

# Advent Sunday

Church of the Resurrection and St Barnabas

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Each year we begin the new liturgical year with a four-week celebration of Advent, a season both of beginning and of waiting. The Gospel reading today reminds us to wait actively for the coming of the Lord at the end-time.



For many of us waiting is that time between where we are and where we want to be. We don't usually enjoy being in that place, we want to move out of it quickly and do something, sometimes anything, just to get moving.

Advent reminds us that we need to be patient as we wait on the Lord. At the beginning of this new Church year we need to take the

opportunity to look back over the last year and see how we've prepared a place for Christ to be born again in our lives. We are watchful and alert. This Advent season let's allow the Holy Spirit to lead us into a time of change and new beginnings. Let's listen to the angels who sing - Glory, Glory, Glory to the newborn King. Come, Lord Jesus!

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### ADVENT TAIZÉ SERVICE

Tonight at 7pm Helen Kidd will be leading an Advent Taizé service. It's going to be beautiful...

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### MID-WEEK EVENING EUCARIST

During Advent there will be a Eucharist service every Wednesday at 7.30pm. Do join us!

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### CHURCH COMPUTER USERS

Last chance to rescue any files or folders you may have on the church computer. Please speak to Revd Adam



### Morning Prayer

Wednesdays and Thursdays at 09.45 in church

### Craft Club is back...

Craft Club is meeting again in the church meeting room, 10.30am every Thursday. Please come along for fun, fellowship and crafts

### Thanks!

To all those who've signed up for our new church service rotas for readers, intercessors etc. If there are any more volunteers for the rota please speak to Christianah, Helen or Revd Adam. The rota will be published soon!