

Welcome to St. John's in Farsley

Sunday 10th December – Second Sunday of Advent

This Sunday

8:30am Holy Communion – Online Worship

Watch online at www.stjohnsfarsley.org.uk/our-services/recorded-services/

8.30am Holy Communion

10.30am Holy Communion Toy Service and Sunday School

Reading

2 Peter 3. 8-15a and Mark 1. 1-8

Collect

Almighty God,
purify our hearts and minds,
that when your Son Jesus Christ comes again as
judge and saviour
we may be ready to receive him,
who is our Lord and our God. Amen

Diary for the week

Monday 11th December

6pm Brownies afterwards 8pm Guides

Tuesday 12th December

10am-11.30am Babies and Toddler Group

Wednesday 13th December

6pm Rainbows

Thursday 14th December

10am-12pm Pudsey Community Project Donations –
this is the last day and will restart on the 4th January

Friday 15th December

10am-12pm Coffee Morning including 11am Prayer-time in the Lounge

Saturday 16th December

9.30am -1pm Farmers Market

Next Sunday

17th December – Third Sunday of Advent

8.30am Holy Communion – online worship

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10.30am Nativity Service with donkeys

6.30pm Carols by Candlelight

Readings

1 Thessalonians 5. 16-24 and John 1. 6-8, 19-28

Notices

Christmas Services;

24.12.23 – Christingle Services 4pm & 5pm and
Christmas Eve Service 11.30pm

25.12.23 – 10.30am Christmas Day Service

Thursday 21st December Carol Singing

Meeting at the church hall 6.25pm to then go singing at
the nursing home and around the pubs.

Christingle Making Volunteers

We need volunteers to make the Christingles on Friday
22nd December 10am during Friday Coffee. If you would
like to help please see Lorna or Alan.

Boxes – if you have a box that you could bring with you
for the finished Christingles that would be great.

Regular giving - Our church relies on regular donations
to finance our activities and events. Talking about
money, 2 Corinthians 9:7 says "Each of you should give
what you have decided in your heart to give, not
reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a
cheerful giver." For information on how to set up a
direct debit or make a one-off donation, please visit

<https://stjohnsfarsley.org.uk/donate>



Or use the QR code

Dates for your dairies;

Prayer-time (1st and 3rd Friday) – 5th and 19th January
11am-11.30am

Sunflower Café (3rd Saturday) – 27th January 10am-
12pm

Bereavement Group (4th Friday) – 22nd December
11am-12pm

Parish Lunch (4th Sunday) – 28th January 12.15pm

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