Come and sing to the village, Tues 20th



ST MARY'S & ALL SAINTS NEWS 11TH DECEMBER

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Welcome to our service today! We meet in the name of Jesus Christ to celebrate what he has done for us, to listen to the word of God and to speak to God in prayer. Children are welcome at all of our services! At the 10.30, when it's not an all-age service, there is a crèche called Scramblers (0-3), Explorers (4-7) and Pathfinders (8+). Listen out for announcements about refreshments served after the service.

Don't mince about! Come to the carol service at 6.30!



Services this Sunday

8.00 Communion at St Mary's

9.20 Matins at All Saints

10.30 Service of the Word

6.30 Carols at All Saints

Services next Sunday

8.00 Communion at St Mary's 9.20 Matins at All Saints 10.30 Communion at St Mary's, followed by lunch 6.30 Carol Service at St Mary's

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People to pray for: Eric and Margaret Letts, Ann Biggart, Ron Baldwin, Betty Hobbs and family, Betty Sessford, Jenny Hutchens, Dennis Osgood, Lizzie Davies, Elliot Moyse and family



All are warmly welcomed to the

St Mary's Christmas Bring and Share Party Meal

(Hot or Cold Christmas Party food)

On Sunday 18th December 2016 at 12 30pm.

The party celebration of the coming birth of our Lord Jesus is taking place after the service, so the children can be with all members celebrating this happy season eating all together.

P.S. if anybody knows of some oldfashioned party games, please let Fiona know, thank you.

Ruth Perkins

sadly passed away on Tuesday 29th Nov. The funeral will be on Wed 14th Dec at 12.00 at St Mary's.

Coffee Morning for UNICEF blankets for

Syrian Children
Thursday 22nd of Dec, 10am12 at Ali and Stu's house (20
Pear Tree Close). Tickets for
entry at the door are £4.

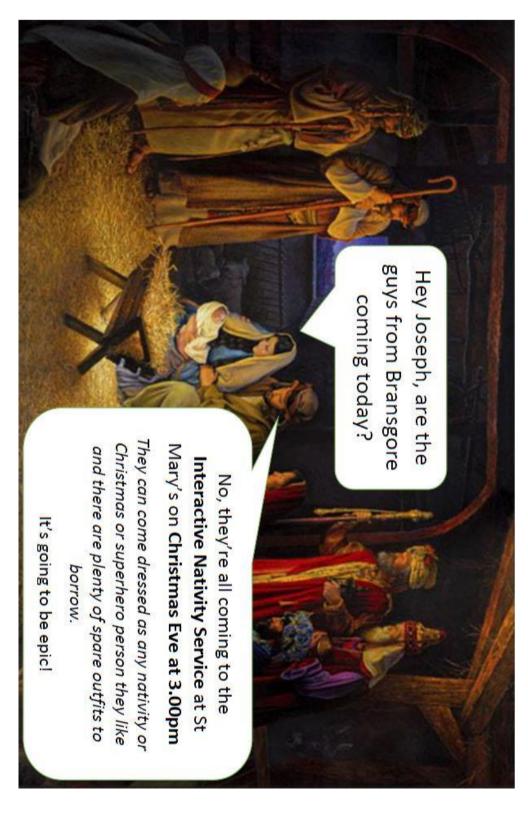
Carol Singing

around the village, Tuesday 20th Dec at 7.00pm. Meet at the Resource Centre.

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Date (tbc) 28-30th May | Next training walk 30th Dec





Christmas at St Mary's, St Michael's and All Saints

- Friday 18th Nov 7.30-9.00pm, Christmas Countdown **Craft Workshops** for grownups! A different craft each session, including wreath-making and Christmas cake sugar art (other sessions 25th Nov, 2nd, 9th Dec).
- Sunday 4th Dec, 10.30am, All-age Christingle Service at St Mary's Church
- Saturday 10th Dec, 6.30pm, Carols with the Sandleheath Band at St Michael's
- Sunday 11th Dec, 11.00am, All Age Crib Dressing at St Michael's
- Sunday 11th Dec, 6.30pm, Nine Lessons and Carols, All Saint's Thorney Hill
- Friday 16th Dec, 10.30am, Christmas Coffee Morning at the Hinton Reading Rooms
- Sunday 17th Dec, 2.00pm, Carol Sing-Along with Mulled Wine and Mince Pies, All Saint's Thorney Hill
- Sunday 18th Dec, 6.30pm, Nine Lessons and Carols, St Mary's Church
- Tuesday 20th Dec, 10.00am, Christmas Coffee Morning at St Mary's

Christmas Eve

- 3.00pm, Interactive Nativity Service, St Mary's Church
- 10.00pm, "Nearly-midnight" Mass at St Michael's Hinton
- 11.30pm, Midnight Communion at St Mary's Church

Christmas Morning

- 8.00 Communion at All Saint's Thorney Hill;
- 9.15 Communion at St Michael's Hinton
- 10.30 Communion at St Mary's Bransgore (All-age)