This Weeks Notices

Meltham Churches Together
Morning Prayer - A weekly prayer
network including all our seven
Christian Churches in Meltham. "Praying
with and for our community."
Please contact your Clergy Team

for further information!

Community Cards -

Resumes on January 9th 2016

Well done all those who volunteered with **Operation Christmas Child.** A huge challenge but you all succeeded.

Oasis - a safe place for rest and refreshment

A 'Quiet Day'
St James's

for Advent Church,

Meltham Mills

Wednesday 9th December 2015

10.00am-3.00pm

'Watching and Waiting'

More information can be obtained from Christine Woods 852268 or

Living Hope

Let us join together for our Advent Pilgrimage 2015 Every Monday from 6.30pm until 7.30pm

Hope 30th November Christ Church

Faith 7th December St Bartholomew's

Joy 14th December Stjames Love 21st December St Mary's

> Back by popular demand hot chocolate with marshmallows and spiced mulled wine

Christian Aid Carol Singing

at Morrison's on Friday 18th December between 6 & 7pm



Help Meltham Churches Together raise much needed funds for Christian Aid

HELME LADIES' CHRISTMAS CAROL SERVICE arist Church, Helme - 8th December 2015

Christ Church, Helme - 8th December 2015 at 11.30am

followed by a light lunch of home made soup rolls, home made cakes, tea and coffee. Tickets £3.50 available from Hazel Gibson, 49 Bishop's Way, Meltham - 01484 852711 ALL WELCOME



Welcome to Worship

Sunday 29th November Advent Sunday

Clergy Contact Details

Revd. Maureen Read: 01484 850050 Revd. Charlene Smith: 01484 851334 Revd. Peter Rolls: 01484 340342 Revd. John Radcliffe: 01484 348806 Revd. Dennis Shields: 01484 850074 Revd. Judy Kenworthy: 01484 851158



Parish Links

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Worship Today

9.30am 10.00am 11.10am 4.00pm

NT Reading Gospel W4A - St Bartholomew's Holy Communion - St James' Holy Communion - St Mary's Christingle Service - Christ Church

1 Thessalonians 3:9-end Luke 21:25-36

Parish Weekly Diary (Mon 30.11.15 - Sun 06.12.15)

Weekly Prayer Intention: To you, my God, I lift my soul, I trust in you; let me never come

to shame. Do not let my enemies laugh at me. No-one who waits

for you is ever put to shame.

Monday:

9.30am Morning Prayer - Christ Church 3.00pm Evening Prayer - St Mary's

6.30pm Advent Meditation - Christ Church

Tuesday:

9.30am Morning Prayer - St Mary's

9.30am Mums and Tots - St Bartholomew's 3.00pm Evening Prayer - Christ Church

Wednesday:

9.00am Holy Communion St Bartholomew's 10.00am MCT Morning Prayer - St James 2.00pm Clergy Meeting - Vicarage 7.30pm St Bartholomew's DCC

Thursday:

9.30am Morning Prayer - St James'

3.00pm
7.00pm
7.30pm
Evening Prayer - St Bartholomew's Vicarage
7.30pm
Crossroads Party - Church Hall

Friday:

10.30-12.00n Coffee and Chat - St Bartholomew's 8.30pm Carols at the Waggon & Horses

Saturday: MELTHAM LIGHTS SWITCH ON - see opposite

9.30am Coffee Morning - Christmas Lights Committee

10.00-12n St Bartholomew's open

Sunday:

9.30am Holy Communion - St Bartholomew's
10.00am Family Communion - St James
11.00am BCP Communion - St Mary's
11.15am Holy Communion - Christ Church
4.00pm Carols in the Park - Robert Ashton Park



Useful Information/Numbers:

MCT Prayer Chain - If you have prayer needs, however small or big, there is a prayer chain group, who operate in strict confidentiality, who await your requests.

Contact Revd Peter Rolls 01484 340342, Hester Deacon 01484 657069

Crossroads Centre - Citizen's Advice Bureau, Benefit's Advice,

Debt Advice, Free Legal Advice, advice and support. The Centre is open weekdays 10.00am - 12.30pm. Call in or telephone: 01484 854400 to make an appointment.

Crossroads Foodbank - Helping people in need in Meltham for further information please ring the Crossroads Centre: 01484 854400 / 07958 217215, or the Welcome Centre: 01484 340034.

Meltham Christmas Lights Switch On 5th December 2015

Church Hall

Coffee morning 9.30am - 12.30pm Refreshments & Santa's Grotto 1.00pm - 3.00pm (St Bartholomew's - cakes needed all afternoon please)

Waggon & Horses

Santa Dash & Elf Stomp - start time 1.00pm Ring Pam - 426945 to register (Santa suits & hats provided)

St Bartholomew's Church

Carols for all - 4.00pm Schoolchildren sing - 4.30pm Lights on! - 5.00pm

Church Hall

Meltham's Got talent final - 7.00pm tickets £3.00 or £10.00 family of four.