



# St Mary's Church Newsletter

25th November 2018

Christ the King

## WELCOME TO ST MARYS

- Refreshments including tea and coffee will be available at the end of the service.
- There are supervised activities for children of all ages during the service, please follow us out after opening worship. Parents are welcome to leave their children or stay with them.
- Gluten free wafers are available for communion. Please ask a steward or member of the clergy.
- 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 far end of the church. Follow signs past reception and the main hall.

## 10.30 Holy Communion

Lead..... Debbie  
Celebrate..... Revd Jeremy Clines  
Preach..... Revd Jeremy Clines  
Readings..... 2 Samuel 23:1-7  
..... Revelation 1:4b-8  
..... John 18:33-37  
Reader..... Benita  
Intercessor..... Margaret I  
Stewards..... Youth  
Drinks..... Margaret and John  
Music..... Jon, Jess, David.

## COLLECT

*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.*

## TODAY 1PM WOMAN'S INTERFAITH FORUM

**1-3pm** at St Mary's. We will be experiencing the Muslim celebration of Mawlid (birth of Jesus).

## THIS WEEK AT ST MARYS

### Monday

10am -12 noon. St Mary's Café will be open for free tea, coffee and cakes! This will be run and hosted by the church community. Please drop in/lend a hand.

### Wednesday

**9.30 - 11.30am** Toddler Group. See Miriam.

**1pm** Messy Church planning meeting.

**4.30pm drinks, 5-6pm** Christmas Carol Singalong! Please note later timings. All welcome! See Yo 07925 634 420.

### Thursday

**7.30pm** in the Parish Room. Evening Study/Fellowship Group exploring the theme of the Common Good using material from the Bible Society - all welcome. Please speak to Chris Rees for more information. A daytime group may also run if there is enough interest - please let Maureen know if this would suit you better.

This will be a short series of five studies on Thursday evenings.

### Saturday

12 noon - 1pm. Carol Singing for Christian Aid this Saturday on Fargate - it is being led by other churches but singers from St Mary's welcome for the 12-1 slot - or go along and support at any time.

## SHINE LIVE CHRISTMAS PARTY

Youth Event on **Friday 7th December.**



## ST MARYS CAFE

St Marys Café ( Hospitality & Holiness). The Church will be opening the café on a Monday mornings from **Monday 26th Nov 10am-12.**

## ADVENT / CHRISTMAS DATES

**Sunday 2nd December: Advent Sunday.**

Shared lunch and family activities. After the service we will have a bring and share lunch. Please bring food to share and making of advent wreaths. Please stay and be together.

**Wednesday 12th December: Carols and Christmas Party Duchess Road.**

Following on from last year we will be singing carol round the tree at Duchess Rd, starting at 6.30pm. Please come and support!

**Sunday 16th December**

Holy Communion service in morning.

**4pm Carol Service**

**Sunday 23rd December**

No service in the morning.

**4pm** Christingle Service

**Christmas Eve**

**11.30pm** Midnight service

**Christmas Day**

**10.30am** Christmas Day Service

## NEW YEAR DATES

**Sunday 6th January** we are worshipping with the other churches in our Mission Partnership at 10.30am at St Andrews Psalter Lane.

## CHURCH ACTION ON POVERTY

With the squeeze on incomes and the huge social security changes in Universal Credit, Citizens Advice Sheffield plays a crucial role in helping local people to get their correct welfare entitlements and in steering them through many complexities. Liz Cook, the new Chief Executive of Citizens Advice Sheffield, is coming to talk to our group and answer questions .

The meeting will take place at 7pm on **Tuesday 4th December** at the Jesus Centre, 93 Broomspiring Lane, Broomhall.

## NEXT SUNDAY 2ND NOVEMBER

**10.30 Holy Communion and shared lunch**

People with jobs to do: Karen (lead and celebrate); Claire (preach); Della (read); Giles (prayers); Della (drinks); John and Margaret (stewards); Steve, James, Yo (music)

...find out more...talk to someone...send some news...

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