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December 2025 - January 2026

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https://www.walsham-le-willows.org/annual-events/epiphany-singers

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A MESSAGE OF JOY AND HOPE

As we look ahead to Christmas, it's hard to believe how quickly the year has slipped away. The seasons have turned, the months have passed, and we now find ourselves on the doorstep of another festive season, perhaps wondering where the time has gone. In a year that has moved so swiftly, it becomes all the more important to seek and savour those small yet meaningful moments of happiness that bring light to our lives.

At the heart of the Christmas story is a powerful message of joy declared by the angels on a quiet night to shepherds keeping watch over their flocks: "Do not be afraid. I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people." It was joy that broke into the ordinary, transforming cold fields and humble lives with the wonder of God's love made flesh. That same joy is offered to us today: a joy that is not dependent on circumstance, but rooted in the truth that Christ is with us, our Emmanuel.

In the familiar hustle of December filled with gift-wrapping, planning, cooking, and gathering there is a quiet invitation to rediscover joy in the simple things. A candle's warm glow, the taste of a mince pie, a shared moment of laughter, or the peace of a still winter's night. These small blessings draw us closer to one another and to God.

Within the Hexagon, you'll find details of all our Christmas services across the benefice, from Christingles to Carols and our beloved Crib Service on Christmas Eve where this year you are invited to come dressed as shepherds or angels as we retell the Nativity story together. Everyone is warmly invited to any or all of our services. Whether you're visiting family, reconnecting with friends, or seeking peace after a long year, we hope you'll join us. Our churches will be filled with familiar carols, glowing candles, warm drinks, and of course mince pies!

As we turn the page into 2026, we also look forward to celebrating Epiphany the revelation of Christ to the world. On **Saturday 10th January**, St Mary's Walsham will host the much-loved **Epiphany Singers Concert**, followed by a special **Eucharist on Sunday 11th January at 11am**.

This treasured tradition brings our community together in song, worship, and shared joy as we begin the new year in praise.

May the joy proclaimed by the angels guide your steps this Christmas and into the year ahead and may you be blessed with many moments of joy this festive season.

Wishing you all a joyful Christmas and a blessed New Year.

Revd Catriona

FROM THE REGISTERS

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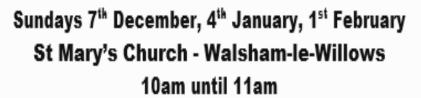
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Please send your articles, jokes, fundraising event reports, puzzles, recipes and Church announcements for inclusion in this magazine to the Editor: Debbie on 01359 259686 or debbielicata33@gmail.com

COPY DEADLINE Last date for items for inclusion in the next issue is Friday **9th January 2026**

The Hexagon is delivered to nearly 1800 households in the villages of Badwell Ash, Finningham, Langham, Wattisfield, Walsham le Willows and Westhorpe.

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The Hexagon provides valuable communication between the parishes, the profits of which cover benefice expenses. Rev'd Catriona Brinkley has temporarily taken on this task until the position is filled.

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GRATEFUL THANKS

Judith Harlow has been organising the Advertising for the Hexagon magazine for the past 10 years, but has now decided to stand down

We are extremely grateful to Judith for all her hard work which has ensured the Hexagon's publication has continued seamlessly during the tenure of several Rectors and COVID. Thus raising much need funds for the Benefice.

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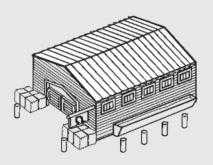


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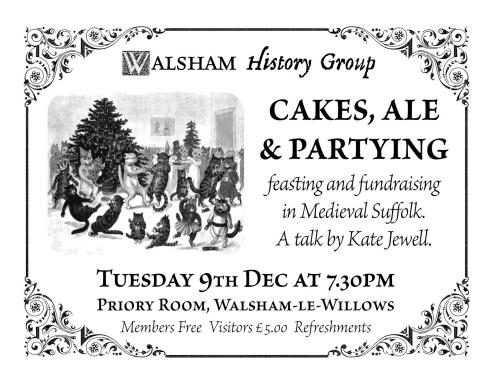
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When you're online shopping, it's not always clear whom to contact if things go wrong. As a customer your contract is with the seller that you bought the item from. It's the seller's responsibility to make sure the item is delivered to you. They should chase the courier to find out what happened to your order if there's a problem.

If your parcel hasn't arrived:

- *Check the delivery address you gave the seller, to make sure it's correct.
- *Then contact the seller and ask where your order is.
- *If the seller claims they've delivered it or doesn't know where it is, you can ask for a redelivery. You might be able to get a refund in some circumstances where the delivery time was essential, and you let the seller know ahead of time.

Under the Consumer Rights Act 2015, you can ask the seller to deliver the item to you again if the item wasn't delivered either by an agreed date, or within a reasonable time - usually within 30 days. If the new delivery fails to come within a reasonable time, you can ask the seller for a refund.

