



St James the Great, Radley
 Sunday 8th December
 Advent 2 - Gift Sunday



Services

8 am Holy Communion
 President: Revd Tony Rogerson
 Sidesman: Eric Blanks

11 am Holy Communion
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 Preacher: Sue Sowden
 Sidesmen: Heather Rogerson & Barbara Wootton
 Welcomer: Paul Gamble
 Reader: tbc
 Isaiah 40:1-11 (p 687); Mark 1:1-8 (p 947)
 Intercessor: Karen Hyde
 Server: Clive Rickett
 Chalice: Clive Rickett & Paul Gamble
 Warden: Denis Standen
 Coffee: Loran Holloway & Sally Mulholland

6 pm **reflect@6**
 A Hack and a Christian:
 How does that work?

Richard Woodall has worked in the secular media for five years and currently finds himself working in the Christian media

Sunday 8th December at 6pm
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 Refreshments from 5.30pm

Please remember in your prayers;
 Ann Blake, Marianne Brown, Thelma Clark, Jennie Dean, John Eddy, Ida Garrud, Rosemary Hardwick, Sue Kiff, Edna McKellen, Harry Price, Madeleine Savage, Christine Usherwood and Ken Wilkinson;

Useful phone numbers:
 Revd Pam McKellen & Vicarage
 01235 554739
 Wardens - Charlie Milward
 01235 530611/0780 902 6102
 Iain Winton 01235 200915
 07876713842

There is a notice board at the back of the Church that gives details of services in Kennington and Sunningwell and has the latest copy of their newssheet on it.

Rotas for the week beginning 8th December
Church cleaning: Dorothy Hodgson & Freddie Pound
Church Room cleaning: Joanna Birkett & Fliss Henderson

Gifts of warm clothing, scarves, gloves, soap etc. will be collected today for the Homeless.



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Advent 3
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 6pm - Evensong

Thank you for the gifts for Foodbank – the next collection is will be 15th December

Café Radley
 Every Friday - 10am – 12noon
 Coffee and cakes
 Church Room, Church Road,

During communion, please do come forward for a blessing even if you are not receiving communion.
 If in our communion service you would like to receive:

- Non alcoholic wine
- Gluten free wafers
- In your seat rather than coming forward. Please inform one of the sidespeople.

St James' website is at www.parishes.oxford.anglican.org/radley/



Please pray for Christians in Northern Nigeria targeted by the militant Islamist group Boko Haram. Churches are attacked, Christians murdered, and girls kidnapped and forced to renounce their faith.

Christmas Cards

At the Church, we will provide a large Christmas Card for people to sign rather than leaving individual cards. A donation to charity, 'Crisis at Christmas', would be gratefully received. There will of course be the usual box for cards for those who wish to send individual wishes.



Mince Pies
 Carol Service
 22nd December

Please sign the list at the back of the Church or speak to Liz Turner if you are able to provide mince pies to go with the Mulled wine after the service!

Please join us for coffee in the Church Room after the 11am service

CAROL SERVICE

Sunday 22nd December at 6pm
 It has been suggested that we should again have an augmented Choir. Rehearsals will take place from 7.45 to 8.30 on Fridays 13th, 20th December and Wednesday 18th December. If you are interested please contact David Beckett on 520520. You are kindly requested to attend all of the rehearsals.

Visit to Brewery

A group of men are visiting Hook Norton Brewery on Saturday 22nd February for 2 hour tour, finishing with lunch in a nearby pub. The cost for the tour is £11-50 (£9-50 for senior citizens). If interested in joining contact Tony Rogerson (550214).
Places are limited.

The Bible on TV

Starting on 30th November every Saturday at 9pm on Channel 5 you can watch the excellent series "The Bible".

If you are aware of anybody who is not able to get to Church regularly and would like a Home Communion before Christmas, please contact Pam and we will arrange for somebody to visit.

Dates for your Diary

Sunday 15th December — Next Foodbank Collection
Saturday 21st December — Carol singing outside Radley village shop from 10.30am
Every Wednesday (Term Time) 2-3pm. Roots 'n' Shoots for Babies and Pre-School Children in the Church Room. More information from Karen Hyde. 01235-520879. karen@hyde-family.net
Every Thursday 8.50am. Morning Prayer. All Welcome
Every Friday 10am—Noon. Cafe Radley in the Church Room. All welcome.
Every Saturday 8.45-9.15am, A time for prayer in Church, All Welcome

If you have an item of news for the Newssheet, please make sure that you get information to Clive Rickett (clive.rickett@btinternet.com or 01235 535954) and Emma Moore (e39moore@virginmedia.com or 01235 550885) by Wednesday for the following Sunday.