

# News from *St Peter's*



## Christmas cards

This year we would like to deliver a Christmas card to every home in the parish. We are asking as many people as possible to donate Christmas cards (many people buy cards in January when they are greatly reduced in price) and to write a message inside. We are designing an insert with details of the Christmas services to be included with each card. We then need as many people to deliver cards during the first week in December in time to publicise the first Christmas service (Christingle on 8<sup>th</sup> December).

If you want to be part of this important outreach opportunity please speak to Jane or Dave and we will give you more details.

## New Church Website

Don't forget to check the new website:

[www.hartshornechurch.org.uk](http://www.hartshornechurch.org.uk)

This is a work in progress and I am gradually adding more and more to the site.

Jane Horan

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## Newsletter

If you have any notices to include in the newsletter and/or website please speak to Jane Horan (Tel: 211333) or email to [jane.horan52@gmail.com](mailto:jane.horan52@gmail.com) by Thursday evening each week.

# *St Peter's Church* Hartshorne

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November  
Fourth Sunday before Advent

Welcome to our service today.  
Tea and coffee will be served after the service.  
Everyone is welcome to join us.

Today's service is led by Sean O'Toole

## Prayer for today

God of glory,  
touch our lips with the fire of your Spirit,  
that we with all creation  
may rejoice to sing your praise;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

## Services next Sunday

- 10.15am Remembrance Sunday - Traditional service. Laying of wreaths by Scouts, Cubs and Councillors. Led by Rev Dr David de Pomerai.
- 6.00pm 4U2 in the Church hall. This is an informal act of worship in a cafe setting with music, activities, worship and prayer. Come and have a drink and a nibble in a friendly and relaxed environment.

## This Week

**Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> November 9.30am - 11.15am**  
**CANCELLED - NEW WINDOWS ARE BEING INSTALLED**  
Little Sparks in Church Hall

**Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> November 7.30 - 9.00pm**

### **Bell ringing Practice**

If you would like to come along to see us in action or have a go yourself, you would be very welcome.

**Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> November 6.30 - 7.30pm**

**Choir practice at 5 Sandcliffe Park, Midway**

**Friday, 8<sup>th</sup> November 9.30am - 11.15am**

**Little Sparks in Church Hall**



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**Giving Tree**

## **Toy Service Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> November**

We are collecting NEW toys to donate to Coventry City Mission's Giving Tree project. If you can buy a toy for approximately £10 suitable for your chosen age (boy or girl, baby to teenager) we would be very grateful. Gift vouchers are also very welcome for teenagers. Helen Davis from CCM will be coming to give a short talk and to collect the toys. Please do not wrap the toys as the CCM volunteers will be choosing toys for individual children in need and personally wrapping them.

## November and December Diary

### **Remembrance Sunday, 10<sup>th</sup> November**

Please note this year's service will be at the earlier time of 10.15am.

### **4U2, Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> November**

6pm - an informal act of worship in a cafe setting with music, activities, worship and prayer. Led by Megan from Gresley Church.

### **Fundraising Dinner with Live Music**

7.30pm Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> November in the Church Hall.  
This is an "adults only" event. Only 50 places available. Proceeds to CCM Giving Tree. See Graham D H for more details.

### **Advent Sunday, 1<sup>st</sup> December**

10.45am Morning Worship led by Rev Graham Rutter  
6pm - a service of reflection and seasonal Advent hymns.  
Led by Rev Dr David de Pomerai.

### **Christingle Service**

10.45am Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> December  
Led by All-age Worship team

### **Messy Christmas**

2pm Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> December  
Messy Christmas activities for families in the Church followed by tea in the Church Hall. See Lucy or Suzie for more details.

### **Crib Service**

10.45am Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> December  
Children from the Sunday School help to tell the Christmas story.

### **Carol Service**

4pm - Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> December. Traditional readings and carols.  
Led by Rev Dr David de Pomerai

### **Christmas Eve Midnight Communion**

11.30pm. Led by Rev Dr David de Pomerai

### **Christmas Day**

10.00am Short family service with Holy Communion to celebrate the birth of Christ. Led by Rev Dr David de Pomerai