

Christmas 2025

at

St. Mary's Potton

All Saints Sutton

**St. John the Baptist Cockayne
Hatley**



*A Programme of Church Services, Concerts and
other Events*

The Build Up to Christmas!

Nativity Photo Booth! †

During the Potton Christmas Light Switch On (3-6pm) – 29 November at the Brook End Community Centre.

An opportunity to dress up in nativity play costumes for fun family photos! (Children must be supervised) Plus a stall of Christmas craft gifts.

Christingles!

A Christmas service for young & old focusing on the meaning of Christmas using the Christmas Christingle.

4th December

2.45pm: Sutton (with Sutton School) †

7th December,

4.30pm: Potton †

Carol Services

21st December 4pm, Cockayne Hatley

21st December 6pm, Sutton

21st December 6.30pm, Potton

Concerts

Tickets for both these concerts will be available at Cameron's Newsagents.

6th December,

4pm: New Voices of Potton, Potton

13th December,

3pm: Locrian, Cockayne Hatley

7.30pm: Locrian, Cockayne Hatley

Children are WELCOME at ALL our services, but those marked with a † are especially good for young families!

Sundays of Advent

30th November

9am: Holy Communion, Sutton

10.30am: Holy Communion, Potton

7th December

9am: Holy Communion, Sutton

10.30am: Friends & Family, Potton †

14th December

9am: Holy Communion, Cockayne Hatley

10am: Breakfast Church, Sutton †

10:30am: Holy Communion, Potton

7.30pm: Nightlight, Potton

21st December

9am: Holy Communion, Sutton

10.30am: Shorter Communion, Potton †

Christmas Cafes

Come and enjoy good company and Christmas cheer with our range of community Cafés:

29 November

10am – 1pm: Link Café, Brook End Community Centre Potton

3rd December

3-5pm, Afternoon Tea, Sutton Church †

6th December

11-4pm, Café, Cockayne Hatley Church †

Christmas Eve

3pm: Crib Service: A Family Christmas Service (Sutton) †

4pm: Crib Service: A Family Christmas Service (Potton) †

11pm: Midnight Mass (Potton)

Christmas Day

9am: Traditional Christmas Day Communion Service (Cockayne Hatley)

10:30am: Christmas Day Communion Service (Sutton) †

10:30am: Christmas Day Family Service (Potton) †

Christmas Day Meal

St. Marys Church Hall 12 noon onwards.

For people who don't wish to eat Christmas dinner on their own. A Christmas dinner, pudding and company will all be provided. There is also an option of tea and cake in the afternoon for anyone who wants to drop in.

There will be no charge, but donations are welcome.

Tickets available from Camerons Newsagents.

After The Big Day !

28th December: First Sunday of Christmas

9am: Morning Worship (Sutton)

10.30am: Choral Communion Service (Potton)

4th January: Epiphany: The Coming of the Wisemen

9am: Holy Communion Service (Sutton)

10.30am: Holy Communion Service (Potton)

For any further information about these services and events please contact

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Your local team of parish churches wish you:

**a Blessed Advent,
a Merry Christmas
& a Wonderful Epiphany**



‘The Word Became Flesh and Dwelt Among Us’

(John 1:14)

Christmas means different things to different people. For some it's family time, for others a helpful break from the gloom of winter. For all those associated with churches it's about God becoming a human being, but in a world of terrible things:

What difference does that make to the world?

Why should it make any difference to us individually?

Is it relevant at all?

Particularly through our Christmas Night and Christmas Day services we will explore these questions, but there is always more to wonder and discuss! Perhaps then, if you are curious, you might like to join us in the New Year at our Start! Course, where we will talk about the big questions of life. The course will begin on 7th January and continue on the following five Wednesdays. We will meet at 7:00pm in Sutton Village Hall (1A High Street, Sutton, Bedfordshire, SG19 2NE) for a meal, before starting at 7:30pm. If you are interested in making a ‘start’ on these and other questions then please get in contact with us. We'd love to see you there.

