

## Sunday 27th December

Dear all,

### Thank you

Thank you to so many people who have worked so hard behind the scenes to make all our video content available for Christmas and throughout Advent.

A very special mention to the Video Editors who have been my particular heroes. Patrick Johnston, Chris Millard, Christopher Haswell, and Dan Bennett who have spent many hours working on stitching the clips of services and movies together, that have been sent to them, to create wonderful video programmes.

Thanks also to Brenda Schwartz who has worked so hard through advent on a Prayer course, an Advent Bible Study, and morning meditations with Susie Millard to keep us focussed, as well as running the WhatsApp emergency prayer line.

There are a number of people who are sick, and I can't name them all, please keep them in prayer, but I would mention Elizabeth Knifton who has been poorly for a while, and Kay Houlin who has been in hospital. Thank you.

### No in-Person Service at St Luke's this morning

Bishop Andrew and Bishop Jo have encouraged their Clergy to take a day off in this week after Christmas, and provided a video service for all the diocese to use, so there is no service at the church today.

In order for us to do this, the PCC has to comply with the Church of England's Canon Law, which permits the closing of churches on Sundays/Principal Feast Days on a one-off basis, through passing a resolution, and informing Bishop Andrew of that decision. This has been done.

### Our next service will be on 3rd January 2021

#### St Luke's Sunday Video

The link to the Youtube video message is: [HERE](#) with a short introduction from me.

#### Bishop Jo's Sermon

Bishop Jo has prepared a sermon, found separately [HERE](#)

#### [11.30am Sunday Morning Zoom Chat/Coffee](#)

[HERE](#)

Meeting ID: [664 927 5264](#)

Passcode: 404492

#### [6.00pm Zoom Evensong](#)

Chris Grocock is inviting you to a evening prayer on Sunday 27th on Zoom, as per usual;

- It Came upon the midnight clear
- Shepherds Came . . . AHB 11 (the words may be unfamiliar but the tune is well known) - instead of a psalm
- OT reading - Isaiah 35
- Magnificat
- NT Reading: 1 John 1: 1-7
- Nunc Dimittis
- Silent Night Holy Night
- Hark the Herald Angels Sing

Join Zoom Meeting [HERE](#)

Meeting ID: [334 161 7587](#)

Passcode: BRDy66

### New Year's Resolutions

This is the time when many of us think of what we will do in next year.

we have periodically spoken about Bible in One Year and Lectio 365 these are apps to help us with Bible reading and prayer, I strongly recommend them, if you haven't tried them, and if you have but have lapsed, it is a good time to renew your commitment to them.

**Bible in One Year (BIOY)** can be downloaded

on Apple [HERE](#) and Android [HERE](#)

**Lectio 365** can be downloaded

on Apple [HERE](#) and Android [HERE](#)

Thank you to you all, for being part of our wonderful St Luke's Family  
I will send a message for the New Year  
with Love and thanks to you all,  
Jeremy and Claire

### **Christmas Day**

I am enormously grateful to the army of people who have done so much work to create all this content, for us to reach as many as we can with the message of Christmas to our community and beyond.

Unfortunately we had some technical problems loading our Nine Lessons and Carols, with carol recordings provided by the Church of England Website, it is now published:

**Nine Lessons and Carols from Grayshott (Recordings from CofE Website)**

<https://youtu.be/suKLWQizjj4>

**Christmas in 6 pictures created by the Millard Family**

<https://youtu.be/abmJ63djTwk>

**Christmas Celebration Video for the Children**

scheduled for 7am tomorrow.

The link will be: <https://youtu.be/fh9vcg-h-GY>

**Grayshott Nativity "The Movie"**

<https://youtu.be/4iu9s4k6fsc>

**Christingle Service**

<https://youtu.be/9fV-CGn3kVQ>

This was published live at 3pm this afternoon, and was the result of a huge amount of effort from so many people. The Grayshott Nativity was incorporated with it, as listed above.

**Our Midnight Mass service** will be streamed from our YouTube Channel

<https://youtu.be/ipmXVI9oTU>

(Ticketed)

**Our 10.30 am Christmas morning service** will be streamed and available from our YouTube Channel.

<https://youtu.be/RwXyCKtIYIQ>

(Ticketed)

Our love to you all, and be blessed this Christmas.

Jeremy and Claire