

Spotlight Link Newsletter
St Matthias & St George Parish Church.
Week Commencing 30th November 2014.
A member of "Christ the King" team ministry.

Fr Michael Bartlett Tel 01527 545709.

Team Rector.

St Peter's Crabbs Cross

Fr Glenn Reading Tel 01527 894436 or

07964282278 **Team Vicar.**

Welcome to St Matthias & St George Parish Church, Church Road, Astwood Bank B96 6EH

Service for Sunday 30th November (Advent 1)

9-00am CW Eucharist led by Fr Glenn

10-30am Sunday Stars in hall with Irene.

Service for Tuesday 2nd December.

10-00 am CW Eucharist led by Fr Glenn.

Service for Sunday 7th December (Advent 2)

9-00am BCP Eucharist led by Fr Glenn.

10-30am Family Informal Service led by Irene which is our TOY SERVICE. Please bring new toys in bags which we pass onto needy children.

There is a hearing loop for those with impaired hearing. Please stay and enjoy a cup of coffee or tea after this service served in the Church Hall.

Service for Sunday 14th December (Advent 3)

10-30am Sung Eucharist CW led by Fr Glenn. &

Sunday Stars led by Irene.

Services for Sunday 21st December (Advent 4)

9-00am Said CW Eucharist led by Fr Glenn.

10-30am Sunday Stars in hall with Irene.

6-00pm **Joint Carol Service at St Peter's Crabbs**

Cross.

Christmas Celebrations.

24th December.

6-00pm Children's Nativity Celebration.

10-00pm Christmas Eve Mass led by Fr Glenn.

25th December.

10-00am All age Christmas Celebration Service

Christmas Fayre. The exact amount raised was **£655-00** for Church funds. Ann still has a small amount of home made jam if anyone missed out.

Spotlight Notices for inclusion next week please give to Brian by 1-00pm on Thursday on 892213 or e mail to brianrichards@talktalk.net .

We continue to pray for MickBolt, Jean Green, Philippa Kreuser, Alex, Mike Lawes, Karen & Dale Roberts, Ena Treadgold, Colin & Alison Daines, Kathleen Moody, Maisie Harber, Anne Bush, Marion Lee, Edna Weale, Christopher Winter, Harry Wells, Joyce Slater, Jean Lees, and all their families.

We pray for the soul of Eileen Partington recently departed .The funeral will take place in this Church on Monday 1st December at 11-30am Her family are in our thoughts at this sad time. **RIP.**

Pastoral Care. If you know anyone requesting a pastoral visit or Home Communion please contact Irene Hamilton on 894179

For a hospital visit or bedside Communion please contact Margaret Andrew on 01527 540658.

Prayer Notice Board is available for prayer requests at back of Church. Please pray for those who are sick and all whom need our prayer support together with Sue Essam our CMS missionary.

The Prayer Chain is lead by Pauline Jones and to address urgent prayer requests please ring Pauline on 892650. The Prayer group continues on Thursdays, but also use the Prayer Board, as described above.

Christmas Rota.

Please let Ann Robinson know of any time you will be away over the Christmas period and up to Candlemass (2nd Feb) so that she can prepare the next rota. in particular Christmas Eve (10pm) Christmas Day (10am) and 28th Dec (10-30am)

Please log on to our website for more information

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