

## Lambourn Valley Benefice Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> December Advent 3

### Sunday December 15<sup>th</sup>

- 8.00 BCP Holy Communion St Michael & All Angels
- 9.30 Family Communion St James
- 11.00 All Together Eucharist St Michael & All Angels
- 12.30 Baptism of Theo Farmer-Jenks
- 6 pm Carol Service All Saints with refreshments in aid of the Tower Appeal



### Monday December 16<sup>th</sup>

- 2.00 Advent Gathering @ Mellors Cottage 2, Walkers Lane
- 2.00 Coffee and Chat @ The Vicarage

### Tuesday December 17<sup>th</sup>

- 9.30 Lambourn CE school Christmas service St Michael & All Angels
- 6.30 Jingle & Mingle St Michael & All Angels

### Wednesday December 18<sup>th</sup>

- 1.30 Funeral of Dorothy 'Dottie' McGregor All Saints
- 6.30 All ages Carol singing – meet at The Vicarage. Carriages 8pm following refreshments

**Readings:** Zephaniah 3.14–20, Philippians 4.4–7, Luke 3.7–18

**Please pray for:** Sarah Brooks, Sisters Phoebe & Valeria, Steven Buckley, Margaret, Svitlana, Carol McColl, John Kirby.

**The departed:** Mick Rackham, Frantisek Kopca 'Frankie', Dorothy McGregor & June Alderton.

*'He heals the broken-hearted and binds up their wounds.'* Psalm 147:3

### Please pray

- for Theo, his parent and Godparents as they travel from Australia
- for the situation in Syria and neighbouring countries
- for persecuted Christians
- for schools and families as the end of term approaches
- for those in challenging or difficult relationships at this time
- for those who confront injustice and those feel excluded at this time

### Please give thanks

- for the planting of trees by Lambourn Environment group

### 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.

### Post communion

We give you thanks, O Lord, for these heavenly gifts;  
kindle in us the fire of your Spirit  
that when your Christ comes again  
we may shine as lights before his face;  
who is alive and reigns now and for ever.

## The Lambourn Valley Benefice Zoom links

- Morning Prayer (8.30 am)

Below is the full link for everything including Morning Prayer. You'd be very welcome to join in any time - look forward to 'seeing' you!

Morning Prayer is at 8.30 am every morning except Sunday.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/9042057860?pwd=eGVhZFYwNDA5L09LdnhkaWN0dEtRZz09>

Meeting ID: 904 205 7860

Passcode: Enru0Bmal

Here is a link to the CofE web page for morning and evening prayer.

There are links to the daily liturgy (we use the contemporary morning prayer and night prayer) and at the bottom of the page are links to the Apple and Google apps so you can follow the service on your phone or tablet if you want.

<https://www.churchofengland.org/prayer-and-worship/join-us-service-daily-prayer>