SERVICES 8AM: Said Eucharist (Fr Charles) at Church 10AM: Sung Eucharist (Rev Sandra) at Church followed by refreshments in the Church hall HYMNS: 12, 10, 3, 7 12PM: Advent Course in the Choir Vestry	Gospel Acclamation Glory and Praise to you, O Christ. Prepare the way for the Lord, make his path straight and all humanity shall see the salvation of God Glory and Praise to you, O Christ.
Motet: Advent Message – <i>How</i> (NOEAB p2)	Voluntary: Prelude & Fugue in C Minor (BWV 549) – <i>JS Bach</i>
Birthdays: Sarah Brewer and Seth Lewis	Retiring Collection: The Children's Society
THIS WEEK'S DIARY	
Monday 8th December (<i>The Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>) 12PM: Friendship Group Christmas Meal at the Red Lion, Horndean. All are welcome. Contact Eileen on 07355693719 Email smswetland47@gmail.com	Tuesday 9th December 11AM: Carol singing in South Africa Lodge 2PM: Knit & Natter Group in the Church hall
Wednesday 10th December 10AM: Said Eucharist (Fr Charles) at Church followed by refreshments in the Church hall 11AM: St George's Prayer Group at Church 2PM: Berewood School Christmas visit at Church	Thursday 11th December 9:30AM: St George's Market in the Church hall 2PM: Berewood School Christmas visit at Church
Friday 12th December	Saturday 13th December (<i>Lucy, Martyr at Syracuse, 304</i>) 6PM: Horndean Band Christmas Concert at Church
Next Sunday (Third Sunday of Advent) 8AM: Said Eucharist (Fr Tyrone) at Church 10AM: Sung Eucharist (Fr Tyrone) at Church followed by refreshments in the Church hall 12PM: Advent Course in the Choir Vestry 7PM: St George's Ladies Christmas Get Together in the Church hall	Readings Next Week Isaiah 35.1-10 Psalm 146.4-10 James 5.7-10 Matthew 11.2-11

Advent Course will take place in the Choir Vestry at 1200.

The Parents and Toddlers group is taking a break until the New Year when the group will resume. The children's Christmas party will go ahead on Tuesday December 16th 9.30am – 11am when Fr Christmas will be in attendance, all are welcome.



We desperately need people who are prepared to train as servers. The more people we have the less frequently you have to serve! Please speak to Anne Morgan if you are interested in training to serve. Thankyou.

Singers needed to boost numbers on Tuesday December 9th 11am at South Africa Lodge and Tuesday December 16th 11:30am at Two Beeches to sing carols to the residents. Please come along no matter what your talents as the elderly residents love to hear and join in with the carols. Please see Marian or Rev Sandra for more details.



Christmas flowers: we would like to use real flowers to enhance our Christmas decorations this year. If anyone is able to contribute towards the cost of these this would be much appreciated. Please give any donations to Lynne Winter. Thank you.

Christingle – please note that the Christingle service will take place on **Christmas Eve at 4pm** this year as it always has done in the past. It will be run by Chris Gadd again (as last year) with as many Dragons and young people as he can round up. If you are able to help steward that would be most appreciated – it is extraordinarily popular! Do see Chris.



Christmas at St George's

22nd December: 6PM Nine Lessons & Carols

24th December: 4PM Christingle Service **11PM** Midnight Mass

25th December: 8AM: Said Eucharist **10AM:** Family Eucharist

All Welcome!



Remembering Those Who Need Our Prayers This Week

Rosemary Turner, Katie Gibb, Margaret Deal, Fr Colin, Caroline Magnussen, Margaret Harris, John Tribe, Inara Nijkar, Helen, Jeremy, Margaret Symonds, Tom Clarke, Rozzy, Fr Ray Chapman, Steve Cook and Pam Gadd.

We Remember all who died recently and **Jazmin Adamson, Audrey Cole, Jackie Strickland, Robert Fletcher, Annie Mann, David Henry Pask, Joseph Linney and Alan Hyett** whose anniversary falls at this time.