Another problem people face is when parcels get left in different places, for example outside or with a neighbour.

If your item was delivered by Royal Mail:

- *And they left your package with a neighbour or in a certain place because you told them to, it's not the seller or Royal Mail's responsibility if it gets lost.
- *If they leave it somewhere you hadn't instructed, it's the seller's responsibility if it gets lost. You should contact the seller to ask for a redelivery or a refund.

If the item was delivered by a courier:

*Check your terms and conditions or account details - they might include other places for delivery, like your porch or a neighbour's house. If you agreed to them, it's not the seller's or courier's responsibility if your order has gone missing. However, if you did not agree to this, then it's the seller's responsibility if your order goes missing.

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You will be able to hang them on the Christmas Memory Tree which will be located in the Chancel.

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Reverend Catriona & Cheryl Bartholomew

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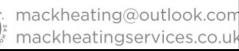
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November: The Life of Leonard Cheshire VC.

Members were delighted to welcome back Barbara McElroy to talk about Leonard Cheshire, husband of Sue Ryder (the subject of last year's talk). He graduated from Oxford in 1939 and went straight into the RAF. After surviving an incredible 4 tours of duty (100 missions) and receiving multiple decorations including the VC, he was chosen as one of the Observers on the plane that dropped the atomic bomb on Nagasaki.

When the war ended, he wanted to spend the rest of his life focusing on peace, he converted to Catholicism and set up a residential home for ex -servicemen. The first home was in a dilapidated rambling house where everyone was expected to pitch in and help. By the time he died in 1992 he had set up 270 homes in 23 countries.

Next Meetings:

10th December 7.30pm Priory Room Talk on Bell Ringing - Neal Dodge, Suffolk Guild of Ringers

> 14th January 7pm for 7.30pm Priory Room. Birthday Party

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ART CLUB Monday (fortnightly) 2:00-4:30pm.

Contact: Paul Weston. Tel: 07860 376592. paulwestonarchitect@gmail.com

LINE DANCING Monday (weekly) 12.45-1.45pm

Contact: alisonweston25@hotmail.com Tel: 07972 415205

CARPET BOWLS Monday 7.30-9.00pm

Contact: Jeff Moore Tel: 07850 716968 jeffmoore297@hotmail.com

John Gladders 01449 780365 dijongladders@gmail.com

CRAFT CLUB Tuesday (fortnightly) 10:00am-12:00

Contact: Lynda Cotgrove. Tel: 01449 780142 / Rosemary Mees. Tel: 01449

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NOTES FROM THE GARDEN

Hello again.

December is sometimes called the limbo month of the gardening year, do not be fooled! Underground bulbs are striving to get up and go, check pots as some may have rotted, if so remove them. This is a great time to move dormant shrubs that you think are in the wrong spot, also the same can be done with perennial's, towards the end of December.

January is a good time to plant bare root rose plants, if the soil is not too wet or frozen. Now is the time to prune your fruit trees such as apple, pear .plum and cherry. Cut out branches that are crossing and rubbing each other, reduce height to enable easy picking also prune out some in the middle to let in more light. Climbing roses can also be cut back to stop them becoming straggly. Fortune favours the brave, so if your garden is still workable sow a few left over seeds, such as carrot, Swiss chard, and spinach beet. Although they will take longer to germinate and lay dormant, when the warmer weather arrives hopefully you will have a head starting the spring.

January is now the time to sow your chilies and aubergines. Sow in a fine compost either in a heated propagator, if you have one a 24hr LED propagator giving you the light which is required to help germination. If not then place on a warm windowsill in a covered seed tray. These methods can also be used for herbs and green leaf plants such as spinach, rocket and lettuce. By the time they are ready to pot on the weather should be warmer.

On the allotment continue to dig over your plots putting in compost as you do so, this will warm you up on a sunny winters day. The poly tunnel is providing a welcome assistant in winter months, kale, spinach, lettuce and Swiss chard and left over leeks are still going well. If a cold spell is forecast cover plants with a garden fleece to help protect them. Look around your garden and allotment, you will always find something to do to help in next year's harvest.

In-between these two months we have Christmas, time to relax and enjoy the produce you have grown. Pickled onions, home-made chutney, roasted beetroot, fresh leeks and kale, will complement your Christmas dinner. Put your feet up and browse through your seed catalogues, last year's diary planning and plotting in your new year's diary for the year ahead making notes of your progress and wondering what the new season will bring.

