

SAXON SHORELINE BENEFICE WORSHIP CALENDAR FOR DECEMBER 2025

Thursday 4th December	7.00 pm Taize Prayer	St. Rumwold, Bonnington
1st Sunday: 7th December Advent 2 (Purple)	9.00am Holy Communion 9.00 am Holy Communion 10.30am Parish Communion 10.30am Holy Communion 10.00am Family Fun Service	St. Rumwold, Bonnington St. Matthew, Warehorne St. Mary Orlestone (inc Ruckinge) Church of the Good Shepherd, Hamstreet St. Martin, Aldington
Thursday 11th December	3.00 pm Come and Sing	Ruckinge Village Hall
Saturday 13th December	3.00 pm Community Carols and Christingle	Church of the Good Shepherd
2nd Sunday: 14th December Advent 3 (Purple/Rose)	9.00am BCP H Communion 10.30am Morning Worship 10.30am Morning Worship 10.45am Carol Service 4.00 pm Christingle Service	SS Peter & Paul, Bilsington Ruckinge Village Hall Church of the Good Shepherd, Hamstreet St. Martin, Aldington St. Martin, Aldington
Thursday 18th December	7.00 pm Traditional Carol Service	Quarry House, Aldington
3rd Sunday: 21st December Advent 4 Winter Solstice (Purple)	9.00am Holy Communion 10.30am Prayer, Praise & Coffee 10.30am Holy Communion 10.45 am Worship Service 4.00 pm Nativity Service 4.00pm Carols by Candlelight 6.00 pm Carols & childrens' Tableau with Jump Singers	St. Mary, Orlestone Ruckinge Village Hall Church of the Good Shepherd, Hamstreet St. Martin, Aldington St. Martin, Aldington St. Rumwolds, Bonnington St. Matthew, Warehorne
Christmas Eve 24th Dec. (Purple)	3.00 pm Prams and Grans 4.00 pm Blessing the Crib 6.00 pm Crib Service 8.00 pm Carol Service 11.30pm Midnight Communion	St. Mary Magdalene, Ruckinge St. Peter and St. Paul, Bilsington St. Mary Magdalene, Ruckinge St. Mary, Kenardington St. Martin, Aldington
Christmas Day 25th Dec. (White/Gold)	9.00 am Holy Communion 10.00 am Family Service 10.30 am Family Service with HC	St. Rumwold, Bonnington Church of the Good Shepherd St. Matthew, Warehorne
4th Sunday: 28th December Advent 5	10.00am Benefice Holy Communion (with Carols)	St. Peter and St. Paul, Bilsington

Benefice BCP Communion on the following Wednesdays @ 12noon, St. Mary, Orlestone: 3rd, 10th, 17th, December . All welcome. NB no service Christmas Eve

Key Events:

Saturday 6th December 11.00 am – 2.00 pm “Warm Up for Christmas”, Scout Hut, Ruckinge

12th & 13th December 10.00 am – 4.00 pm and 14th December 12 noon – 4.00 pm Christmas Tree Festival St. Martin, Aldington