

THIS WEEK, beginning Sunday 15th December 2019

Advent prayers with Karl

Monday & Thursday 9.30am Advent prayers with Karl

Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 10.00am Advent prayers with Karl

All Week 10am - 2pm Christmas Tree Festival

MONDAY 7.30pm Wives & Friends – Christmas Carols & Readings

TUESDAY 1.10pm Lunchtime concert (see Notice)

2.30pm Property Committee

7.00pm Badminton

WEDNESDAY 2.00pm Memory Café

3.30pm Memorial Service for Maggie Homer

THURSDAY 7.30pm Blue Christmas service

FRIDAY 2.10pm Dancing Memories

SATURDAY 9.45am Rehearsal for Nine Lessons & Carols

10.00am Coffee Bar – NMMC Christmas Tree Festival

10am – 2pm Christmas Tree Festival

10.30am Prayers in the Vestry for 15 minutes

11.30am Community Carols

SUNDAY 22nd December

10.30am Holy Communion led by Revd Karl Rutledge

6.30pm Nine Lessons & Carols

Churches Together in Malden – This week's PRAYER THEMES

Crisis at Christmas All agencies helping refugees and dispossessed

CHURCH FAMILY NEWS

Please pray for any you know who are in hospital, bereaved or unwell, or who are going through a difficult time.

A memorial service for Maggie Homer, who died peacefully on 27th November, will be held here on Wednesday 18th December at 3.30pm. Maggie will be laid to rest on Tuesday 17th in York.

MORNING PRAYERS DURING ADVENT

You are most welcome to join Karl in the church Monday to Friday during Advent for morning prayers. Please see the booklet in the Welcome Area for details.

The **Church collection** for 8th December 2019 was £178.01, £110 of which will be donated to Action for Children. This is in addition to an average for weekly direct giving of £606.

PUT A SMILE ON ROSIE THE ROTA RABBIT'S FACE!

Wesley's is now fully staffed until the 23rd of December. We shall be closed on the three bank holidays (Christmas Day, Boxing Day and New Year's Day) but there are still a lot of gaps over the holiday period. Please put a smile on Rosie the Rota Rabbit's face by filling any of the following:



- Christmas Eve (Tue 26th) 10.00 (both slots) and 12.00 (one)
- Friday 27th 12.00 (both slots)
- New Year's Eve (Tue 31st) 12.00
- Thursday 2nd January 10.00 (both slots) and 12.00 (one)

Rosie the Rota Rabbit & Hilary Warner

CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL

Thank you to anyone who help to steward the festival yesterday. There are still slots available for next Saturday so please see the list on the noticeboard if you think you can help. Also, if anyone can help with the coffee bar on Saturday morning, that would also be appreciated – even just half an hour would be great. Please see same list.

Thank you,

Sarah Moore

MUSIC IN NEW MALDEN Sunday 15th December 3.00pm THIS AFTERNOON

The Harmonie Choir

Sacred and secular music by Johannes Brahms

two movements from The German Requiem

nine Liebeslieder Walzer

Variations on a Theme of Schumann

chorale preludes

Linda Bridges and Anthea Fry – piano duet

Peter Bullett – director and organ

LUNCHTIME CONCERT Tuesday 17th December 1.10 pm

Music for Christmas The Yule String Ensemble

Kingsley Norton (trumpet)

Caroline Auty (horn)

Stefan Bown (leader)

Peter Bullett (conductor)

Music by Corelli, Bach and Torelli

CHRISTMAS MUSIC

Choir for the service of Lessons and Carols on **Sunday 22nd December** at 6.30pm

Rehearsal Saturday 21st December 09.45 – 11.15am in the Choir Vestry

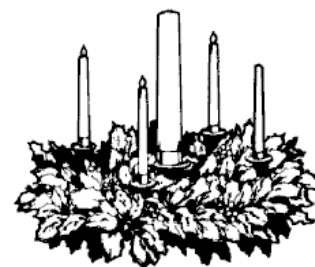
Rehearsal on Sunday 22nd December 4.30pm followed by tea before the service

All are welcome to join the choir to lead the music at this service. Please let Peter know.

Community Carols

Saturday 21st December at 11.30am – 12 noon

Come and join a group of us outside the Church to sing carols and Christmas songs to raise some money for the 25 charities taking part in our Christmas Tree Festival.



Sunday 15th December 2019 Third Sunday of Advent

10.30am Morning Worship led by
Revd Stan Brown
3.00pm Music in New Malden
(see notice for details)

WELCOME

It is good to have you with us today, sharing in our Worship. If you are a visitor, new to the area, or just beginning to attend this Church, we hope you will feel at home, and that you will come again.

Tea or coffee is served in the Welcome Area after morning Worship. Please stay so that we can get to know one another.

So that we may keep in touch, please fill in your details on the Welcome card in the church chairs.

Korean-English Bibles available:

한영성경을 사용하고 싶으시면 안내하시는 분에게 이야기해 주세요.

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