SAXON SHORELINE BENEFICE WORSHIP CALENDAR FOR DECEMBER 2026		
1st Sunday: 6th December **Advent 2** *(Purple)*	9.00am Holy Communion 10.00am Holy Communion 10.30am Parish Communion 10.30am Holy Communion 10.45am Family Fun Service	St. Rumwold, Bonnington St. Matthew, Warehorne St. Mary Magdalene, Ruckinge Church of the Good Shepherd, Hamstreet St. Martin, Aldington
Thursday 10th December	3.00pm – 4.00pm Carol Singing + tea (no charge) 7.00 pm Taize Prayer for Advent	St. Mary Magdalene, Ruckinge St. Rumwold, Bonnington
2nd Sunday: 13th December **Advent 3** *(Purple/Rose)*	9.00am BCP H Communion 10.30am Morning Worship 10.30am Morning Worship 10.45am Holy Communion 4.00pm Christingle Service	SS Peter & Paul, Bilsington St. Mary Magdalene, Ruckinge Church of the Good Shepherd, Hamstreet St. Martin, Aldington St. Martin, Aldington
Saturday 19th December	2.30 pm Community Carols	Ch. of the Good Shepherd, Hamstreet
3rd Sunday: 20th December **Advent 4** *(Purple)*	9.00am Holy Communion 9.30am Morning Worship (HC) 10.30am Matins 10.30am Holy Communion 10.45am Carol Service 4.00pm Carols by Candlelight 6.00pm Carols & childrens' Tableau with Jump Singers	St. Mary, Orlestone St. Mary Kenardington St. Mary Magdalene, Ruckinge Church of the Good Shepherd, Hamstreet St. Martin, Aldington St. Rumwolds, Bonnington St. Matthew, Warehorne
Monday 21st December	5.00 pm Carol Singing	Quarry House, Aldington
Christmas Eve 24th Dec. *(Purple)*	3.00pm Prams and Grans 4.00pm Blessing the Crib 6.00pm Crib Service 7.30pm Carol Service 11.00pm Midnight Mass	St. Mary Magdalene, Ruckinge St. Peter and St. Paul, Bilsington St. Mary Magdalene, Ruckinge St. Mary, Kenardington St. Rumwold, Bonnington
Christmas Day 25th Dec. *(White/Gold)*	10.00am Family Service 10.00am Family Service with HC (one hour only)	Ch. of the Good Shepherd, Hamstreet St. Matthew, Warehorne
4th Sunday: 27th December **Christmas 1** *(White)*	10.30am Benefice Holy Communion	St. Peter and St. Paul, Bilsington

Benefice Holy Communion on Wednesdays @ 12noon, St. Mary, Orlestone

Key Events:

Saturday 5th December 11.00 am – 2.00 pm "Warm Up for Christmas" Soups, Bread Pudding, Cakes and Savouries. Gift Stall., St. Mary Magdalene, Ruckinge.