



"where the river flows everything will live"

Weekly Parish Briefing Sunday 5 December 2021

PARISH OF TIDENHAM SERVICES

Sunday 5 December 2021 – ADVENT 2

9.30am St Mary & St Peter's, Tidenham, Holy Communion

11am St Luke's, Tutshill, Morning Worship INSIDE the building with SPLASH in St Luke's Room

4.00pm St Michael & All Angels', Tidenham Chase. Final Evensong before Christmas.

ST BRIAVELS AND HEWELSFIELD SERVICES

8.30am St Briavels, BCP Holy Communion

9.30am St Briavels, Holy Eucharist

11.00am Hewelsfield, No morning service. Nativity weekend.



Online Provision - <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCkRjOlVDBT9M9usfhp2722w>

Bible Readings: Malachi 3:1-4 and Luke 3:1-6

The Collect: Almighty God, purify our hearts and minds, that when your Son Jesus Christ comes again as judge and saviour we may be ready to receive him, who is our Lord and our God. Amen.

Post Communion Prayer: Father in heaven, who sent your Son to redeem the world and will send him again to be our judge: give us grace so to imitate him in the humility and purity of his first coming that, when he comes again, we may be ready to greet him with joyful love and firm faith; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Weekly Holy Communion: Wednesday 8 December, 12.00 Noon, St Luke's, Tutshill.

Weekly Morning Prayer

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| Mondays | 9.30am | St Mary & St Peter's, Tidenham (except Bank Holidays) |
| Tuesdays | 9.00am | St Mary's Priory, Chepstow (Churches Together) |
| Wednesdays | 9.15am | Contemplative Prayer, St Luke's (note the change back to Wed) |
| Thursdays | 9.00am | St Briavels |

Evening Prayer

Tuesdays 5.00pm Sedbury Space

Prayer for Children, Families and Youth Ministry

Starting; 9.15am-10am alternate Mondays at Julia's, Esnadene, Sedbury Lane, Tutshill. All welcome.

Life Group Meetings Weekly – please contact relevant people if you'd like to join in

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| Sunday | 7.30pm | Life Group for Men! Online - James Parsons - James.darsie@gmail.com |
| Monday | 2-3.30pm | Bible Study at Sedbury Space – Nicki nicki1002@hotmail.co.uk |
| Monday | 7.30pm | New Life Group - Vicar David - dtrevd@aol.com (restart after Christmas) |
| Tuesday | 1.00pm | Life Group - Julia Parsons, venue varies - juliaparsons727@gmail.com |
| Wednesday | 10.15am | Food for Thought Life Group, Café on the Hill - Vicar David - dtrevd@aol.com |
| Wednesday | 7.30pm | Life Group - Fiona 624868 or Wendy 623642 for venue & topic |
| Thursday | 1.30pm | Life Group - Tanya White - tanya.rockymead@gmail.com |

New Baby & Parent Support Group Weekly - St Luke's, Tutshill, every Tuesday morning 9.15am-10.45am. To attend phone or text Emma Durbin on 07369 226546 or via Facebook; <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1130508917404741>

Sedbury Stay and Play in Sedbury Village Hall on Wednesday at 9.15am-10.30am. To book a place or send a message via facebook; <https://www.facebook.com/SedStayandPlay> or contact Emma

Youth Church Group (11-16yrs) meet in St Luke's most Sundays 5-6pm. Contact Ethan tidenhamyouth@gmail.com

Parish News and Information

NEW Administrative Assistant. Annabelle Stephens started her time with us as the new Parish Administrative Assistant on Wednesday 1 December. We welcome Annabelle and pray for her as she joins us. tidenhamadmin@btinternet.com

NEW Bereavement Support Group. Began last week. An opportunity to meet and talk with others over coffee. Contact Nicki 07936 787409 or Susan 07522 178639.

Ladies Pudding and Quiz evening at St Luke's on Thurs 9 Dec. 7pm- 9pm. Bring yourself or a team. Please book in for this evening. Contact Emma for more information or to book emmad.cyfm@gmail.com

The CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL at St Mary & St Peter, Tidenham will open with a concert of Christmas songs with Alison Wray, Roger Martin and Marjorie Duerden and fun readings, 7.30pm, Friday December 17th. Admission free with donations to the Friends welcome but tickets should be obtained in advance to monitor numbers and for refreshments. Contact Brian & Marjorie Duerden, 01291 623310, bduerden@doctors.org.uk

Christingle Making Morning - Thursday 9th Dec, 11am at St Lukes, with soup and bread. Volunteers welcome, please contact Emma or Fiona for more details.

Christmas Services. *Check website for further details* www.tidenhamparishchurch.co.uk

Sun 12 Dec @ 4.30pm: Christingle, St Luke's, Tutshill followed by refreshments.

Sun 19 Dec @ 3pm: 9 Lessons & Carols, Tidenham Church followed by refreshments

Christmas Eve

24 Dec @ 3.30pm. Bobble hats & lanterns Christmas Eve Nativity outside St Luke's on the school field. Feel free to come dressed as party of the Nativity! If the weather is poor we will move inside the church.

24 Dec @ 9pm. Midnight Mass at St Luke's, Tutshill

24 Dec @ 11.15pm. Midnight Mass at Tidenham Church

Christmas Day

25 Dec @ 9am. BCP Communion at Tidenham Chase

25 Dec @ 10am. Worship at St Luke's, Tutshill

Boxing Day Sunday 26 Dec @ 10.30am. Simple Holy Communion with Carols at St Luke's, Tutshill!

Sun 2 January @ 9.30am Holy Communion at Tidenham. 11am Family Communion at Tutshill

What's on at Sedbury Space

One Stop Café – every Tuesday, 10.00am-Midday. Please come along for a cuppa and a chat

Shared Reading Group – last Wed in the month, 2-3.30pm. Please contact Polly - 07724 738848. Refreshments provided.

'The News' from the Diocese of Gloucester - <https://www.gloucester.anglican.org/news-events/>

Financial Support. We invite members to give regularly and electronically if possible. A big thank you to all of you who give to the Lord's work here in this place. These are the giving options -

Bank Account - Tidenham Parochial Church Sort Code 30-91-89 Account Number 00304754

Standing Order & Gift Aid Forms available to download from Website <https://www.tidenhamparishchurch.co.uk/giving/>

Parish Treasurer - John Dempsey, tidenhamtreasurer@gmail.com

TIDENHAM PARISH ONLINE LINKS AND CONTACTS

Parish Website: www.tidenhamparishchurch.co.uk

St Briavels & Hewelsfield website: www.stbandhchurches.org.uk

Facebook Group: all welcome to join this private group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/114300818701466/>

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