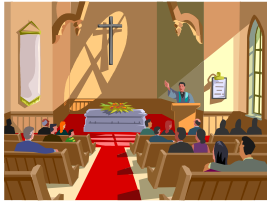




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SERVICES



Sunday 1st January
 10.30—Rev Michelle
 All together worship
Sunday 8th January
 10.30—Jane Parsons

Sunday 15th January
 10.30— Archie Rowe
 5.00—Ten Lamps @ St Johns
Sunday 22nd January
 10.30—Rev Ian Souter
 Holy Communion



The Sacrament of Baptism

We are delighted to welcome Shelly and James, their families and friends as we celebrate the baptism of Toby, Oliver and Eleanor.

We wish you every Blessing

On Christmas Day we will have as well as our usual weekly offering our traditional collection for NCH, and the giant Christmas card.



Jesus is the reason for the season

JULIAN HOUSE
 Thankyou for your gifts.

The next notice sheet will be due on 1st January please can Michelle receive items by Wednesday 28th December



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**NOTICES AND NEWS for
 Sunday 18th December and 25th December 2011**

We offer you a warm welcome to worship!
 May you know the reality of the Lord Jesus Christ as you worship today, and as you walk with Him through the coming week. Our Upper room offers you a quiet space for supportive and reflective prayer after the service.

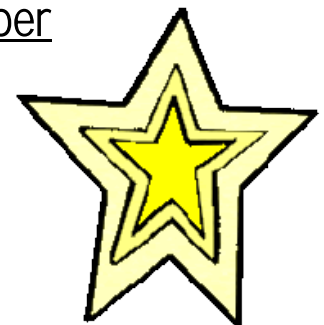


Sunday 18th December
 10.30-Rev Ray Lansley
 Holy Communion
 12.30—Baptism, Toby, Oliver
 And Eleanor Caine
 6.00- Carol Service



Sunday 25th December

Let's celebrate
 Jesus's birthday



We pray for a Christmas full of peace and joy!



Isaiah 9. 2 6&7

The people walking in darkness have seen a great light, on those living in the land of the shadow of death a light has dawned...
For unto us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be upon his shoulders. And he will be called
**Wonderful Counsellor,
Mighty God
Everlasting Father,
Prince of Peace.**
Of the increase of his government and peace there shall be no end...

**Joseph, Son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary as your wife, because what is conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit
Matthew 1. 20**

**"I am the Lord's servant"
Mary answered. "Let it be to me as you have said."**

Luke 1.38



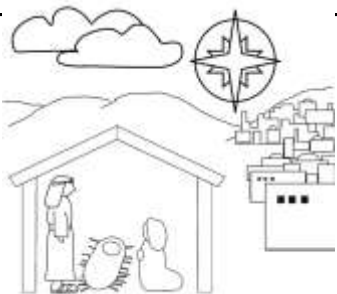
And there were shepherds living out in the fields near by, keeping watch over their flocks at night. An angel of the Lord appeared to them and the glory of the Lord shone round them and they were terrified. But the angel said to them

"Do not be afraid, I bring you good news of great joy which shall be for all people. Today in the town of David a Saviour has been born to you...



....he is Christ the Lord...

You will find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger.
Luke 2. 8-12



In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was with God in the beginning.



Through him all things were made; without Him was nothing made that has been made. In Him was life, and that life was the light of men. The light shine in the darkness, but the darkness has never put it out.

John 1. 1-5

**Christmas Party in the Park
Wednesday 21st December
7-9
Come and sing carols**



**Christmas
Eve
Crib service
For all ages
5.00pm**

**Come and share
in the
wonder of
Christmas**

Christmas Eve
Communion

9.00pm

Let us prepare our hearts for the new born King



**December Birthday greetings Congratulations to
.....20th Niki de Silva, 22nd Mary Parr,
23rd Pat Skibinski, 24th Audrey Bainton,
25th Nick Martin,
29th James Fee and Lucy Day.**

