

All Saints Church Witley

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Our vision is for All Saints to be the beating heart of a community filled with the love of God and for God.

15th December – The Third Sunday of Advent

COLLECT: God for whom we watch and wait, you sent John the Baptist to prepare the way of your Son: give us courage to speak the truth, to hunger for justice, and to suffer for the cause of right, with Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Please Pray for:

From the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Godalming Minster approaching vacancy. Local community engagement in Godalming through the Yew Tree Café.

From the Anglican Cycle of Prayer: The Anglican Church of Tanzania.

All those who work at or use Witley railway station. Those who live in Northfields.

Messy Church

Thank you to everyone who came yesterday to help with Messy Church and the making of Christingles.

Nine Lessons and Carols This Evening:

Our traditional service of Nine Lessons and Carols will be held on this evening at 6.00pm. To be followed by mulled wine and mince pies.

Donations for Christmas Flowers:

Donations towards the cost of our Christmas flowers would be very much welcomed. There are two boxes at the back of the church. Thank you.

Child of Hope Christmas Appeal:

The bags of food given to each child at Christmas provide enough rice and beef for their whole family.

- £5 buys one bag of food (2 meals for 6 people)
- £10 buys two bags (2 meals for 12 people)
- £20 buys four bags (2 meals for 24 people)
- £30 buys six bags (2 meals for 36 people)

Can you help please?

Godalming Foodbank:

In the run up to Christmas, priority items are, mince pies, small cakes, fancy biscuits, breadsticks, crackers (to pull and to eat), stuffing and batter mix, sweets, chocolates, kitchen foil, tinned ham carrots and peas, and treats for pets.

Office Christmas Break:

The parish office will be closed from Monday 23rd December until Friday 3rd January.

Dates for your diary:

15 th December	Nine Lessons and Carols 6pm.
24 th December	Crib Service 4pm
24 th December	Midnight Mass 11.30pm
25 th December	Christmas Day Services 8am & 10am

NEXT WEEK: Sunday 22nd December
Preaching: Elizabeth Gibbs
Readers: Richard Fraser and Phil Lewis
Intercessor: Christine Parrott