

**25th November 2018 – Sunday before Advent**  
**Christ the King**

Welcome!

Place	This Week	Next Week
All Saints <b>Newland</b>	No Service	No Service
All Saints <b>Staunton</b>	9.30am Eucharist SB	4pm Evening prayer DH
St J's @ St MM Coleford	No Service 9.30am Word AH/EB @ Church on the Street	9.30am Eucharist SB
Good Shepherd B'well	11am Eucharist AW	11am Word DH
St Peter's Clearwell	11am Word DH	11am Eucharist AW
St Saviour's Redbrook	4pm Eucharist SB/MB	No Service

**Readings**

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Daniel 7.9-10,13,14	860	Jeremiah 33.14-16	765
Psalms 93	578	Psalms 25.1-9	532
Revelation 1.4b-8	265	1 Thessalonians 3.9-13	216
John 18.33-37	121	Luke 21.25-36	91

**Prayers:** In your prayers this week, please pray for: Jean Samuel, Doreen Beard, Cedric Morgan.

**For the sick, anxious and housebound:**

Please let Alan or Alison know names of anyone who would be happy to be added to the list. Names on this list will be removed after four appearances unless someone asks for them to remain listed. Do please let Alan or Alison know of any prayers answered, or any changes to the lists that might be needed. Thank you.



**For those who mourn** Especially the family and friends of Diane Raymond, Patrick Lamb & Mike Austin who have recently died and the family and friends of those whose anniversary of death falls around this time.

**Collect for today:**

Eternal Father, whose Son Jesus Christ ascended to the throne of heaven that he might rule over all things as Lord and King: keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit and in the bond of peace, and bring the whole created order to worship at his feet; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**  
(Or)

God the Father, help us to hear the call of Christ the King and to follow in his service, whose kingdom has no end; for he reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, one glory. **Amen.**

**Post Communion:**

Stir up, O Lord, the wills of your faithful people; that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works, may by you be plenteously rewarded; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**News and notices...**

**Food Bank:** The food bank is running very low on stock. Remember you can donate items here at Church on the Street. All types of food are needed especially Christmas goodies that we all take for granted but unfortunately a lot of people cannot afford to buy. If at all possible donations of Christmas things need to be here by the end of the second week of December latest to enable the food bank to distribute them.

**Salvation Army Christmas appeal:** The Salvation Army are having their usual Christmas Appeal for New toys to make sure that all children in the area receive a present on Christmas morning. There is much more demand on them for help this year due to the rolling out of Universal Credit so please consider donating a present for a child for Christmas. The only stipulation is that the toy/game is **New & unwrapped** so they can match toy to the child. Donations can be made at Church on the Street and I will ensure that they get up to the Salvation Army in plenty of time for Christmas.

**Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> December** – Faddle Fair and Switching on of the Coleford Christmas lights. We will be having a 'Stir up' at Church on the Street with mince pies and hot drinks and craft tables. All money raised will go to the food bank. Please pop in and say hello, stir the Christmas pudding and write your prayer or wish to go on our 'tree'!

**Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> December** – 6pm at All Saints, Newland; Ale, mulled wine and carols around the tree. All welcome!

**Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> December** – Mustard Tree Christmas production – Galactic Birth @ St John's Academy. All welcome.

**Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> December** @ 2.30pm Carol Service at the Community Centre, Tuffthorn - all are welcome.

**Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December** @ 5pm Community Carol Singing at the Clock Tower. All Welcome – the more the merrier!

**Birthdays:** For everyone with a Birthday this week Many Happy Returns and may God bless you this week, and in the year to come!

**Banns:** SPC Katy Ankers & Max Roberts. Second time of reading

**GSB:** Natasha Williams and Mark Joachim. Third time of reading

**This week's regular meetings:**

Mon 26<sup>th</sup> 10.30am EMEP meet at Church on the Street

2.30pm Memory Café @ Church on the Street

Tues 27<sup>th</sup> 8.15am Morning Prayer today @ All Saints Newland.

Weds 28<sup>th</sup> 8.30am @ Good Shepherd, Broadwell. Morning Prayer.

7pm PCC meet @ The Good Shepherd, Broadwell

Thurs 29<sup>th</sup> 11.30am @ All Saints Newland. Funeral of Diane Raymond

Fri 30<sup>th</sup> 3.30pm @ FODC. Funeral of Patrick Lamb

**Future Dates for your diaries:**

**Christmas service** times across the parish can be found in the magazine this month and also in your churches.

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