

PLEASE HOLD IN PRAYER:



Brenda Smith. Jane Allen. Olive Ruzvidzo.

Sarah Maley. Eric and Penny Mival.

Kate & Maurice Ellery. Sheila Breeze.

The housebound. The bereaved. World Governments.

Those who find the Christmas season difficult for any reason.

Please pray for our District Circuits and Committees:

Dec. 1 The Oxford Circuit. Superintendent Minister: Rev. Miriam Moul.

Dec. 8 Ecumenical work. Lead DEO: Rev. Ian Suttie.

Dec. 15 The Stamford Circuit. Superintendent: Rev. Andrew Hollins.

Dec. 22 Environmental Worl (Action for Hope) District Mission Team Leader: Matt Forsyth.

Dec. 29 The Vale of Aylesbury Circuit. Superintendent Minister: Rev. Richard Atkinson.

THE WELL, OUR CHURCH COFFEE SHOP

is open on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays
between 10am & 2pm until Friday December 20th

It will reopen on Wednesday January 8th.

A warm welcome awaits you and all money raised goes to support
our Mission Projects and church funds.



BETTER, STRONGER, TOGETHER.

*The board which is displayed beneath the Holy Communion table was
created at the Circuit Farm Weekend Pentecost Sunday Worship.*

*The theme/design was inspired by the Olympic Games, and the
scrunched up coloured tissue paper represents the prayers offered by
people during the worship. Since the Farm Weekend the board has
been travelling around the churches of the Stamford Methodist Circuit.
It has now reached us.*

Sunday Prayers from 10.30am on Sunday and 'Evening Prayers' every evening are
available to watch at any time.

Search YouTube for 'Stamford Methodist Church and Circuit'
and the date of the service you wish to watch.

Staff Availability and Contact Details.

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SUNDAY DECEMBER 1st 2024.

ADVENT SUNDAY



10.30am Morning Worship with Holy Communion
led by Rev'd Andrew Hollins.

Junior Church.

3.00pm Circuit Advent Service at Stamford Methodist Church.

Sunday Prayers led by Phil Jones.

*The flowers this week are in memory of Dorothy and Bill
Drakes and their daughter Valerie.*



*We extend a very warm welcome to all who worship with us and invite
you to join us for tea or coffee after the morning service.
If you are new to the church, please make yourself known to our
stewards or door stewards.*



DECEMBER EVENTS

Monday 2nd 7.00pm Church Prayer Meeting at Maureen's, 75, Caithness Road. *All welcome.*

Tuesday 3rd 2.30pm Afternoon Housegroup meet in the Prayer Chapel for Bible study, prayer and fellowship. *All welcome.*

6.00 – 7.30pm Girls' Brigade.

Wednesday 4th 10.00 – 11.30am Twinkletots.

2.00pm Wednesday Fellowship. Advent Service led by Rev. Andrew Hollins. *All welcome.*

Thursday 5th 10.30am – midday. Coffee & Craft Group meet in the Well. (Next meeting 16 January.)

2.00pm Bible Study at Ryhall Chapel led by Rev. Bekkie Wright. *All welcome.*

Friday 6th 10.00am Growth & Outreach Meeting in the Prayer Chapel. *All welcome.*

SUNDAY DECEMBER 8th

10.30am Morning Worship led by Cheryl Allen.

Sunday Prayers led by Tony Law.

THE NOVEMBER FLOWERS HAVE BEEN DONATED BY:

DECEMBER 8th

Alex Sismey in memory of her husband Roger and her father Ken.

DECEMBER 15th

Mrs M. Newbery.

DECEMBER 22nd

The flowers this week are to celebrate the birth of Jesus.



Tuesday 10th 6.00 – 7.15pm Girls' Brigade. (last until Jan)

Wednesday 11th 10.00 – 11.30am Twinkletots.

Thursday 12th 3.00pm Carols for All led by Rev. Andrew Hollins. *All welcome.*

Saturday 14th 10.15am Messy Church. See flyers for details.

7.30pm Stamford Brass Concert.

Monday 16th 7.00pm Prayer Meeting at Maureen's.

Wednesday 18th 10.00 – 11.30am Twinkletots. (last until Jan.)

Saturday 21st 10.00am – midday. Christmas Carol Singing at Morrison's in aid of the church's Mission Projects. Wrap up warmly and come and join the singers and musicians for as much time as you can spare. Everyone is welcome to join in and swell the sound for as long or as short a time as you are able.

Tuesday 24th **CHRISTMAS EVE.** 4.00pm Christingle Service led by Rev. Andrew Hollins. *All welcome.*

11.30pm Holy Communion at the URC, Star Lane. All welcome.



DECEMBER SERVICES

Sunday Dec. 15th 10.30am Morning Worship led by Audrey Hensman. Sunday Prayers led by Rev. Paul Cockburn.

Sunday Dec. 22nd

10.30am Nativity.

6.00pm Carols by Candlelight led by Rev. Andrew Hollins. Sunday Prayers led by Rev. Andrew Hollins. (Carol service)

CHRISTMAS DAY

10.30am CHRISTMAS DAY SERVICE led by Sarah Atwell-King.

(Please bring one of your presents!)



Sunday 29th 10.30am Morning Worship led by Sarah Atwell-King.

Sunday Prayers led by Rev. Bekkie Wright.

WE WISH YOU ALL A HAPPY AND BLESSED CHRISTMAS.



CHRISTIAN AID QUIZ Rev. Andrew Hollins is selling copies of a fundraising 'Silver' quiz sheet (£1 each) in aid of Christian Aid. The deadline for answers is 6th January so there's plenty of time to complete it over Christmas!

EVERY SATURDAY 12 noon – 2pm - 'Second Helpings'

3 course meals in the main hall. Envelopes provided so you can 'pay as you feel'. Everyone is welcome to come and enjoy the food and make new friends.

