



Lillington Parish Church

St Mary Magdalene's

www.lillingtonparishchurch.org

Sunday 15th December 2024

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Advent 3

Saturday 14th December

12.00noon Church cleaning (church)
2.00pm Film Matinée - Angela's Christmas (Octagon)

Sunday 15th December

9.30am Holy Communion (church & online)
11.15am Star Church (church)
6.00pm Carol Service (church)

Monday 16th December

9.30am Lillington School Service (church)
1.30pm Lillington School Service (church)

Tuesday 17th December

7.30pm Bell Ringing (church)

Wednesday 18th December

10.00am Holy Communion (church & online)

Thursday 19th December

No Octotots (Octagon)

Friday 20th December

6.00pm Choir Practice (church)

Saturday 21st December

11.00am Carol Singing (Crown Way)

Sunday 22nd December

9.30am Holy Communion (church & online)
11.15am Star Church (church)

Hymns

1. Hail to the Lord's anointed 280
2. Oh thou who camest from above 580
3. On Jordan's bank 589
4. Glorious things of thee are spoken 223 - Abbots Leigh



9.30am Service

Lesson Reader: Jeff Williams

Intercessor: Maureen Reynolds

Leader: Cerys

Preacher: William

11.15am Service

Lesson Reader: Mary Garrard-Lole

Intercessor: Cerys

Leader: William

Speaker: Cerys

6.00pm Carol Service

Leader: Cerys

Bible Readings: Jeremiah 29: 1,11-14a John 14:8-14

Collect

God for whom we watch and wait, you sent John the Baptist to prepare the way of your Son: help us to speak the truth, to hunger for justice, and to suffer for the cause of right, with Jesus Christ our Lord.

Prayers for the sick

Karma Aston

Lyn Wilne

Fay Dillam

Mary Babbs

The Departed

Offertory

We do not take any collection during the service but if you would like to donate, you can scan here on your **smartphone**. Alternatively, you can use the card reader by the welcome table. Thank you for all you are able to give.



Hospitality after the 9.30am Sunday service. Can you help?

We are still short of volunteers to help serve refreshments after the 9.30am service. This duty is for around 7 Sundays in the year. Support will be given. Please let the office know if you can help on 470449 or email office@lillingtonparishchurch.org

LOVE LILLINGTON Reverse Advent – many thanks to everyone who joined in with this project. 52 bags were delivered to the Lillington branch of the Leamington & Warwick Foodbank on Tuesday. Miriam Bowen sends her thanks to all of you for this gift to support those in need in our community. Christine Butler

THIS WEEKEND

Saturday 14th December

Church Cleaning at midday. Any help would be much appreciated.



Film Matinée will be on at 2pm. The film will be "Angela's Christmas"

Sunday 15th December - Carol Service at 6.00pm

CROWN WAY CAROL SINGING

Saturday 21st December 11.00am. A group from the church will meet in Crown Way to sing carols. Please come and support this for half an hour if you can.



Christingle

The Christingle services take place on Tuesday 24th December at 3.00 pm; 4.30pm and 6.00pm. Stewards are needed for all the services - if you are able to help at one or more of the services please complete the sheet at the back of church.

The Christingles will be being put together on Monday 23rd December at 10.00 am in the Octagon - all are welcome! Please complete the sheet at the back of church if you are able to help out. Any queries, please contact Sarah - sarah@lillingtonparishchurch.org 07850 050238

Welcome Team

We are short of volunteers to help at the 9.30 a.m. service - duties include welcoming those attending the service; handing out hymn books, guiding those attending to the communion rail and tidying up at the end of the service. You would be on duty one Sunday a month and rota swaps can be arranged if you are away. Please contact Sarah if you would like to volunteer / know more.

Children and Families Project worker at St Mary Magdalene's church, Lillington

St Mary Magdalene's church has decided the time is right to set up a project to develop our Children and Families ministry, and we wish to take on a skilled and experienced self-employed Children and Families Worker to deliver this project. This is a unique opportunity for a leader with a heart for evangelism and a love for young families to make a big impact in the church and local community.

Our vision is to Worship God, Make New Christians and Disciples and Transform Communities. This project will offer the successful person the opportunity to work alongside church leaders, PCC and our dedicated volunteer team to develop the impact of our outreach to young families in the community of St Mary Magdalene's church.

Full details of the role (including job and person specification) and information about St Mary Magdalene's can be found on our website <https://www.lillingtonparishchurch.org/index.php> and by contacting our church office on contact office@lillingtonparishchurch.org

Project: Three years, initially for a 12-month period with a 6-month probation.
Remuneration: A benchmarked remuneration for equivalent roles, dependent on experience.

Hours: Part Time (10 hours), flexibly over the week

To apply for the role please contact office@lillingtonparishchurch.org for details of the role and how to apply.

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