

Welcome to St. John's in Farsley

Sunday 13th December Third Sunday in Advent

This Sunday

8:30am Online Holy Communion Service

Available to watch online at www.stjohnsfarsley.org.uk

9:30am ABC Church

Our weekly services for adults, babies and children.

- Email for invite: abcchurch@stjohnsfarsley.org.uk

9.30am Parish Communion Service – in Church

Please arrive early and bring a face covering with you.

10:30am Children's Group – meeting via Zoom

- Email for invite: office@stjohnsfarsley.org.uk

Collect

God for whom we watch and wait, you sent John the Baptist to prepare the way of your Son:

Give us courage to speak the truth, to hunger for justice, and to suffer for the cause of right, with Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Readings – Isaiah 61. 1-8, 8 to end and John 1. 6-8, 19-28.

This week's diary

Wednesday December

9:30am Holy Communion – dial-in service

- Call 0330 088 5830 with meeting ID 96872099226
- Join video call <https://zoom.us/j/96872099226>

8pm 16th Wednesday Home Group Quiz

We will be meeting online, if you would like to join us please email office@stjohnsfarsley.org.uk

Friday 18th December

11:00am Friday Coffee with Prayers – dial-in meeting

- Call 0330 088 5830 with meeting ID 96872099226
- Join video call <https://zoom.us/j/96872099226>

Next Sunday – 20th December Fourth Sunday of Advent

8:30am Online Holy Communion

9.30am Parish Communion Service – in Church

9:30am ABC Church – meeting via Zoom

10:30am Children's Group

6pm Drive in Carol Service at Go Outdoors

7.30pm Drive in Carol Service at Go Outdoors

Readings – 2 Samuel 7. 1-11 and v16 and Luke 1. 26-38.

Hello from the Howles Family

We are very much looking forward to getting to know you all and will hopefully move into the vicarage around Christmas time (probably in the New Year).

If you see us around then please say hello.

Notices

Volunteers

Are needed to help at the Drive in Carol Services on Sunday 20th December for both services at 6pm and 7.30pm. Please contact Gareth if you are able to help.

Christmas Services

All the regular Sunday services during December will be Communion at 9.30am and online (pre recorded).

20th December – Drive in Carol Service 6pm and 7.30pm (booking essential either via the website from Monday www.stjohnsfarsley.org.uk or phone Gareth on 07795 268997).

24th December – Christingle Service online 5.30pm

Please collect a Christingle making pack from the Farmers Market 19th December 10am-1pm.

24th December – Midnight Communion 11.30pm (in church and online)

25th December – Family Communion 9.30am (in church and online pre recorded service)

Pudsey Community Project

The Church Hall is open for donations on Monday's and Thursday's 10am-12pm.

Coronavirus precautions

- **Please do not come to church if you have tested positive for Covid-19 or have potential symptoms.**
- Please sit on your own or with members of your extended household bubble only, in the pews indicated.
- Face coverings must be worn unless you have a medical reason for not wearing one.
- You must follow physical distancing using our one-way system and our hygiene guidelines. Hand sanitiser is available.

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