



Parishes of

Alfrick-w-Lulsley; Crown East, Rushwick; Suckley;
Leigh & Bransford; Lower Teme Valley; Martley and
Wichenford

Pew Sheet for 14th December 2025

Sunday 14th December 2nd Sunday of Advent

9.00 am	BCP HC (said)	Bransford
12.00 am	Farmers Market	Talbot
3.00 pm	Carol Service	Knightwick
4.00pm	Carols/Christingles	Crown East (a change from 3.30pm)
4.00 pm	Carol Service	Wichenford

Sunday 21st December 3rd Sunday of Advent

9.00 am	Book of Common Prayer Holy Communion	Alfrick
10.30 am	Common Worship Holy Communion	Suckley
5.00 pm	Carols/Christingles	Martley
4.00 pm	Carol and Crib Service	Broadwas
6.30 pm	9 Lessons and Carols	Leigh

Sunday 28th December Christmas 1

10.30 am	Common Worship Holy Communion	Crown East
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Sunday 4th January Christmas 2

9.00 am	Book of Common Prayer Said Holy Communion	Cotheridge
10.30 am	Common Worship Home Communion	Leigh
10.30am	Common Worship Home Communion	Martley
10.30 am	Worship for all	Broadwas
4.00 pm	Informal Worship	Suckley
6.00pm	Words and Music	Alfrick

Collect for Advent 3

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.

Readings for Advent 3

Isaiah 35.1-10, Psalm 146.4-10 or Canticle: Magnificat, James 5.7-10
Matthew 11.2-11

Christmas Services in the WWRT

Wednesday 24 th December – Christmas Eve

- 4.00 pm – Barnyard Nativity at Coles Place, Lulsley
- 9.00 pm – Carols by Candlelight at Bransford Chapel
- 10.00 pm – Holy Communion at St Laurence, Wichenford
- 11.00 pm – Midnight Holy Communion S at St Edburga, Leigh
- 11.00 pm – Midnight Holy Communion at St Mary Magdalene, Broadwas
- 11.00 pm – Midnight Holy Communion at St Peter, Martley

Thursday 25th December – Christmas Day

- 9.00 am – BCP Holy Communion at St Mary Magdalene, Alfrick
- 9.00 am – Holy Communion at St Leonard, Cotheridge
- 10.30 am – Family Worship at St John the Baptist, Suckley
- 11.00 am – Family Worship at St Peter, Martley.

Bishop Hugh's service of welcome

On Saturday 17 January at 2pm we will be welcoming Bishop Hugh to the Diocese as he starts his ministry among us. All are welcome to this special service in the Cathedral. For more details see here:

<https://www.cofe-worcester.org.uk/news/bishop-hughs-service-of-welcome.php>



Advent and Christmas Services & Events for Children and Families



Sunday 30th November, 10.30am:

Benefice Family Service, St John the Baptist, Suckley

Advent Carol Service for all ages, with activities for the children



Sunday 7th December, 10.30am:

All Age Service, St Mary Magdalene, Broadwas

Worship for all ages, with activities for the children



Sunday 7th December, 4pm:

Christingle and Tree Service, St John the Baptist, Suckley

A celebration of light: a Christingle Service for all ages



Sunday 14th December, 4pm:

Carols and Christingles, St Thomas' Crown East

Sweet treats, carols and candlelight – a Christingle Service for all ages



Friday 19th December, 4.30pm:

Carols around the tree, The Whitehall, Rushwick

Join us for some carol singing and festive cheer – all welcome



Saturday 20th December, 4pm:

Carols around the tree, Leigh and Bransford Village Hall

Join us for some carol singing and festive cheer – all welcome



Sunday 21st December, 4pm:

Crib and Carol Service, St Mary Magdalene Broadwas

Child Friendly (and encouraged!) carol service for all ages



Wednesday 24th December, 4pm:

Barnyard Nativity, Coles Place, Lulsley

The Christmas Story brought to life!



Thursday 25th December, 10.30am:

Family Christmas Day Service, St John the Baptist, Suckley

Hark! the herald angels sing, 'Gloria to the new born King!'



Opening times of church buildings for private prayer

Crown East - Everyday 9am – 5pm

Suckley– Open 10am to 5pm Weds, Sat and Sun in term time, and daily in the holidays

Alfrick - Everyday

Leigh - Everyday 10am - 6pm (from 30th March—4pm till then)

Broadwas - Everyday 11am—5pm

Cotheridge - Everyday 9am - 5pm

Wichenford Everyday 10am—4pm

Martley - Everyday

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Other information can be found on individual church pages on A Church Near You and our Facebook pages www.facebook.com/Worcesterwestruralteam www.facebook.com/suckleychurch