

## 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' for Advent  
St James's Church, Meltham Mills  
Wednesday 9th December 2015*

*10.00am-3.00pm*

*'Watching and Waiting'*

*More information can be obtained from Christine  
Woods 852268 or  
Jenny Mathers 850839*

### Living Hope

Let us join together for our Advent Pilgrimage 2015

Every Monday from 6.30pm until 7.30pm

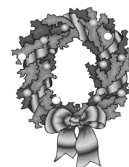
Hope	30th November	Christ Church
Faith	7th December	St Bartholomew's
Joy	14th December	St James
Love	21st December	St Mary's

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**  
**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 6th December

2nd Sunday of Advent

### Clergy Contact Details

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

### Parish Links

Web - [www.melthamparish.co.uk](http://www.melthamparish.co.uk)  
Email - [melthamparish@outlook.com](mailto:melthamparish@outlook.com)  
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### Worship Today

9.30am

Holy Communion -  
St Bartholomew's

10.00am

Family Communion - St James'  
BCP - St Mary's

11.00

Holy Communion - Christ Church  
Carols in the Park

11.15am

4.00pm

NT Reading  
Gospel

Malachi 3: 1-4  
Luke 3: 1-6

## Parish Weekly Diary (Mon 07.12.15 - Sun 13.12.15)

**Weekly Prayer Intention:** People of Zion, the Lord will come to save all nations, and your hearts will exult to hear His majestic voice.

### Monday:

9.30am Morning Prayer - Christ Church  
3.00pm Evening Prayer - St Mary's  
6.30pm Advent Meditation - St Bartholomew's

### Tuesday:

9.30am Morning Prayer - St Mary's  
9.30am Mums and Tots - St Bartholomew's  
11.30am Helme Ladies Carol Service - Christ Church  
1.30pm Greenacres Songs of Praise  
3.00pm Evening Prayer - Christ Church  
7.30pm PCC - St Bartholomew's

### Wednesday:

9.00am Holy Communion St Bartholomew's  
10.00am MCT Morning Prayer - St Mary's  
  
10.00am-3.00pm Oasis Quiet Day for Advent - St James'  
1.30pm Crossroads Management Meeting - St Bartholomew's  
7.30pm Meltham & Meltham Mills Band Concert - St Bartholomew's

### Thursday:

9.30am Morning Prayer - St James'  
3.00pm Evening Prayer - St Bartholomew's  
6.00pm Wedding rehearsal - St Mary's  
7.30pm Honley Ladies Choir ~Christmas Concert - St Mary's

### Friday:

10.30-12.00n Coffee and Chat - St Bartholomew's  
12n-2.00pm Meltham Hospice Support Group Lunch - Church Hall

### Saturday:

9.30am Coffee Morning - Scouts  
10.00-12n St Bartholomew's open  
7.30pm Holme Valley Singers Concert - St Bartholomew's

### Sunday:

9.30am Holy Communion/Baptism - St Bartholomew's  
11.15am Holy Communion - Christ Church  
5.00pm Five Alive - St James  
6.00pm Carol Service - St Mary's



## 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.

### HONLEY LADIES CHOIR COLOURS OF CHRISTMAS CONCERT

St Mary's Church, Wilshaw

Thursday, 10th December 2016

at 7.30pm

featuring Flautist, Simeon Wood

Tickets £8.00 including refreshments

Please contact Christine Rolls on 340342

[p.c.rolls@hotmail.com](mailto:p.c.rolls@hotmail.com)

