

Notices

Christmas Card. Please sign our Christmas Card at the back of church, or stick your own card on it. The money saved from buying cards for everyone can be donated to Cancer Research UK (pot also at the back). Thank you

Crib Service – Christmas Eve at 5pm.

Midnight Mass – 11.30pm Christmas Eve

Family Eucharist for Christmas Morning – 10am

Friday 27 December, 12 noon, Eucharist followed by simple lunch, details from Edward.

Church Flowers. Urgent help is needed with arranging and caring for the flowers in church from December. We have a fund to pay for the flowers. Please speak to Susan Jones or Edward for more details.

Please note that **midweek Eucharists are the earlier time of 10am.** On the *first* and *third* Wednesdays of the month they will be at St John's. On the *second* and *fourth* Wednesdays they will be at St Mary's. If there is a *fifth* Wednesday, the service will be at St James North Cray.

Will you be alone on Christmas Day? Albany Park Baptist Church warmly invite you for Christmas Lunch – 12.30-3pm. Booking essential – Please take a flyer from the back of church.

Volunteers to help are also needed to help, take a flyer for contact details.

Magazine Editor needed – If you would like to have a go at producing our bi-monthly magazine please email Clare or have a chat with Edward.

Safeguarding Statement.

The Diocese of Rochester are currently undertaking a safeguarding review to establish that all known past cases of concern relating to church abuse have been considered and dealt with appropriately. See the full statement on our website or it can be emailed to you.

We Pray For: (A book to record your prayers is at the back of church. This will be placed on the altar during the service)

... the sick in need of our prayers, Ray Mace, Marie Berry, Ellis Barned, Maggie Rankine, Pat Beddison, Anna Bowden, Margaret Miller, Andrew Melling, Sheetal Bharucha, Marcia Stephens, Ann Harlow, Ray Miller, Joyce Forrest, Dorothy Samuel, John Beddison, David Watkins, Nicola Johns and any others known to you.

... the recently departed, David Judge.

....those whose anniversaries fall at this time Lawrence Webb, Sheila Tapley, Dorothy Guy, Philip Langford, Haydn Smith, Valerie Upson, Ada Servant, Dickie Richardes.

...residents living in Chichester Court, Cotleigh Avenue, Cottage Field Close.

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Bexley Food Bank Collection Point



Welcome to
St John the Evangelist
Bexley

Sunday 15 December Third Sunday of Advent

Services and Events Today

8.00am	Holy Communion
10.00am	Sung Eucharist with Sunday School Hymns 449, 589, 766, 286
12 noon	Team Lunch at The King's Head – all welcome (please sign up)
6pm	Nine Lessons and Carols Service <i>followed by mulled wine and mince pies in the hall</i>

If you are an Income Taxpayer, **PLEASE** use a Gift Aid envelope for your Collection (**which must be signed**)

Planned giving envelope week 3

Services and Events this week

Tuesday	7-8pm	Parish Office in the church hall
Wednesday	10.00am	Holy Communion
Thursday	10.00am-12 noon 6.00pm 6.30pm	Community Café – in the church hall Junior Choir Practice Adult Choir Practice

Please see the magazine for events at the team churches

Please take this pew sheet home with you and use it for Your prayers in the coming week

Sunday 22 December Fourth Sunday of Advent

8.00am	Holy Communion
10.00am	Sung Eucharist

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Please avoid calling between 4-6pm on other days

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