

All Are Welcome at

St Peter's, Kinver and St Mary's, Enville



Sunday 30th November 2025 Advent Sunday

9.00am BCP Communion - St Mary's, Enville

10.30am Morning Worship - St Peter's, Kinver

The Christmas Tree Festival continues from 12noon until 3.30pm

The U3A Christmas Concert 'Rocking Around the Christmas Trees' takes place at 4.30pm.

Today's Bible Readings

Isaiah 2:1-5

Our readings through Advent offer a vision of the future. For Isaiah, even in turbulent times there is a sense of expectancy and the hope of peace.

Matthew 24:36-44

Today we begin a new Church year, and most of the Gospel readings this year will be from Matthew. Here Jesus warns his disciples to be prepared for his final coming.

COLLECT PRAYER

Almighty God, as your kingdom dawns, turn us from the darkness of sin to the light of holiness, that we may be ready to meet you in our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.

Hymns for Today's Services

St Mary's, Enville: 307, 98, 408

St Peter's, Kinver: 16, 128, 405, 199, 200, 282

Our wonderful Christmas Tree

Festival continues until 3.30pm today (Sunday 30th). The festival will be followed by a concert by Kinver U3A 'Rocking Around the Christmas Trees' - tickets are available on the door for £10 which includes mulled wine and mince pies or cake. Money raised will be split between St Peter's and U3A.





Blue Christmas - an Alternative Christmas Service

On Saturday 6th December at 11am we will be again holding our Blue Christmas service at St Peter's.

This quiet and reflective service is intended for people who, for a variety of reasons, feel that they can't face all the jollity and celebration of the Christmas season.

If this resonates with you then you would be most welcome at our Blue Christmas service.

Christingle at St Mary's

At 11am on Sunday 7th December at St Mary's, Enville we will celebrate the first of the benefice's two Christingle services this year.

The second Christingle service will be at St. Peter's, at 10.30am on Sunday 14th December. Please do come along to either, or both, services.



Please hold the following people in your prayers:

Rev'd Beryl Pritchett, Lynn Hudson, Barbara Alliband, Sharon Siddons, Helen McPhail, Sheila Harryman, Elaine, Alex, Sue, Jean Mills, Roland Day, and the family of Nick Caines.



RSVP
BY MONDAY 1ST DECEMBER
TO CLAIRE ON
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There are plenty of spaces left for our Dementia Friendly Festive afternoon tea on Saturday 6th December at 3pm. There is no charge to attend. Please call/text Claire on 07988 803083 to reserve your places.

Festive Fun at Kinver High

Kinver High School invites you to join them for their Christmas Extravaganza on Friday 12th December from 4.30pm to 7pm.

You can look forward to:

- ♦ Carols and other music
- Festive food, drinks and treats
- A craft fayre
- Games
- Competitions

Tickets are £5 for adults and £3 for children. For tickets scan the QR code to be taken to seaty.co.uk.





Carol Singing at the Enville Lights Switch On

We have been invited to lead some carol singing at the Christmas light switch on in Enville on Sunday 7th December at 4.30pm. Do please join us if you can. For more info please speak to Rev'd Rich.



THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED CONTRIBUTIONS TOWARDS THE BLACK COUNTRY FOOD BANK

During this coming week, St Peter's Church Lights are lit up to remember:-

- 1 White Hill Cancer Coffee Morning Group
- 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 Rotary Club of Kinver
- 2 Birthday Memories of Margaret Paterson
- 4 In Memory of Nellie Cartwright

- 5 Happy Birthday Gail
- 5 Happy Anniversary Memories: Delia & John Page
- 6 Birthday Memories of Jean Wheeler
- 6 Loving Birthday Memories of Antony John Powis

If you would like to sponsor the church lights, please see the Rock magazine for details.

If you are a visitor here today, a very warm welcome to you, and we do hope you enjoy the service in either of our lovely and ancient churches.

Thank you for your support.

What's On This Week

Rev'd Rich and Rev'd Emma's usual day off is Friday

Monday	1st December	er

9.30am Holy Dusters - St Peter's, Kinver6.00pm Vestry Hour - St Peter's, Kinver

Tuesday 2nd December

7.00pm Community Choir - St Mary's, Enville

Wednesday 3rd December

3.00pm Wedding Team meeting - The Rectory, Vicarage Drive

7.00pm Bell Ringing Practice - St Peter's, Kinver

7.30pm Pilgrim Course - The Bible (5 of 6) - St Peter's, Kinver

Thursday 4th December

NO EVENTS

Friday 5th December

1.30pm Wedding of Michael Hayes and Kerry Heseltine - *St Mary's Enville*

7.00pm Bell Ringing Practice - St Peter's, Kinver

Saturday 6th December

10.00am Choir Practice - St Peter's, Kinver

11.00am 'Blue Christmas' Service - *St Peter's, Kinver*

3.00pm Dementia Friendly Afternoon Tea - St Peter's Church Hall, Kinver

Next Sunday's Services: 7th December 2025 Advent 2

9.30am BCP Holy Communion - St Mary's, Enville
10.30am Holy Communion - St Peter's, Kinver
11.00am Christingle Service - St Mary's, Enville
6.30pm Advent Praise - St Peter's, Kinver

We will be singing at the Enville Lights switch on at 4.30pm

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