

Sunday 17 December 2017



Readings and Songs

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Christ Church
YOUR VILLAGE CHURCH

What's On

TODAY

BAPTISM

We extend a warm welcome this morning to the parents of Leo Richardson as they celebrate Leo's baptism with us. We also welcome the family and friends who have come along today to share in this very special occasion.

This morning is also our annual Lessons and Carols service. The details of the readings and songs are given on the back of this sheet

CHRISTMAS HAMPER RAFFLE- TODAY IS YOUR LAST CHANCE TO BUY TICKETS!!!!

Tickets are on sale today for the hamper of Christmas treats. The tickets cost \$2 each or 3 tickets can be purchased for \$5. See the magnificent hamper on the foyer table and purchase your tickets by filling in the raffle booklets provided. The value of the contents of the hamper now exceed \$100 and a maximum of 100 tickets will be sold.

The raffle will be drawn next week and the winner contacted directly. The winner's name will also be given in the next pew sheet.

COMMUNITY MORNING TEA.

After the service this morning at 11 am we are having a community morning tea for the Housing NZ occupants across the road from us. Please have a friendly cuppa, share some neighbourly Christmas cheer and make the residents' day a happy and memorable one.

Bible Study Group and Prayer Group [both held at the church]

Bible Study Group: 1st Wednesday of every month at 7:30pm

Prayer Group: 3rd Wednesday of every month at 7:30pm

TODAY'S READINGS AND SONGS

Silent Night

First Lesson from Isaiah 9: 2–7

Hark the Herald Angels Sing

Second Lesson from the Gospel of Luke 1: 26–38

Mary's Boy Child

Third Lesson from Luke 2: 1-7

Away in a Manger

Fourth Lesson from Luke 2: 8–16

While Shepherds Watched

Fifth Lesson from the Gospel of Matthew 2: 1–12

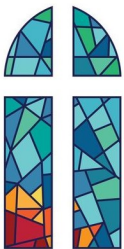
We Three Kings

Go Tell It on the Mountain

Joy to the World

Pray for our Church

Prayer underlies all that we do. At 7:30 every Wednesday night (or another time which suits you) join everybody else in praying for the ministries in our church.



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CHRISTMAS SERVICES

SUNDAY DECEMBER 24

There will be no 9.30 am service

7.00 PM: Community Carol Service

MONDAY DECEMBER 25

9.30 AM: Christmas Day Service

