

Please pray for ...

Wendy Heywood who is having trouble with her heart. She is undergoing tests and remains cheerful.

Pauline Obank who is not at all well.

Dennis Shaw who is well but quite lonely.

John Lamb who is in hospital following a nasty fall. He is making slow progress on a long road to recovery.

Sunday 28th November 2021

Advent Sunday

Service: Holy Communion

Hymns:

98, 201, 15, 307

Welcome to St. Saviour's Church

(www.stsavioursfwg.org.uk)

Interim Priest-in-Charge:

Revd Canon Vaughan Pollard

Churchwardens:

Mrs. Grace Studholme;

Mr. Patrick Preston

Children in Church

Children are most welcome to our services.

Refreshments.

Please join us for refreshments after the service in the hall.

Please take this service sheet home with you

Collect of the day *Advent Sunday*

Almighty God, give us grace to cast away the works of darkness and to put on the armour of light, now in the time of this mortal life, in which your Son Jesus Christ came to us in great humility; that on the last day, when he shall come again in his glorious majesty to judge the living and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal; through him who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Lamentations 3:21-24

²¹ But this I call to mind, and therefore I have hope: The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases, his mercies never come to an end; ²³ they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness. ²⁴ 'The LORD is my portion,' says my soul, 'therefore I will hope in him.'

Post-communion

O Lord our God, make us watchful and keep us faithful as we await the coming of your Son our Lord; that, when he shall appear, he may not find us sleeping in sin but active in his service and joyful in his praise; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Activities for the week

Today	10.00am	Holy Communion
Tuesday 30th	12.00noon	Knit & Natter
Wednesday 1st	9.30am	Holy Communion at St. James's
	3.30pm	Prime Time: Cook and Eat
	6.30pm	Cubs
	7.30pm	Scouts & Explorers
Thursday 2nd	6.30pm	Beavers
Saturday 4th	10.00 a.m.	Local Councillors' surgeries
Sunday 5th	10.00am	Service of the Word

Welcome

We welcome back Revd Linda Maslen as our celebrant and preacher this morning.

Advent Study

Alongside the Study Guide, there will be Daily Verses and Videos (Mondays & Thursdays) via the St John's Facebook Page and WhatsApp under the banner EVERYDAY FAITH.

Wednesday 8th December

We are hoping to have a Lunch Day on 8th December to give us chance to get together and chat over soup and sandwiches. Let Kaaren know if you wish to come. Offers of help also to Kaaren, please.

Carol Service

We will be holding a Carol Service on Wednesday 15th December at 6.30pm. Put it in the diary and watch this space for further details.

Children's Society boxes

It's time to count the contents of Children's Society boxes. Can you let Patrick have them, please? A number of boxes were not returned to their supporters last year because of the pandemic. If this is you, Patrick will find it for you.

Councillors' Surgeries

The councillors for Clayton and Fairweather Green will be holding surgeries in our church hall on Saturday 4th December from 10.00 to 11.00am. Do please go and talk to them if you have any issues - and tell your neighbours.