

**WELCOME TO
ALL SAINTS CHURCH**
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*Come Gather, Come Worship,
Come As You Are.*

Sunday 30th November
Collect for the
First Sunday of Advent

*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.*

Vicar

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Sunday 30th November

First Sunday of Advent

Readings

Isaiah 2: 1 - 15; Romans 13: 11- end;
Matthew 24: 36 - 44.

8.00am

BCP Holy Communion - All Saints

Rev. Lizzie & Fr. Kester

Warden S. Cook

10.00am

Benefice Communion - St. Marys

NB. **NO** 10.30am Service at All Saints

Fr. Kester & Rev. Lizzie

4.30pm

Christingle Service - All Saints

Rev. Lizzie & Elisa

Warden D. Williams

Sidesperson A. Lavis

Monday 1st December

Tiny Tots - 10.30am

All Saints Community Hall

Story "Christmas Story 1"

Squirrels - 5.15pm

All Saints Community Hall

Contact squirrels@13thbristolscouts.org

Beavers - 6.30pm

All Saints Community Hall

Contact Elisa for more information

Tel: 0117 958 4164

Tuesday 2nd December

Music 4 Tots - 10.30am

St. Marys Parish Rooms

Wednesday 3rd December

Morning Celtic Prayer - 9.00am

All Saints Church

Wednesday 3rd December

AA Meetings - 7.30pm

St. Marys Church

For any enquirers contact Fr. Kester
07919 156 210

Thursday 4th December

Holy Communion 10.00am

St. Marys Church

Friday 5th December

Christmas Choir Rehearsal - 7.00pm

All Saints Church

Saturday 6th December

Monthly Coffee Morning 10am-12noon

All Saints Church

Plus volunteers from Bristol Repair Cafe.

Christmas Fair - 11am - 2pm

St. Marys Church.

Sunday 7th December

Second Sunday of Advent

Readings

Isaiah 11: 1 - 10; Romans 15: 4 - 13;
Matthew 3: 1 - 12.

10.00am

Toy Service - St. Marys

Rev. Lizzie, Guides & Brownies

10.30am

Holy Communion - All Saints

Fr. Kester

Junior Church - Katie & Ben

Warden D. Williams & C. Whitehead

Sidesperson H. Whitehead

Readers E. Cottridge & C. Powell

Prayers M. Simms

Distributors J. Badman & E. Seretny

Refreshments A. Lavis

6.30pm

Sung Advent Service - St. Marys

Rev. Lizzie & Charlie

LOOKING AHEAD

Sunday 14th December Nativity Play - All Saints

Asking for donations of new toys or gifts for Barnardo's and Young Carers
We ask if you could please bring any donations unwrapped

PRAYERS

Please pray for...

Kathryn Morgan, Charlie (3 years old),
Kia Brown, Cathy Witts, Columbus
Edwards-Mlangwa, Nicki Cooke, Mary
Doyle, John Benbow, Max Barton, Luci
Heath, Sue Britton, Margaret Scripps.

Local Community

Stonebridge Park

Bristol Dioceses Cycle of Prayer

Malmesbury Archdeaconry

Anglican Cycle of Prayer

The Anglican Church of Australia

World Council of Churches

Brunei, Malaysia and Singapore

O God, keep our churches faithful in bearing
witness to your great love for all humanity.

Deliver us from intolerance and all that hinder
others from seeking you.

Bless our country and guide our political leaders
so that their fruit may abound and the interest of
the people is served.

Grant grace to our priests, pastors and ministers
so that they may be diligent in the study of your
Word and in the discharge of the work they have
been called. Amen.

Lee K. Tham, Singapore, September 2014)

Where families are fractured by domestic
upheavals, and children forced onto the
streets to fight for survival, where more
resources are spent on arms and
destruction and less attention paid to
sickness and starvation:

*Come, Holy Spirit heal our wounds
renew the whole creation!*

Where the acquisition of things has
become an obsession and the worth of
human beings is measured by their
possessions, where our air, trees and
seas are besieged by pollution and
purblind mercenary greed threatens our
environment:

*Come, Holy Spirit heal our wounds
renew the whole creation!*

Where countries are split apart by
communalism and racism and innocent
blood is spilt by wanton acts of terrorism,
where internecine warfare sets nation
against nation and a nuclear holocaust
looms ominous on our horizon:

*Come, Holy Spirit heal our wounds
Renew the whole creation!*

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Transforming Church Together

Further information about TC.T go to:

www.bristol.anglican.org/visionandpriorities

Sun 30th	TC. T values: Bravery and Generosity
Mon 1st	Creation Restored
Tue 2nd	Humanity Reconciled
Wed 3rd	Mission Areas
Thur 4th	New Christian Communities
Fri 5th	The Coaching Programme
Sat 6th	New Locally Commissioned Lay Ministries

Daily HOPE ☎ 0800 804 8044

The Church of England www.churchofengland.org

Bristol Dioceses www.bristol.anglican.org

Links to resources, for help groups, services etc.

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donate to All Saints Church.

You can donate the following sums by

Texting HQJB01 to 70331 for £3

HQJB01 to 70970 for £5

HQJB01 to 70191 for £10

or go online to <http://easydonate.org/HQJB01>

You can also donate by card, please speak to
Dave (Warden) or Tam (Treasurer)



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