

AMERSHAM FREE CHURCH

Notices for Sunday 10 December 2023

SUNDAYS

Sunday 10th December 2023 ADVENT 2

10.30am: Morning Service

Preacher: The Revd Heather McIntyre

Morning Coffee will be served in the Church Hall after the service

AFC Worship Team leading Morning Worship at Trinity High Wycombe

Worship team: (Sara, Valerie)

Sunday 17th December 2023 ADVENT 3

10.30am: Worship Together Service: All Age Nativity

Morning Coffee will be served in the Church Hall after the service

WEEKDAYS

Tuesday 12th December

12.00pm - 2.00pm: Lunchbreak including

1.10pm: Great Sacred Music for Advent Part 2

3.00pm: Tea at Three

Friday 15th December

11.00am: Service at Rayners Residential Care Home

Saturday 16th December

4.00pm-6.00pm: Christingle Afternoon

Radio Christmas!

Amersham's festive radio station is broadcasting (from AFC's Tower Room) daily up to & including Christmas Eve.

Radio Christmas raises funds for the charity Street Kids Direct which supports children in Guatemala & Honduras. This year's fundraising target is £25,000: the first £12,000 of donations will be match funded. Donations can be made online through the Radio Christmas website (see below).

Listen online at radiochristmas.co.uk or download the Radio Christmas App or listen via Alexa or other Smart devices.

Christingle

Do let Liz know if you, or family members or friends, are coming to Christingle, Saturday December 16th, 4-6pm.

text or ring 07927008513, or email liz.waumsley@outlook.com. It will be very helpful to know numbers for Christingle making and for tea!

Our All-Age Nativity

This will be part of our Worship Together Service on Dec 17th! If you would like to be a Wise Man(or woman), a shepherd or an angel please let me know! It will always be possible to fit in last minute participants but it does help to have some roles decided in advance. We have 2 Wise Men already. Come to the Carey Room from 10am on Dec 17th to find suitable costumes! Liz

DECEMBER'S MISSION OFFERING is for our Christmas Children's Charities: Mercy Ships, Action for Children and Helen and Douglas House Hospice.

CHALFONT LODGE CARE HOME SERVICE

The next service at Chalfont Lodge will be on Wednesday 17th January 2024 at 2.30pm

SOCIAL DISTANCING ROWS

Two rows of chairs has been set aside at the rear of the church for those who would like to worship socially distanced. If you sit in these rows, please wear a mask throughout the service and refrain from singing.

PASTORAL CARE & STAYING IN TOUCH

The AFC Pastoral Team (The Ministers, Ann Clark, Norma Jenns, Heather McIntyre, Amela Munro, Gillian Munro, Christine Payne and Liz Waumsley) are available to offer a listening ear and be a point of contact when needed. If you would like a chat, please do get in touch with Ian, either by email at minister@amershamfreechurch.org.uk or phone on: 07396 711156.

Ministers' diary for the week

Revd Ian Green

<u>Wednesday 13th December</u> Chairing Church Meeting at Trinity Baptist Church, Chesham

<u>Friday 15th December</u> Leading Service at Rayners Residential Home

Saturday 16th December Leading Christingle Service