



SUNDAY 2ND DECEMBER, 2018

Church News

TODAY

Advent Sunday

Start of Common Worship Year C

10:00

SPP, Dinton

BCP Holy Communion

Leaders: Rev. Nigel Featherstone & Andy Hardy

Readings: Jeremiah 33.14-16 & Luke 21. 25-36

10:30

SJB, Stone

Holy Communion with Choir

Leaders: Rev. Jonathan Hawkins & David Robinson

Readings: Jeremiah 33.14-16 & Luke 21. 25-36

THIS WEEK

Tues

4

19:30

Choir Practice , 29b Eythrope Road

Sat

8

10:30

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12:00

Soup Lunch, Stone Methodist Chapel

14:00

Christingle Making (Everyone welcome!), Stone

16:00

Methodist Chapel

Sun

9

10:30

Christingle Service, SJB, Stone

Leader: Canon Phil Gr

Readings: John 1

18:00

Evensong, SPP, Dinton

Leader: Raymond Medhurst

Readings: Psalm 64 & Malachi 3.1-4 & Luke 1. 1-25

Soup Lunch

Saturday 8th December from 12 - 2 raising funds for the local Action for Children project [based in Aylesbury]

Lots of choice of soups, served with roll and butter, with tea or coffee and biscuits. All for a donation!

Posada

Our Mary and Joseph will set out today. If you want to find out more about the Posada there is a display at the back of the church, or you can contact Jenny Pickup on 748170 J.Pickup@stonedintonhartwell.com

Coffee Cup Collections

Our new coffee cup collection is for the Free Christmas Lunch that is provided at St Mary's Church in Aylesbury on Christmas Day. This event has been taking place for over twenty years and is run by volunteers and paid for by donations as well as some fund raising events held earlier in the year. Anyone can attend the lunch without booking, it is not dependant on age or religious belief.

Why are we supporting it? there have been reports in the news this year about the growing problem of loneliness in our society. This Christmas Lunch offers hospitality and company to many who would otherwise spend Christmas Day on their own. Others would find it difficult to be at home due to broken relationships, or recent bereavement, and others may not have a home to go to.

Theatre For All

Oddments Theatre presents "The Hiding Place" the Corrie Ten Boom Story: Monday 3rd December at 7.30pm at St Nicholas Church , Cuddington.

Tickets available from the Benefice office (phone 01844 291108) or email office@wychertvale.org or purchase online at www.oddments-theatre.co.uk. £10 in advance or £12 on the door. Early booking is advisable.

Haddenham Christmas Tree Festival

Once again we will be taking part in this which takes place in St. Mary's, Haddenham. Viewing times are:

Friday, Dec. 7th - 10.00am – 6.00pm

Saturday, Dec. 8th - 11.00am – 6.00pm

Sunday, Dec. 9th - 12.30pm – 5.00pm

Refreshments will be available.

Our tree will then form part of the decorations in SJB, Stone over the festival period.