THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND

The Benefice of Bengeworth and Hampton with Sedgeberrow and Hinton on the Green

Pewsheet for 31st December 2023

First Sunday of Christmas

8am	Holy Communion	Hampton
10.00pm	Asum Eucharist *Rev Andrew Spurr*	All Saints
Mon 1 January 24	No Bible Study	The Vicarage
Tues 2nd	**No Tots Group**	Scout Hall
Wed 3rd	10am Holy Communion	Hampton
Thurs 4th	Office re-opens	
Fri 5th		
Sat 6th		

Next Week's Service - 7th January - Second Sunday of Christmas

8am	Holy Communion	Hampton
10.00 am	Morning Praise *Elaine Major and Helen Black*	Hampton
10.00am	Holy Communion *Rev Mark Binney*	Sedgeberrow

Readings for 7th January:

- Isaiah 60: 1-6
- Psalm 72: [1-9] 10-15
- Ephesians 3: 1-12
- Matthew 2: 1-12

Hymns today at Hampton:

Rota for 7th January: Please speak to Elaine Major for details

Rev Binney, the Churchwardens and the PCC of St Andrews would like to wish everyone a Happy New Year. We look forward to seeing you in Church in 2024.

We keep in mind…

- All the areas of conflict around the world, that the peace of Christmas will be bought to bear and permanent solutions found so people can live together.
- That 2024 is a year of resolution and hope. For all those for whom this year will be one of change and transition that it brings them what they need.
- For all those who are homeless or under threat of homelessness especially the children. That they are able to find a secure roof over their heads.

FOR OUR PRAYERS

For all those who are sick, in special need or housebound:

Mary Andrews; Sue Burdett; Brenda Clarke; Dave Cockram; Brenda Curtis; John Darby; Caroline Evans; Ann Fletcher; Heather Gibbs; Duncan Houston; Carolyn Jenkins; Annabelle Keen; Joan Parry; Caroline Rusher; Mila Sosna; Carol Thould; Jennifer Waters.

For those who have died, and all who mourn them:

Dates for Your Diary

8 January	10.30am	Bible Study restarts
16 January	9.30am	Tots Group restarts
11 January	New Year Art Journalling	Holland House
12-14 January	Retreat for First Time Retreatants	Holland House
Until 14 January	Christmas Tree Festival	Worcester Cathedral
From 4 January	History in the Making Exhibition	Worcester Cathedral
13 January	10am Open Church	Hampton
24 January	11am Coffee Morning	Hampton
28 January	2.30 pm 2C's Teas	

St Andrew's is fitted with a loop system. To use this please switch hearing aids to 'T'

Gluten free Communion breads are available in all of our churches. If you require one, please mention this to the 'welcomers' or one of the Churchwardens.

Pew sheet & Prayer Requests
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