

THE QUINTET

A monthly programme of services and events for all five churches.

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SERVICES AND PRAYER EVENTS FOR DECEMBER

(correct at time of printing)

Sunday 1st December

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| Harlington | 8.00 |
| Chalgrave | 9.15 |
| Harlington | 9.45 |
| Westoning | 11.00 |
| Toddington | 11.00 |
| Tingrith | 3.00 |
| Westoning | 3.30-5.30 |
| Toddington | 5.00 |
| Harlington | 5.15 |
| Westoning | 6.00 |

First Sunday in Advent

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| Holy Communion (BCP) |
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| Holy Communion |
| Christingle Service |
| Parish Eucharist |
| Christingle Service |
| Christmas Tree Lighting – food and activities in the School Grounds |
| Christingle Service |
| Carols at the end of the Christmas Tree Festival |
| Advent Service |

Monday 2nd December

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| Westoning | 9.00 | Morning Prayer |
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Wednesday 4th December

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| Harlington | 10.00 | Holy Communion |
| Westoning | 10.30 | Wednesday Worship (30 minute informal service followed by chat and coffee) |
| Westoning | 8.00pm | 60 Minutes with God |

Thursday 5th December

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| Toddington | 3.30-5.30 | Messy Church – Wilkinson Hall |
| Toddington | 7.00pm | Scout Carol Service at St George's |

Sunday 8th December *Second Sunday in Advent*

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| Chalgrave | 9.15 | Holy Communion |
| Tingrith | 9.30 | Holy Communion |
| Harlington | 9.45 | Service of the Word |
| Westoning | 11.00 | Holy Communion |
| Toddington | 11.00 | Parish Eucharist |
| Harlington | 4.00pm | Christingle |

Monday 9th December

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| Westoning | 9.00 | Morning Prayer |
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Wednesday 11th December

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| Toddington | 9.30 | St. George's School Service |
| Harlington | 10.00 | Holy Communion |
| Westoning | 10.30 | Holy Communion |

Sunday 15th December *Third Sunday in Advent*

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| Chalgrave | 9.15 | Holy Communion |
| Harlington | 9.45 | Parish Eucharist |
| Westoning | 11.00 | Family Communion |
| Toddington | 11.00 | Holy Communion |
| Tingrith | 3.00pm | The Village Nativity |
| Toddington | 5.00pm | Christmas Tree Carols |
| Westoning | 6.00pm | Nine Lessons and Carols with the Quintet Choir |

Monday 16th December

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| Westoning | 9.00 | Morning Prayer |
| Westoning | 10.00 | School Carol Service |
| Westoning | 11.30 | Macintyre Carol Service |
| Toddington | 7.30 | Carols on the Green |

Wednesday 18th December

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| Harlington | 10.00 | Holy Communion |
| Westoning | 10.30 | Wednesday Worship (30 minute informal service followed by chat and coffee) |

Thursday 19th December

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| Harlington | 7.30pm | Service of Nine Lessons and Carols with the Quintet Choir |
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Saturday 21st December

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| Chalgrave | 7.00pm | Carols by Candlelight |
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Sunday 22nd December *Fourth Sunday in Advent*

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| Chalgrave | 9.15 | Holy Communion |
| Harlington | 9.45 | Parish Eucharist |
| Westoning & Tingrith | 11.00 | Nativity for all ages |
| Toddington | 11.00 | Parish Eucharist |

Monday 23rd December

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| Toddington | 7.30 | Nine Lessons and Carols with Quintet Choir |
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Tuesday 24th December - *Christmas Eve*

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| Harlington | 3.00pm | Crib Service |
| Westoning | 3.00pm | Crib Service |
| Chalgrave | 3.00pm | Crib Service |
| Westoning | 4.30pm | Crib Service |
| Toddington | 4.30pm | Crib Service |
| Westoning | 6.00pm | Healing Service |
| Harlington | 6.00pm | Crib Service |
| Tingrith | 10.00pm | Early Midnight Mass |

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| Toddington | 10.00pm | Early Midnight Mass |
| Chalgrave | 11.00pm | Midnight Mass |
| Westoning | 11.15pm | Midnight Mass |
| Harlington | 11.30pm | Midnight Mass |

Tuesday 25th December – *Christmas Day*

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| Harlington | 10.00 | Christmas Day Family Worship – a service for all ages with carols, candles, reflections, readings and prayers especially for this joyful day. |
| Westoning & Tingrith | 10.00 | Combined Holy Communion at Westoning |
| Chalgrave & Toddington | 10.00 | Holy Communion at Toddington |

Sunday 29th December *First Sunday after Christmas*

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| Harlington | 9.45 | Holy Communion |
| Westoning & Tingrith | 11.00 | Morning Prayer (combined Service at Westoning) |
| Toddington & Chalgrave | 11.00 | Holy Communion at Toddington |

