

Please remember in your prayers

Pray for those who are not well at this time and pray for the souls of the recently departed, may they rest in peace.



Roof Appeal – more good news!

We have received a donation of **£1,000** from the **Staffordshire Historic Churches Trust** (who organise the annual 'Ride & Stride' Event), for which we are very grateful.

Grand Prize Draw

Tickets are £1 each and are stapled in books of 5.

Please support the Roof Appeal by selling tickets to family and friends.

Stained Glass Window

Our stained-glass window has been repaired, cleaned and polished, and new stainless steel guards have been fitted.

This is thanks to a donation from the Johns family in memory of Graham and Brenda.

Christmas Flowers

We do not have flowers in church during Advent and we look forward to flowers at Christmas.

There is a basket at the back of church if you would like to donate towards the flowers.

Community Christmas Cards

Please help by delivering the church Christmas cards in a road near you. "Every little helps!"

Beer & Carols Service

At the Crown Public House in Codsall Square on Thursday 22nd December.

Sunday 18th December 8am

Sides, Reader, Offertory, Assist: Helen

Sunday 18th December 10.45am

Welcomers: Ruth, Jean H

Reader: Rosemary

Prayers: Andrea

Offertory: Rosemary, June, Gill

Assist: Malcolm, Janet

Pebble Pool: Mike

Saturday 24th December 11pm

Welcomers: Gill, Jean M

Reader: Mike

Prayers: Carole

Offertory: Jill, Sheila, Jean H

Assist: Carole, Mike

Sunday 25th December 8am

Sides, Offertory, Assist: Malcolm

Reader: Carole

Sunday 25th December 10.45am

Welcomers: Jean H, Ruth

Reader: Mark

Prayers: Jo

Offertory: Rebecca, Gill, Rosemary

Assist: Rebecca, Mark



The Church of England

Holy Cross Church

Serving the Community of Bilbrook in the Parish of Tettenhall Regis

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(10am-12noon Monday-Friday)



Sunday 18th December

Advent 4

8am Eucharist

(Celebrant: Revd Simon Douglas)

10.30am Sunday Club

10.45am Sung Eucharist

(Celebrant: Revd Simon Douglas)

Coffee/Tea will be served at the back of church after the 10.45am Eucharist.

Please stay and join us.

4pm Carols around the Tree

8am Eucharist

Please note: There will not be an 8am Eucharist on Sunday 1st January.

Our next 8am service will be on Sunday 15th January

Hymns for Sung Eucharist

Introit: **13** All hail the power of Jesus' name (tune 1)

Gradual: **136** For Mary, mother of our Lord (tune 1)

Offertory: **56** Be Thou my vision

Communion: **471** The angel Gabriel from Heaven came

273 Jesus, name above all names

Recessional: **358** O Come, O Come Emmanuel

This Week

Mon	19	
Tues	20	2pm Craft Group 7pm Eucharist
Wed	21	6.45pm Friendship Club
Thur	22	9.30am Eucharist
Fri	23	12noon Eucharist
Sat	24	Christmas Eve 4pm Family Crib Service 11pm Midnight Mass
Sun	25	Christmas Day 8am Eucharist 10.45am Family Eucharist