

23<sup>rd</sup> December 2012

4<sup>th</sup> Sunday In Advent

St. MARY'S  
Newsletter



**Welcome to St Mary's Bramall Lane this morning.**

There are supervised activities for children of all ages during the service, please follow us out after opening worship. Parents are welcome either to leave their children or stay with them.

Refreshments including tea and coffee will be available at the end of the service.

An induction loop is available for those who are hard of hearing. Please turn your hearing aid to the 'T' setting.

Toilets, including disabled and nappy changing facilities are situated at the west end of the church. Follow signs past reception and the main hall.

**This Morning's Worship**

<b>10.30am Parish Communion</b>	Steward	Doreen & Joan
	Readings	Keith H
	Celebrant	Rev Karen Cribb
	Preach	Rev Julian Sullivan
	Prayers	Clare
	Light Factory	Jo, Tom, Kim, Odette
	Drinks	Della
	Music	Kevin, Veronica, Steve

**Collect For 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday In Advent**

Eternal God,  
as Mary waited for the birth of your Son,  
so we wait for his coming in glory;  
bring us through the birth pangs of this present age  
to see, with her, our great salvation  
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Advent And Christmas Diary**

**December**

**Monday 24th**

Midnight Mass **11.30pm**

**Tuesday 25th**

All Age Eucharist for  
Christmas Day **10.30am**

**Advance Notices**

**Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> January 7.45pm.** Centre Board Meeting.

Normal midweek activities resume on the week beginning **Monday 7<sup>th</sup> January.**

Next Messy Church **Friday 18<sup>th</sup> January 4.00-6.00pm.**

**Speaking Up For Dementia Support**

Did you see the interview with Yo Tozer-Loft in this week's Sheffield Telegraph? Yo was talking about the important work of Sheffield charity South West Area Sitting Service who supported their family during her father's illness. After running for 25 years the charity is having to fold due to the council axing their funding. There's a lovely photo of Yo and Reg too! <http://bit.ly/TaeQj>

**Next Sunday – 30<sup>th</sup> December**

**10.30am Parish Communion**

People with jobs to do: Ann B (readings); Elaine C (prayers); Barbara (drinks); Caroline (church unlocker).

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