

SERVICES AND PRAYER EVENTS FOR DECEMBER

(correct at time of printing)

Sunday 2nd December

First Sunday in Advent

Harlington	8.00am	BCP Holy Communion Service
Chalgrave	9.30am	Holy Communion
Harlington	9.45	Holy Communion
Tingrith	10.00	Christingle Service
Toddington	11.00	Parish Eucharist
Westoning	11.00	Christingle Family Service (with Communion)
Toddington	3.00pm	Christingle Service
Harlington	4.30pm	Christingle Service
Westoning	6.00pm	Advent Evening Service

Monday 3rd December

Westoning	9.00	Morning Prayer
Toddington	9.15	Morning Prayer

Tuesday 4th December

Harlington	9.00	Morning Prayer
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Wednesday 5th December

Harlington	10.00	Holy Communion
Westoning	10.30	Mid Week Service
Harlington	7.00pm	Prayer Group in Church
Westoning	8.00pm	60 Minutes with God

Sunday 9th December

Second Sunday in Advent

Chalgrave	9.30	Holy Communion
Tingrith	9.30	Holy Communion
Harlington	9.45	Service of the Word
Westoning	11.00	Holy Communion
Toddington	11.00	Parish Eucharist
Toddington	5.00pm	Carols and readings by the trees

Monday 10th December

Westoning	9.00	Morning Prayer
Toddington	9.15	Morning Prayer

Tuesday 11th December

Harlington	9.00	Morning Prayer
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Wednesday 12th December

Harlington	10.00	Holy Communion
Westoning	10.30	Mid Week Service
Harlington	7.00pm	Prayer Group in Church

Friday 14th December

Toddington	3.30pm	Messy Church – Wilkinson Hall
Toddington	7.00pm	Scouts Carol Service at St George's Church

Saturday 15th December

Chalgrave	7.00pm	Carols by Candlelight (Chalgrave Church)
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Sunday 16th December *Third Sunday in Advent*

Westoning	9.15	Service with a Smile
Chalgrave	9.30	Holy Communion
Harlington	9.45	Parish Eucharist
Tingrith	9.30	Morning Prayer
Westoning	11.00	Family Communion
Toddington	11.00	Holy Communion
Toddington	4.00pm	Carols on the Green
Westoning	6.00pm	Nine Lessons and Carols with the Quintet Choir

Monday 17th December

Westoning	9.00	Morning Prayer
Toddington	9.15	Morning Prayer
Westoning	10.00	School Carol Service
Westoning	11.30	Macintyre Carol Service

Tuesday 18th December

Harlington	9.00	Morning Prayer
Toddington	7.30pm	Nine Lessons and Carols with the Quintet Choir

Wednesday 19th December

Harlington	10.00	Holy Communion
Westoning	10.30	Mid Week Service
Harlington	7.00pm	Prayer Group in Church

Thursday 20th December

Harlington	8.00pm	Service of Nine Lessons and Carols with the Quintet Choir
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Sunday 23rd December *Fourth Sunday in Advent*

Chalgrave	9.30	Holy Communion
Harlington	9.45	Parish Eucharist
Westoning	11.00	Nativity for all ages
Toddington	11.00	Parish Eucharist
Tingrith	3.00pm	Nativity Service

Monday 24th December - *Christmas Eve*

Harlington	2.30pm	Crib Service
Toddington	3.00pm	Crib Service
Westoning	4.00pm	Crib Service
Chalgrave	4.30pm	Crib Service
Westoning	5.00pm	Crib Service
Westoning	6.00pm	Healing Service
Tingrith	10.00pm	Early Midnight Mass
Toddington	10.00pm	Early Midnight Mass
Westoning	11.15pm	Midnight Mass
Harlington	11.30pm	Midnight Mass
Chalgrave	11.30pm	Midnight Mass

Tuesday 25th December – *Christmas Day*

Harlington	10.00	Christmas Day Family Worship – a service for all ages with carols, candles, reflections, readings and prayers especially for this joyful day.
Westoning & Tingrith	10.00	Combined Holy Communion at Westoning
Chalgrave & Toddington	10.00	Holy Communion at Toddington

Sunday 30th December *First Sunday after Christmas*

Harlington	9.45	Holy Communion
Westoning & Tingrith	11.00	Morning Prayer (combined Service at Westoning)
Toddington & Chalgrave	11.00	Holy Communion at Toddington

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

THE QUINTET CHOIR is now rehearsing for events to be held over the next few months – if you would like to join – please contact Nicholas and Jo Hopton – nlhopton@btinternet.com or phone 0771 544 6402

The Prayer Ministry Team (Westoning) are available at all main Sunday Services and also monthly, at the Sunday evening Informal Worship

Westoning Village Hall - the telephone number has recently changed to 0748 337 8440

