

Lewes Late Night Shopping

Thurs 1st December 6pm to 8.30pm by Cliffe Bridge

Stop by our stall to get in the Christmas mood and enjoy some mulled wine, chestnuts and carols as we help a great local charity: chestnut-tree-house.org.uk

King's Christmas Appeal

ends Monday 12th December

We're raising money to help local families in need buy Christmas Presents for their children. To donate, go to:

my.give.net/kingschristmas2016

or put a marked gift in the giving box on Sundays or give via the Office.



More Diary Dates

Sat 3rd Dec 7pm - 8.30pm King's Choir Concert

£5 tickets on the door, inc mulled wine & nibbles. In Aid of local homelessness charity 'Antifreeze'.

Wed 7th Dec 7.45pm Monthly Prayer Evening

Sat 10th Dec 10am Family Craft & Carols Event

Sun 11th Dec 10am Baptism Sunday

Please speak an Elder if you would like to be baptised

Sun 18th Dec 10am 'Turn up & Join in' Nativity Service

7.30pm Carol Service

Sun 25th Dec 10am Christmas Day Family Service (1 hour)

Sun 1st Jan NO SUNDAY MEETING





Sunday 27th November

CONNECT WITH THE MESSAGE

The King Who Brings Peace

Isaiah 9:1-7

1) What would you most want to pray for our world this Christmas?



Read Isaiah 9:1-7

2) What did you find most helpful or challenging from Al's message on Sunday?

3) Currently, where would you most like God to bring hope in an unexpected place or to an unexpected person?

- 4) Where would you most like see the light of Jesus make an impact?
- 5) How and where would could you pray for the peace of the Prince of Peace to come this Christmas? How might God want to use you?

Read Luke 2:8-20

- **6)** Why do you think the shepherds were the first to hear about the birth of Jesus?
- 7) What are the key points of the angel's message to the shepherds?
- 8) Which of those points would you like God to help you grasp more fully this Christmas?
- 9) What did the shepherds do after seeing Jesus for themselves? How can this inspire us?
- **10)** Thank God for the good news of Jesus at Christmas and pray for those you'd like to share it with.

DIGGING DEEPER

Read Colossians 1:15-23

- 1) List some of the different ways that the Son is image of the invisible God?
- 2) How do we see this demonstrated in the life of Jesus on earth?
- 3) How do v15-17 make it seem all the more amazing that the Son was born as a tiny human baby and laid in a manger?
- 4) In what ways do the majority of people in the world around us misunderstand and underestimate Jesus?
- 5) What key verses and truths from v15-20 about Jesus would you love to show someone who is not yet a Christian?
- 6) What do v20-23 teach us about the Peace on Earth which the angels announced to the shepherds (Luke 2:14) and how it is possible?
- 7) Worship and rejoice in God for his Son and his initiative in our reconciliation.

CONNECT IN PRAYER

Nnete Education Centre, Clarens, South Africa

- * LAST WEEK WE RAISED £158 TOWARDS THIS PROJECT FROM OUR CHILDREN'S CRAFT, CAKE & BOOK SALE! *
- Thank God for the work being done to support secondary school children who often under achieve or drop out of school.
- Pray for Adam & Jane and others helping to provide tutoring, careers advice, access to computers and community life skills.
- Pray this project would change lives and help children and families to escape the poverty cycle and go on to good jobs and a better future.

Late Night Shopping

- Pray for the smooth running of our stall and for our carol singers.
- Pray for good conversations & for those receiving our Christmas invites.
- Pray for Chestnut Tree House hospice: all LNS is raising money for them

CONNECT WITH CHURCH LIFE



Traditional Carol Service

7.30pm Sunday 18th December

Bible Readings, Carols and Christmas Message with performances from our King's Choir, followed by mulled wine and mince pies.

Please think & pray about who you could invite to come with you.

Craft & Carols Sat 10th Dec, 10am - 11.30am Nativity Service (Come & Join In) Sun 18th Dec, 10am - 11am

Pick up a flyer for more details. All children and families welcome to these free events. Please think & pray about who you could invite.

