

### For your Information

Thank you to all who serve.

### **INTERCESSIONS**

If you have a prayer request for the church on a Sunday morning please have a word with the person leading intercessions that day.

9-Dec-2018	Pauline
16-Dec-2018	Sean
23-Dec-2018	-
30-Dec 2018	Service at Pingle
06-Jan-2019	Nigel

### **SIDES PERSONS**

9-Dec-2018	Peter Storer
16-Dec-2018	Margaret
23-Dec-2018	Gwen
30-Dec 2018	Service at Pingle
06-Jan-2019	Katie

#### **CLEANING**

Please clean the church before the date marked.

16-Dec-2018	Woodville HG
23-Dec-2018	Whole church
30-Dec-2018	Sean and Sandra
06-Jan-2019	Deb P
13-Jan-2019	Nige & Deb

### **TEA & COFFEE**

9-Dec-2018	Pam & Maxine
16-Dec-2018	Val & Andrew
23-Dec-2018	Christine, Matt & Katie
30-Dec 2018	Service at Pingle
06-Jan-2019	Jane & Gwen

### FOOD BANK COLLECTION POINT

We have a permanent collection point at church so that we can support the Swadlincote Food Bank throughout the year. Please put tins and packets of food in the collection box in the kitchen. Please look at the notice by the box to see which items are currently most needed.

Little Sparks are also collecting items for the Food Bank. THANK YOU!



#### **Need a lift to Church?**

Then please call Andy or Val on 07834800577 and we will arrange to collect you and take you home.

### **NEWSLETTER**

If you have any notices to include in the newsletter and/or website www.hartshornechurch.org.uk please speak to Jane Horan 07966194954 or 01283 211333 or email jane.horan52@gmail.com

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## Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> December 2018 Second Sunday of Advent

Welcome to our service today. Please stay for a cup of tea or coffee after the service.

10:45 Holy Communion led by Rev Stella Greenwood ANGELS

#### Prayer for the week

You may want to use this as part of your prayers this week:

Almighty God, purify our hearts and minds, that when your Son Jesus Christ comes again as judge and saviour we may be ready to receive him, who is our Lord and our God.

### Services next Sunday

Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> December 10:45 Morning Worship led by Abbey Emery Check out our website

We are also on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram











In Swadlincote and District

# Christmas Carol Singing around the Pipeworks

Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1pm - 3pm

Please come and join us!



### CRIB SERVICE

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> December at 4pm DRESS UP AS YOUR FAVOURITE NATIVITY CHARACTER Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> December

Carol Singing
around the

Christmas Tree
outside the Rodney Inn

Starts at 7pm prompt
ALL WELCOME!



Swadlincote & District YOUTH FOR CHRIST

Thank you for your support of Swadlincote and District Youth for Christ over the last 12 months.

With your support we have:

- Launched a Christian Union in Pingle School
- Had direct contact with around 140 children and young people a week, plus many more at assemblies and Baseball Camp
- Mentored 30 young people in small groups
- Been a visible presence in 10 local schools
- Held a mission week in St George's primary with a band and dance groups from National Youth for Christ

Next year we plan to:

- Launch an Early Intervention project mentoring children who are struggling in school
- Take a group of teenage girls to Fierce, a day empowering girls in their faith
- Develop prayer spaces in local schools



### WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK?

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> December 11:45 Funeral of Doug Jenkinson

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> December 9.30am Little Sparks in the church hall

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> December 7.30pm Bell ringing practice

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> December 9.30am Little Sparks in the church hall

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> December 10am Messy Christmas in church

# GETTING READY FOR CHRISTMAS

We now have about 400 knitted angels ready to hang on bushes and trees around the parish from Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> December. We hope to bless those who find them, read the short verse of scripture and maybe think about coming to church this Christmas.

We will be giving out the angels in advance so that we know they will be all be on display at the right time. We need help in distributing them. Could you take 10 or 20 angels to hang near where you live? Please speak to Sandra who is coordinating this.

On 22<sup>nd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> December we are holding our ANGEL FESTIVAL. Can you help by making some ANGEL CAKES/BISCUITS or helping with ANGEL CRAFTS on the day?

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> December 10:00 Messy Christmas

Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> December 10:45 Morning Worship led by Abbey Emery

Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> December 10:00 Angel Festival

Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> December 7pm Carol singing around the Christmas tree outside Admiral Rodney Inn - ALL WELCOME

Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> December 4pm Carol Service

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> December Christmas Eve

3pm Angel Festival

4pm Crib Service

11.30pm Midnight Communion

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> December Christmas Day 10:00 Short Family Service led by Rev Graham Rutter

Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> December 10:00 Joint Minster Service at Pingle School

Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> January 10:45 Morning Worship led by Sean O'Toole

Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> January 10:45 Morning Worship led by Rev Graham Rutter with Abbey Emery preaching

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> January 10:45 Morning Worship led by Sean O'Toole with Rev Graham Rutter preaching

Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> January 10:45 Holy Communion

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