EVENTS IN DECEMBER

- Saturday 1st December** 8.45am - *Men's Breakfast* - Speaker – Dr Chris Nixon – “Heaven knows” - The Chequers, Westoning - £6 per head. – Please **book in advance** – Philip Steer (01525 862357) (message can be left) or phsteer@outlook.com
- Saturday 1st December** Chalgrave *Festive Craft Fair* - 12.30pm (admission free) together with *Afternoon Tea* : Two sittings for afternoon tea: 1.00pm and 3.00pm Please book tickets in advance. Tickets £12.50 per person available from Alison Stone – 0777 189 7451 or email alisonstone.as1@gmail.com
- Monday 3rd December** Toddington 10.30-12.00 *The Singing Café* – for people with Dementia and their Carers - 21 High Street, Toddington - please contact Glenis – 01525 872855, Ruth – 01525 874326 or Rachel – 01525 872548
- Monday 3rd December** Harlington 2.30pm *Advent Course*, West Room, Parish Hall
- Monday 3rd December** Toddington *Light up Toddington Evening* – (Dee Curtis 872649)
- Tuesday 4th December** Westoning 10-12 *Westcaf* - Westoning Village Hall
Weekly social gathering offering coffee, tea, a piece of cake and company, all free – time to sit, chat and to meet friends old and new.
- Tuesday 4th December** Westoning *Little Stars Toddler Group* – 1.15pm – 2.45pm
Westoning School (Pre-school entrance) – for pre-school children and babies together with parents and carers. Activities, refreshments, fun, friendly and free.
Enquiries – Margaret Timothy 07958 292655; Jane Steer 01525 862357; Eileen Scott 07504 190322
- Wednesday 5th December** Toddington *Advent Course* 7.30pm (CTTC). More details from Linda Washington 07715 603557
- Friday 7th December** Westoning 2.00-4.00 *The Friday Fellowship Group* at Westoning Village Hall
- Friday 7th December** Westoning *New After School Group* - 5-9 year olds – Westoning Village Hall – speak to Nigel for more information
- Friday 7th December** 7.00 – 9.00 *Preview Evening at Toddington Christmas Tree Festival in St George's Church* with canapes and wine. Tickets £10.00 available from Dee Curtis, Fran Brown, Sue Ballinger and Anne Hincks

Saturday 8th December		1.00 – 5.00 – <i>Toddington Christmas Tree Festival</i> – admission £2.50 for adults. Stalls, refreshments, raffle in the Wilkinson Hall. 2.30pm – St George’s School Choir 3.30pm – Toddington Music Makers
Sunday 9th December		1.00 – 5.00 <i>Toddington Christmas Tree Festival</i> admission £2.50 for adults. Stalls, refreshments, raffle in the Wilkinson Hall. 5.00pm Carols and Readings amidst the trees
Monday 10th December	Toddington	10.30-12.00 <i>The Singing Café</i> – for people with Dementia and their Carers -21 High Street, Toddington
Monday 10th December	Harlington	2.30pm – <i>Advent Course</i> , West Road, Parish Hall
Tuesday 11th December	Westoning	10-12 <i>Westcaf</i> - Westoning Village Hall
Tuesday 11th December	Westoning	<i>Little Stars Toddler Group</i> 1.15- 2.45pm Westoning School (for more info – see Tuesday 4 th December)
Wednesday 12th December	Toddington	<i>Advent Course</i> 7.30pm (CTTC). More details from Linda Washington 07715 603557
Thursday 13th December	Toddington	2.00pm – <i>St Georges Ladies Fellowship</i> , Wilkinson Hall
Thursday 13th December	Westoning	6.00–7.30pm <i>Youth Group</i> (9-13 year olds) Westoning Village Hall
Friday 14th December	Toddington	3.30pm <i>Messy Church</i> – <i>Wilkinson Hall</i>
Friday 14th December	Toddington	7.00pm <i>Scout Carol Service</i>
Friday 14th December	Westoning	2.00-4.00 <i>The Friday Fellowship Group</i> at Westoning Village Hall
Saturday 15th December	Chalgrave	7.00pm <i>Carols by Candlelight</i>
Monday 17th December	Toddington	10.30-12.00 <i>The Singing Café</i> – for people with Dementia and their Carers -21 High Street, Toddington
Monday 17th December	Harlington	2.30pm <i>Advent Course</i> , West Room, Parish Hall
Tuesday 18th December	Westoning	10-12 <i>Christmas Special Westcaf</i> - Westoning Village Hall (last in 2018)
Tuesday 18th December	Westoning	<i>Little Stars Toddler Group</i> 1.15- 2.45pm Westoning School (for more info – see Tuesday 4 th December)
Wednesday 19th December	Tingrith	<i>Carol Singing</i> – meet at the Church Gate at 6.30pm

Wednesday 19th December Toddington *Advent Course* 7.30pm (CTTC). More details from Linda Washington 07715 603557

Friday 20th December Westoning 2.00-4.00 *The Friday Fellowship Group* at Westoning Village Hall

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Some of the future events

Tuesday 8th January Westoning 10-12 *Westcaf* - Westoning Village Hall
(first in 2019) Weekly social gathering offering coffee, tea, a piece of cake and company, all free – time to sit, chat and to meet friends old and new.

Saturday 12th January Toddington 10.30 – 12 noon *New Year Saturday Coffee Time*
Wilkinson Hall

Thursday 24th January Westoning 6.00–7.30pm *Youth Group* (9-13 year olds)
Westoning Village Hall

Saturday 26th January Toddington **10.00am – 12 noon** *The Friends New Year BARGAIN SALE* (nothing costs more than £1)
Wilkinson Hall

Saturday 9th February Toddington 10.30 – 12 noon *Saturday Coffee Time* Wilkinson Hall

Please send details of any church events to be included in future editions of *The Quintet* by the 20th of the preceding month to Penny Denman – email: jonandpenny@yahoo.com or phone (01525 – 720695)