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To finish 100g white chocolate, edible silver balls

METHOD

- 1. Heat the sugar, golden syrup and butter until melted. Mix the spices and flour in a large bowl. Dissolve the bicarbonate of soda in 1 tsp cold water. Make a well in the centre of the dry ingredients, add the melted sugar mix, egg and bicarbonate of soda. Mix well. At this stage the mix will be soft but will firm up on cooling.
- 2. Cover the surface of the biscuit mix with wrapping and leave to cool, then put in the fridge for at least 1 hr to become firm enough to roll out.
- 3. Heat oven to 190C/170C fan/gas 5. Turn the dough out onto a lightly floured surface and knead briefly. Cut the dough in half. Thinly roll out one half on a lightly floured surface. Cut into shapes with cutters, such as stars, trees and gingerbread men, then transfer to baking sheets, leaving a little room for them to spread. If you plan to hang the biscuits up, make a small hole in the top of each one using a skewer. Repeat with remaining dough.
- 4. Bake for 8-10 mins until they darken slightly. If the holes you have made have closed up, remake them while the biscuits are warm and soft using a skewer. Cool for a few mins on the baking sheets, then transfer to a wire rack to cool and harden up completely.
- 5. Break up the chocolate and melt in the microwave on medium for 1-2 mins, or in a small heatproof bowl over simmering water. Drizzle the chocolate over the biscuits, or pipe on shapes or names, then stick a few silver balls into the chocolate. If hung up on the tree, the biscuits will be edible for about a week, but will last a lot longer as decorations.



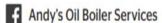


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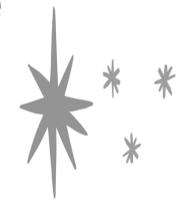
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Winter Safety Tip

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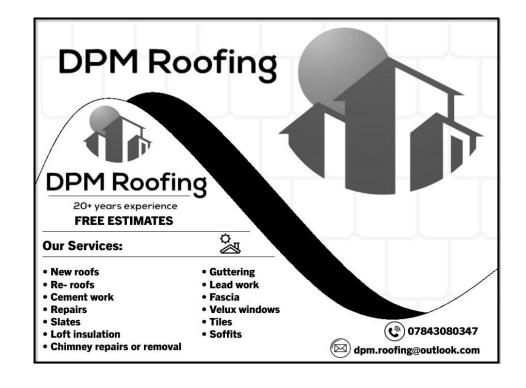
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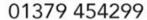
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10.00am	Roots and Shoots	Walsham-le-Willows
11.00am	Family Service	Walsham-le-Willows
3.00pm	Carol Service	Wattisfield
14 th December	3 rd Sunday of Advent	
8.00am	BCP Holy Communion	Walsham-le-Willows
9.30am	Holy Communion	Badwell Ash
2.00pm	Carol Service	Langham
3:30pm	Christingle Service	Finningham
17 th December		
2.00pm	School Christmas Service	Walsham-le-Willows
18 th December		
6.00pm	Carol Service	Westhorpe
21 st December	4 th Sunday of Advent	
8.00am	BCP Holy Communion	Walsham-le-Willows
9.30am	Holy Communion	Westhorpe
4.00pm	Nine Lessons & Carols	Walsham-le-Willows
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24 th December	Christmas Eve	
3.00pm	Crib Service	Walsham-le-Willows
5.00pm	Carol Service	Badwell Ash
11:15pm	Midnight Mass Walsham-le-Willows	

Benefice Services December - January

25 th December	Christmas Day	
9:30am	Christmas Communion	Finningham
11.00am	Christmas Communion	Walsham-le-Willows
28 th December	1st Sunday of Christmas	
8.00am	BCP Holy Communion	Walsham-le-Willows
4 th January	2 nd Sunday of Christmas	
8.00am	BCP Holy Communion	Walsham-le-Willows
9.30am	Holy Communion	Finningham
10.00am	Roots and Shoots	Walsham-le-Willows
10 th January		
7:30pm	Epiphany Singers Concert	Walsham-le-Willows
11 th January	1st Sunday of Epiphany	
11.00am	Epiphany Eucharist	Walsham-le-Willows
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18 th January	2 nd Sunday of Epiphany	
8.00am	BCP Holy Communion	Walsham-le-Willows
9.30am	Holy Communion	Westhorpe
11.00am	Joint Holy Communion with URC to reaffirm our covenant together	Wattisfield URC Chapel



Benefice Services January - February

25 th January	3 rd Sunday of Epiphany		
8.00am	BCP Holy Communion Walsham-le-Willow		
9.30am	Holy Communion Badwell Ash		
3.00pm	Evensong Westhorpe		
1 st February	4 th Sunday of Epiphany		
8.00am	BCP Holy Communion Walsham-le-Willow		
11.00am	Candlemass Communion Walsham-le-Willows		



Wattisfield URC Services

Date	Time	Service details
December 7 th	11am	Holy Communion
14 th	11am	Morning worship
21 st	11am	Chapel carol service with your favourite carols, mince pies and mulled wine
25 th	10am	Christmas Day family service
28 th	10.45am	Visit to Diss URC – no service at Wattisfield
January 4 th	11am	Morning worship
11 th	11am	Morning worship
18 th	11am	United service of Reaffirmation and Holy Communion with St Margaret's
25 th	11am	Morning worship
February 1st	11am	Holy Communion

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