St Andrew, Hadfield and All Saints, Glossop

Sunday 14 December 2025

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

A very warm welcome from our Churches.

If you are visiting for the first time, we hope you feel at home among us.

St Andrew, Hadfield:

Sunday 14 December - Advent 3

10am Holy Communion

Tuesday 16 December

1pm Funeral of Sylvia Butler

Wednesday 17 December

10am Holy Communion followed by Coffee Morning (11am-1pm)

Friday 19 December

10am St Andrew's School Xmas Service 4.30pm Carol Singing outside Hadfield Hall. Hot chocolate, hot dogs, mince pies, and visit from Santa

Sunday 21 December - Advent 4

10am Morning Prayer6pm Carols by Candlelight

Wednesday 24 December - Christmas Eve

3pm Crib Service 6pm Carols round the Brazier

Thursday 25 December CHRISTMAS DAY

10am Christmas Family Communion

Home Communion: If you know of anyone who would like to receive Holy Communion in their own home, please contact a member of the ministry team.

All Saints, Glossop:

Sunday 14 December - Advent 3

10.30am Parish Eucharist6.30pm Nine Lessons and Carols

Tuesday 16 December

11am Funeral of Eva Hinchcliff2pm Choir Practice7.30pm Orchestra of the Peaks concert

Wednesday 17 December

9.30am Duke of Norfolk School Christmas Service

Thursday 18 December

No bellringing

Sunday 21 December - Advent 4

10.30am Parish Eucharist6.30pm Nine Lessons and Carols

Tuesday 23 December

2pm Choir Practice

Wednesday 24 December - Christmas Eve

4pm Crib Service

CHRISTMAS NIGHT

11pm Midnight Mass

Thursday 25 December - CHRISTMAS DAY

10.30am Christmas Family Eucharist

For Our Prayers

To be Baptised Recently Baptised

Sebastian Atherton

To be Married

Recently Married

III and Housebound

Marianne Gratrix; Peter Matthews

Died

Norman Linney; Barry Maxwell; Graeme Lutener; Eva Hinchcliff; Geoffrey Beeson; Sylvia Butler

Carmel Church in Hadfield are collecting postage stamps. Please leave in St Andrew's Church. All Saints Church are collecting postage stamps for Help for Heroes.

A prayer for Ukraine

God of peace and justice, we pray for the people of Ukraine today. We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons. We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow, that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them. We pray for those with power over war or peace, for wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions. Above all, we pray for all your precious children, at risk and in fear, that you would hold and protect them. We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace. Amen

Ministry Team

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The Revd Norman Shaw

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John Roberts Margaret Roberts Vince Ryder



Prayer for the lighting of the third Advent Candle

Lord Jesus, light of the world, blessed is Gabriel, who brought good news; blessed is Mary, your mother and ours. Bless your Church preparing for Christmas; and bless us your children, who long for your coming. Amen.

The Middle East Crisis

The Archbishop of Jerusalem, Hosam Naoum has offered us this prayer:-

O God of all justice and peace, we cry out to you in the midst of the pain and trauma of violence and fear which prevails in the Holy Land. Be with those who need you in these days of suffering; we pray for people of all faiths - Jews, Muslims and Christians and for all people of the land. While we pray to you. O Lord. for an end to violence and the establishment of peace, we also call for you to bring justice and equity to the peoples. Guide us into your kingdom where all people are treated with dignity and honour as your children – for to all of us, you are our heavenly father. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

For more information about our activities please see *A Church Near You*.

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