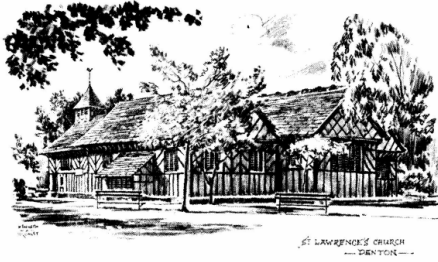


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Sunday 13th December 2020

Christmas Events and Services during December 2020

Dear Friends,

By the time you are read this, it will be two weeks since the end of the second lockdown. It has been good to hear news of you, to know that most are joining in our online worship and we are now becoming even more connected on facebook. It is not all bad and most of us have much to be thankful for. As a community of God's people, we are called to keep on praying for each other, praying for the future of our church and praying for the world. We need the power of prayer in our lives, in our church and in the world perhaps more than even before.

Find below, the details for December Services at St Lawrence's

- Sunday 20th December @ 9:45am: **Toy Service** (please bring new toys unwrapped). The church warden, Matt Castle, will be in church on Saturday 19th for a couple of hours between 11:00am to 1:00pm if people want to drop anything off. He is also happy to collect any donations if required. All donations will go to Linden Road & Wellspring.
- Sunday 20th December @ 18:30pm: **Online Carols service with Compassion**
- Tuesday 22nd December @ 18:30pm: **Christingle Service**. This will be an online service with Children Society
- Thursday 24th December :
 - No service in the evening at St Lawrence's
 - **Christmas Eve service @ St Anne's at 8:00pm**
- Friday 25th December:
 - **Christmas Day**: Service as usual in St Lawrence's church at 9:45am.
- Sunday 27th December @ 9:45 am: **Holy Communion** (Feast of John, Apostle & Evangelist)

My loving thoughts & prayers remain with you all through these dark and difficult times. May the presence and power of God be very real to you in the places where you are in this Advent. And may the promise of God that he is making everything new through Christmas, be an inspiration to you all.

With love & good wishes to you all,

Rev Jules MAMBU

- More information about these and any other services can be obtained from Rev Jules MAMBU—01613204895, Matt Castle—07966381670 or from our website www.stlawrencedenton.org.uk and St Lawrence facebook.
- I will also suggest that people supply their email address. In the future we can directly email any correspondence to you, that will reduce the number of items to deliver by hand. Thank you.