



St. John's Methodist Church

Llandudno

12th December 2021

Minister: Rev Beverley Ramsden

11.00am Morning Worship

Rev Bev Ramsden

Theme: Mary's Magnificat

Hymns:

StF 187	The angel Gabriel from heaven came
Song	He's got the whole world in his hands
StF 186	Tell out, my soul
StF 213	O little town of Bethlehem

Readings:

Luke 1 : 26-38

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No Evening Worship

We encourage you to subscribe/follow this blog so you can share in the rhythm of church life: **revbev.org.uk**

The church is now open for worship again. However, you can still join in live-streamed worship at 10am every Sunday at **streaming.revbev.org.uk**

Text versions of the services are available via the blog.

Refreshments are now being served in the hall after the service.

If you or someone you know would like pastoral contact, please get in touch with your pastoral visitor, the pastoral visitors' secretary or the minister.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Monday 13th

10.00am Christmas Tree Festival
10.00am Toddlers Singing
12.30pm Hand Bell Ringers
(New people welcome)

Tuesday 14th

10.00am Christmas Tree Festival
10.00am Papillion Crafts

Wednesday 15th

10.00am Christmas Tree Festival
10.00am Craft Fair
11.30am Meditation at St David's

Thursday 16th

10.00am Christmas Tree Festival
10.00am North Wales Arts & Crafts
1.45pm Service of prayers for healing
Led by Mrs Elizabeth Pass
7.30pm Hospice Carol Service

Friday 17th

10.00am Christmas Tree Festival
10.00am North Wales Arts & Crafts

Saturday 18th

10.00am Christmas Tree Festival
10.00am St. David's Hospice Fair

Sunday 19th

11.00am Morning Worship led by
Rev Bev Ramsden
4.00pm Carols by Candlelight
Rev Bev Ramsden

Door Stewards

12th Emily & Dianna
19th Rita J. & Graham M.
25th

Amazon Smile

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Epiphany Party

We are hoping to hold a (carefully managed) Epiphany Celebration on Sunday 2nd January 4-5:30pm, St David's, to include themed activities/ games, light refreshments and worship - suitable for ALL ages. We need to know whether we will have enough people to make it viable. Please can you let Bev, Sue Weir or Lyn Brown know by 12th December if you would like to come to this event. Thank you.

ADVANCE NOTICES

Flower Pots

We are still looking for a new person to look after the pots of plants outside the front of the church (front only), the ones Arline has been doing for the last few years. She is giving up with this final set for Christmas. Anyone wanting to know more can ask Arline or Rev Bev for more info. Many thanks to Arline for all her hard work in looking after the pots.



Sunday Service 19th December

At the 11am service Bev will be dedicating the British Legion standard and pennant as it is the 100th anniversary of the Legion this year. She will also be talking about the work they do with stories from the 100 years.

It would be nice to have your favourite carol choices. Bev needs to know in advance, so if you would like a carol sung please get in touch with Bev asap. It is important that you are willing to give your reason/story for why it is special to you - you don't have to speak out loud if you don't want to but, if not, you need to give Bev the story by email or phone beforehand. Bev will also try to find the story behind the writing of the carol if possible, to add to your personal story.



Christmas Tree Festival

St. David's Hospice are holding a Christmas Tree Festival in the Church from 13th—18th December. They will be providing some stewards but could do with a bit more help. A rota is at the back of Church so if you can spare a couple of hours during that week to help the Hospice, then please put your name on the list. Many thanks.



If you have a notice for "LINK", to ensure inclusion in next Sunday's publication, please submit to the office by 1pm Wednesday.

CONWY FOOD BANK

Dear Supporters

The Team here at the Conwy Food Bank are hugely grateful to everyone for their very generous response to our appeal in the run up to Christmas for both donations and gifts. It is very heart-warming to know that the community cares so much for people who are struggling in these difficult times.

In November the total number of parcels distributed was 144.

56 went to families with 133 children

72 went to single people

16 went to couples.

We send our warmest wishes and thanks to you all.

The Conwy Food Bank Team



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