

# Weekly What's-On

# for the Chet Valley Churches 21 November 2021

in conjunction with our Info Sheet, available in church and at www.chetvalleychurches.org

# **Diary Dates**

#### Items marked with a \* have more details overleaf.

Sun 21 10.45am Holy Communion, Loddon (St J) 11.00am All Together Worship, Chedgrave 4.00pm Evening Prayer, Sisland

Mon 22 9am, Morning Prayer, Loddon 10am-12noon, Monday Mardles, Chedgrave

Tue 23 9am, Morning Prayer, Hardley

Wed 24 9am, Morning Prayer, Chedgrave
Noah's Ark for toddlers, St John's Chapel, Loddon
2.30pm Home Group, St John's Chapel

Thur 25 9am, Morning Prayer, Loddon (St J)
Noah's Ark Worship, Saxon House
3.45pm Xtra! service, Loddon (St J)

Fri 26 9am, Morning Prayer, Sisland

Sat 27 10am-1pm, Loddon Christmas Fayre

#### **Advance Dates**

5 Dec \* First of this year's Carol services, Loddon (HT) 10 Dec \* Open House at the Victorian Evening

If you're planning an event or meeting,, please tell the What's-On.

## Prayers for this week

This week, let's pray for our work with children and families, including school assemblies, Noah's Ark and Xtra. Pray for our local schools and the children who attend them. Also pray for the Loddon Christmas Fair, that it will be a time of joy and coming together of

### **Urgent Prayers**

To ask for urgent prayer contact Ros Hoffmann on 01508 548200, email roshoffmann2011@gmail.com

# Readings, Prayers and Services

## Readings for today

Daniel 7. 9-10, 13-14 Revelation 1. 4b-8 John 18. 33-37 Psalm 93

#### Prayer for today

Almighty God, as your kingdom dawns, turn us from the darkness of sin to the light of holiness, that we may be ready to meet you in our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.

#### Online worship

Our online services are available at www.chetvalleychurches.org

#### Services for next week-Advent 1

9:30am Holy Communion, Chedgrave 10.30am Morning Worship, Hardley 10.45am Morning Worship, Loddon (St J) 6.30 for 7pm Last Sunday Praise, Loddon (St J)

# Readings for next week

Jeremiah 33. 14-16 1 Thessalonians 3. 9-end Luke 21. 25-36 Psalm 25. 1-9

# **News and Events**

### **Loddon's Services**

It's after Remembrance Sunday, so Loddon's services are now in St John's Chapel.

# **Fayre Items Wanted**

Still needed for Loddon's Christmas Fayre next Saturday are: bottles for the tombola; jams, chutneys and jellies; good condition jewellery, Christmas decorations or candles and any Christmas handicrafts. Hazel Catchpole has plenty of empty baskets if you want one to fill for her tombola. In particular Val Counter needs cakes and Tricia Bell needs mince pies. Please Tricia Bell (528433) if you can help with any of these.

# **Open House**

This year's Loddon & Chedgrave Victorian Evening will be on 10 December, and as usual we will be running Open House in Holy Trinity and St John's. If you would like a stall to fundraise for charity (or for the church) or you want to publicise a community group, please let Nina Owen know. (01508 522993, email theroamingfenlander@gmail.com. Also, if you'd be willing to have a stall for the Church in Loddon, please speak to Nina or to Val Counter.

# Carols on St Nicholas Eve

This year Loddon's carol service will herald the beginning of Advent and the eve of St Nicholas as it will be on 5 December. It's the first of this year's carol services so do come along to Holy Trinity at 6.30pm for some favourite carols of Advent and Christmas.

## **Reflections for Advent**

Last year the Diocese produced a very thoughtful digital Advent Calendar which was put together by Susanna Gunner. Happily there will be a daily reflection throughout Advent again this year, which you can subscribe to by email so it will arrive in your inbox. To sign up, go to www.DofN.org/advent.

### Avoid a Clash

Now is the time of year when we start thinking about future events or fundraisers. If you know of anything in the pipeline, please send details to the News in good time so we all know what's going on. And because we're churches who like to support each other, do try to avoid serious clashes of dates and times if at all possible!

# It's Raining Prayers

Supporting people through prayer is one of the best things we can do, and it doesn't involve going anywhere special or meeting with people unless we want to. In the Chet Valley we have a Prayer Shower where urgent or sudden prayer needs are passed to those who have signed up as being willing to pray. The needs can be practical, medical, emotional or anything else, and can be for yourself or someone you know, wherever they might be. If you would like to join in and pray (at home, in your own time) contact Ros Hoffmann (details overleaf, under Urgent Prayers). If you know of someone who needs prayer, get in touch with Ros, and she will pass it on to those who are willing to pray.

# About the Weekly What's-On

The What's-On seeks to serve and inform people across the Chet Valley churches. Send your contributions to news.chetvalleychurches@gmail.com or phone 01508 522993 and speak to Nina Owen (Editor). To receive the What's-On each week by email send an email to the above address.