EVENTS IN DECEMBER

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| Fri 29th Nov/Sun 1st Dec | Harlington | Christmas Tree Festival Friday 29 th 5-8pm; Saturday 30 th 12-5pm; Sunday 1 st 12-5pm – followed by a Family Celebration 5.15pm on Sunday; songs, stories, readings. Out of the Box youth choir. Refreshments. Followed by the “lighting” of the village Christmas Tree. |
| Monday 2nd December | Toddington | Light up Toddington – followed by refreshments in the Wilkinson Hall |
| Monday 2nd December | Toddington | 10.30-12.00 <i>The Singing Café</i> – for people with Dementia and their Carers - 21 High Street, Toddington - please contact Glenis – 01525 872855, Ruth – 01525 874326 or Rachel – 01525 872548 |
| Monday 2nd December | Toddington | <i>Light up Toddington Evening</i> – (Dee Curtis 872649) |
| Tuesday 3rd December | Westoning | 10-12 <i>Westcaf</i> - Westoning Village Hall Weekly social gathering offering coffee, tea, a piece of cake and company, all free – time to sit, chat and to meet friends old and new. |
| Tuesday 3rd December | Westoning | <i>Little Stars Toddler Group</i> – 1.15pm – 2.45pm Westoning School (Pre-school entrance) – for pre-school children and babies together with parents and carers. Activities, refreshments, fun, friendly and free. Enquiries – Margaret Timothy 07958 292655; Jane Steer 01525 862357; Eileen Scott 07504 190322 |
| Friday 6th December | Westoning | 2.00-4.00 <i>The Friday Fellowship Group</i> at Westoning Village Hall – organise the Christmas Party |
| Friday 6th December | Toddington | 3.30-5.30 Messy Church – Wilkinson Hall |
| | Toddington | 7.00pm Scout Carol Service at St George’s |
| Saturday 7th December | | 8.45am - <i>Men’s Breakfast</i> - Speaker – The Healing Rooms, Flitwick -The Chequers, Westoning - £6 per head. – Please book in advance – Philip Steer (01525 862357) (message can be left) or phsteer@outlook.com |
| Saturday 7th December | Chalgrave | <i>Festive Afternoon Tea and Craft Fair</i> - 12.30pm Two sittings for afternoon tea: 1.00pm and 3.00pm |
| Monday 9th December | Toddington | 10.30-12.00 <i>The Singing Café</i> – for people with Dementia and their Carers -21 High Street, Toddington |
| Tuesday 10th December | Westoning | 10-12 <i>Westcaf</i> - Westoning Village Hall |

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| Tuesday 10th December | Westoning | Little Stars Toddler Group 1.15- 2.45pm Westoning School (for more info – see above) |
| Thursday 12th December | Westoning | 6.00–7.30pm Youth Group (9-13 year olds) Westoning Village Hall (Enquiries Revd. Nigel Washington 01525 714442 or Rebecca Caird - cairdclan@ntlworld.com) |
| Friday 13th December | Westoning | 2.00-4.00 The Friday Fellowship Group at Westoning Village Hall - Christmas Party |
| Friday 13th December | | 7.00 – 9.00 Preview Evening at Toddington Christmas Tree Festival in St George’s Church with canapes and wine. Tickets £10.00 available from Dee Curtis, Fran Brown, Sue Ballinger and Anne Hincks |
| Saturday 14th December | | 1.00 – 5.00 – Toddington Christmas Tree Festival – admission £2.50 for adults. Stalls, refreshments, raffle in the Wilkinson Hall. 2.30pm – St George’s School Choir 3.30pm – Toddington Music Makers |
| Sunday 15th December | | 1.00 – 5.00 Toddington Christmas Tree Festival admission £2.50 for adults. Stalls, refreshments, raffle in the Wilkinson Hall. 5.00pm Carols and Readings amidst the trees |
| Monday 16th December | Toddington | 10.30-12.00 The Singing Café – for people with Dementia and their Carers -21 High Street, Toddington |
| Tuesday 17th December | Westoning | 10-12 Christmas Special Westcaf - Westoning Village Hall (last in 2019) next one 7 th January 2020 |
| Tuesday 17th December | Westoning | Little Stars Toddler Group 1.15- 2.45pm Westoning School |
| Friday 20th December | Westoning | NO MEETINGS OF The Friday Fellowship Group Until 3rd January 2020 |
| Saturday 21st December | Chalgrave | 7.00pm Carols by Candlelight |

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Some of the future events

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| Tuesday 7th January (first in 2020) | Westoning | 10-12 Westcaf - Westoning Village Hall Weekly social gathering offering coffee, tea, a piece of cake and company, all free – time to sit, chat and to meet friends old and new. |
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Please send details of any church events to be included in future editions of **The Quintet** by the 20th of the preceding month to Penny Denman – email: jonandpenny@yahoo.com or phone (01525 – 720695)

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

THE QUINTET CHOIR is now rehearsing for events to be held over the next few months – if you would like to join – please contact Nicholas and Jo Hopton – nlhopton@btinternet.com or phone 0771 544 6402

The Prayer Ministry Team (Westoning) are available at all main Sunday Services and also monthly, at the Sunday evening Informal Worship

Westoning Village Hall - the telephone number has recently changed to 0748 337 8440