



'Turn Up & Join In' Nativity Service

Sun 17th Dec, 10am - 11am

Please invite families you know to come and have some fun. The whole service is for all ages with a short talk.



Traditional Carol Service

Sunday 17th December, 7.30pm

Bible Readings, Carols and Christmas Message from Paul Feesey with performances from our Community Choir, followed by mulled wine and mince pies.

Needs at Christmas

Argos Vouchers for Families – Like last year we're raising money to help local families in need recommended to us by the Health Visitors Team. To donate, go to: my.give.net/kingschristmas2017 or put a gift in the giving box on Sundays marked "Christmas Appeal". Ends Monday 11th Dec

Food Bank Basket – Donations are split between Malling & Landport Food Banks and are especially appreciated at Christmas Time. Particular needs: tins (meat, stew, veg, fruit, pasta), pasta sauce, tea, toiletries, UHT milk, Christmas items. The 2 Food Banks currently help about 60 households.

Other Dates & Information

Sun 17 th Dec	10am 'Turn up & Join in' Nativity Service 7.30pm Carol Service with speaker Paul Feesey
Sun 24 th Dec	NO MEETING
Christmas Day	10am Christmas Day Family Service (1 hour)
Sun 31 st Dec	10am Normal Sunday Worship

Find out more about these events on ChurchSuite or through the Office.

CONNECT SHEET

King's CHURCH
kingschurchlewes.org

Sunday 10th December

CONNECT WITH THE MESSAGE

Different Ways God Speaks

Luke 1:57-80

1) What struck you most about Steve's message on Sunday?



Read Luke 1:57-80

2) Share how God has spoken to you this last year

3) Share any signs and wonders, which you have witnessed or been on the receiving end of.

4) In what ways has the Acts series "Empowered for Mission" equipped you to witness this Christmas?

5) How important is it to test prophecy with scripture? Why is it necessary do you think?

6) Humility was a huge hallmark of John the Baptist life. Why is humility so important? Why does the world value it so little?

7) How has God spoken to our world? Why has Christmas been replaced with Xmas in so many people's lives?

8) What does the verse 79 mean "He will guide our feet into the way of Peace"?

9) How can we experience God's peace? Share any area where you need to experience God's peace.

10) Discuss ways in which we can communicate God's peace to a fearful and anxious world?

Action pray for the various Christmas events happening this week and next.

CONNECT IN PRAYER

Nativity Service

- Pray for good numbers, a great atmosphere and a very positive experience of church for every guest.
- Pray for even more families to 'Turn-up & Join-in' this year.
- Pray for Jane running the Nativity and all the children involved.
- Pray God would speak and change lives through the Nativity story and Al's message from the Bible.

Carol Service

- Pray for people you could still invite or are waiting to hear back from.
- Pray for the preparations: Chrissie and the choir; Al leading; and all involved in refreshments, praying, reading, set-up and welcoming.
- Pray for Paul Feeseey speaking (working with Glen at Speak Life)
- Pray God will be at work in our guests through the message and every aspect of the service, so that people would want to receive Jesus or begin exploring who he is this Christmas.

CONNECT WITH CHURCH LIFE



King's Friends Training Evening

Thurs 14th Dec, 6.45pm - 9pm

We're launching a new befriending scheme to help lonely and isolated local people. Could you commit to regularly visit someone in the local area? Find out more from John Paisley or: kingschurchlewes.org/kingsfriends

Christmas Day Service

Monday 25th December, 10am

No Meeting Sunday 24th Dec

A child-friendly and relaxed way to celebrate Christmas.

Please feel free to invite friends and visiting relatives!

Finished by 11am

