



This Week at Christchurch.

Further details available from the Church Office and on the website at: www.christchurchilkley.org.uk



Monday 28th November	10:00	Toddlers
	19:30	Watercolour Painting
	19:45	Housegroup 1 at the Dixon's
	19:45	Housegroup 2 at Ruth Hilton's
Tuesday 29th November	09:25	Music Movers 1 Raise the Roof
	10:10	Music Movers 2 Raise the Roof
	10:30	Meditation Group
	14:00	Listening Ear
	14:15	Housegroup 3 at Anne Yeadon's
	19:15	Housegroup 4 at the Duttine's
	19:45	Housegroup 5 at the Mannall's
	19:45	Housegroup 6 at the Woolin's
Wednesday 30th November	08:30	Wednesday Wizards
	14:30	Christchurch Guild
	19:00	The Alpha Course
	19:30	CTI Forum
	19:45	Housegroup 8 at the Stanley's
	19:45	Housegroup 9 at Jean Yeoman's
Thursday 1st December	09:30	Prayer Fellowship
	10:00	Listening Ear
	14:00	Listening Ear
	19:45	Housegroup 10 at the Henney's
	20:00	Housegroup 11 at the Cade's
Friday 2nd December	10:30	Shoppers Service
	19:30	Badminton
Saturday 3rd December	10:00	CTI Prayers

Our Christingle service takes place on Christmas Eve at 4:00pm. Please let Jonathan Logan know if you can help with donations of mince pies.

Christchurch Noticeboard

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All-age contemporary interactive worship at 9:00am every week

This Week: Mark 8:34 -38 - A Christmas Carol - Selfish or Selfless?

10:30am — Morning Worship
This Week: Led by: Rev Rob Hilton
Next Week: Led by: Rev Arnold Clay
Includes Holy Communion

6:30pm — Evening Worship
This Week: Worship in the style of Taizé
Next Week: 6:00pm At Ben Rhydding

10:30am — Friday Shopper's Service
2nd December Led by: Rev Rob Hilton

Christchurch is fitted with an induction loop system. Hearing aids should be set to "Telephone". You may need to adjust the volume.

Braille hymn books, large print hymn books and large print word sheets of the hymns and songs at our morning services are available. Please ask a Steward.



CHRISTCHURCH PRAYER CALENDAR

Great and gracious God, whose love has been made real in Jesus Christ, inspire my prayers by the power of your Spirit. May your love flow into the world and the people and situations for which we pray, through our thoughts, words and actions. In the name of Jesus. Amen.

You are invited to include the following suggestions of local and broader concern in your private prayer during the year.

27th November - Advent Sunday

- ✚ For Advent and the special Christmas services that all may find the meaning of Christ's birth.
- ✚ Those who support people through the healing ministry.

Further Prayer Opportunities

Every Thursday morning: 9:30am - 10:00am in the Fellowship Room, *a time of shared prayer open to all.*

Our **Prayer Table** at the entrance to the Sanctuary offers helpful leaflets for private prayer.

The **Red Book** in the foyer is always available for written prayer requests.

Please contact the **Prayer Chain** for urgent or special prayer needs:
Val Appleton (01943 430553) or Val Worrall (01943 601945)

FAIRTRADE STALL in the Coffee Centre next Sunday. Christmas treats available.

Prepare your shopping list as there will be no stall in January.



Advent Day of Reflection Tuesday 29th November

Briery Retreat Centre, 38 Victoria Avenue, Ilkley
10.00 am until 4pm. Lunch included.

Please contact the administrator on 01943 607287 to book a place.

All welcome

The Guild quiz should have been entitled 'British and Irish' towns and cities. Apologies to those who have been misled by the title. Hope you have had fun doing it.

Joan Loach



Bible Study Notes 2012

Any changes to usual order or indeed, a new order, please let me know as soon as possible. Many Thanks, Jean Williams. Tel: 01756 794283

Come And Enjoy A 'Matugga Update Evening' On Saturday 10th December At 7.00pm, St John's Church Hall, Ben Rhydding, Ilkley. Come and receive feedback from our most recent visitors to the Revival Centre in Matugga, Uganda; David Moore, Debbie Walker and first time visitor Rev Peter Willox (Vicar of St John's). They have returned with many wonderful pictures, video clips and stories to share with you, so please put the date in your diary.

Light refreshments will be served (but do bring your own bottle if you wish).

Prayer Shawl Ministry and Prayer Chain

To celebrate our continuing fellowship and as a thank you for your participation, all members of the Shawl Ministry and Prayer Chain are invited to meet in the **Fellowship Hall on Tuesday 6th December between 2:00pm and 4:00pm.**

Afternoon refreshments will be served and we will join together in friendship and love. Bring your knitting if you wish !!!

Val Worrall and Val Appleton

Gift Services Sunday 4th December

We will be happy to receive gifts at our services to give to people receiving support from BEACON and The Blenheim Project.

Next time you are out shopping, why not add something to your regular list, such as:

Basic toiletries (soap, toothpaste, tooth brushes for adults and children); ladies' briefs; socks for adults and children; ladies' sanitary products, toilet rolls, tin openers.

Please bring your gifts (not gift wrapped) to any of the services on that day.

If you prefer, there will be a collecting plate for cash donations.

Don't forget that BEACON have an outlet for any toys you can donate. Please ensure that they are clean and in working order



If you would like to exchange Christmas cards with friends at Christchurch, you are invited to use the alphabetical post boxes in the foyer during advent.

Remember to check to see if anyone has left post for you!
N.B. Cards not collected cannot be delivered

Keep a lookout for the CTI Christmas cards. These are due any day now and are bundled into streets or areas. Please help by taking and delivering a bundle!