



St Helen's Church

Loving God, loving others, loving the world

Notices for 17th November 2024

Second Sunday Before Advent

COLLECT	READINGS
Heavenly Lord, you long for the world's salvation: stir us from apathy, restrain us from excess and revive in us new hope that all creation will one day be healed in Jesus Christ our Lord.	Daniel 12.1-3 Mark 13.1-8

THE WEEK AHEAD

Sunday 17th November

8:30am Holy Communion at Staunton
Harold

10:30am Holy Communion at St
Helen's, including Stepping
Stones

10:30am Holy Communion at Coleorton

Monday 18th November

7:30pm Pilgrim Group*

Wednesday 20th November

10:30am Morning Prayer at St Helen's

Thursday 21st November

10:00am Café Church at St Matthew's,
Worthington

Friday 22nd November

2-4pm Warm Hearted Space in the
Community Heritage Centre

Saturday 23rd November

9:30 am Morning Prayer in Hastings
Chapel

Sunday 24th November

10:30am Holy Communion at St Helen's

12:30pm Baptism service at St Helen's

3:30pm Messy Church at Viscount
Beaumont School, Coleorton

* Contact the Parish Office for location

FRIDAY 15th NOVEMBER, 7:00-9:00PM

PRG would like to give thanks

You are invited to a Thanksgiving meal (traditional menu with a vegetarian option) in the Heritage centre from 7.00-9.00pm. Places are limited so please sign the sheet at the back of church or contact Liz as soon as possible. There is no charge but any donations will be gratefully accepted.

SUNDAY 17th NOVEMBER, 3:00PM
Seeds of Hope

3:00 pm on Sunday, 17 November 2024 at Holy Trinity Ashby. All Welcome. You are warmly invited to come along to Holy Trinity on the afternoon of Sunday, 17 November, for a special service of hope and remembrance for those who are grieving loss.

On this day, we will be taking some time to be with those in our community who are grieving loss - including those who are mourning someone who has died. Come and join us to take some time to remember, to receive God's comfort and hear about the hope that Jesus brings. The service will be followed by tea, coffee and cake. Whether you go to church regularly, or will be coming along for the first time, or the first time in a long time, we'd love to have you with us. All are welcome, so please feel free to bring family or friends with you.

Fernleigh Care Home

We have had a request for anyone who might be able to offer an activity at Fernleigh. This could be a craft activity, offering a talk or a slide show or any other activity.

If you would like to find out more, please contact Tim at St Helen's office – sthelensashby@gmail.com

FRIDAY 29th NOVEMBER, 7-8:30PM
30th Birthday of Rock Solid Youth Club

On Friday 29th November, Ashby Youth for Christ will be celebrating the 30th birthday of Rock Solid youth club. The event will be held at Ashby Baptist Church, from 7-8.30pm, to include (optional) games, refreshments, a reflection from Youth For Christ's national director and time to reminisce and thank God. Please RSVP to Helen.davis@yfc.co.uk to confirm your attendance, or speak to Emily for more information. We'd be so pleased if you could join us.

MONDAY 2nd DECEMBER, 7:30PM
Holy Trinity Advent Carol Service

Holy Trinity Church, Ashby, invite members of St Helen's to their Advent Carol Service on Monday 2nd December at 7.30pm. The speaker will be Rev Graham Heath. Coffee/Mince Pies to follow. There will be an opportunity if you wish to give a donation to Newlands House, Leonard Cheshire Home.

GIVING

You can make donations to the work of St Helen's through the Collectin card reader at the back of church any time. Alternatively, donations can be made via the open plate at the back of church after our Sunday services, the wall safe at the back of church or via our website: <https://www.sthelensashby.net/Groups/327469/Giving.aspx>

In addition, regular donations can be made through the Parish Giving Scheme. Further information can be found at www.parishgiving.org.uk.

Deadline for next week's Notice Sheet: **10pm Tuesday** evening, sent to noticesheet@sthelensashby.net

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