



Sunday 3rd December

Activities and Services

Sundays 10:15

Crèche, junior church, SIGNS

Mondays 1:30

Sunbeams: Parent/Carer baby & toddlers club

Tuesdays 1:45

Keep Fit in the hall

Wednesdays 2:30

Women's Guild

3rd Wednesday 09:30

Quiet Service of Prayer

3rd Wednesday 1:45

Holy Communion in lounge

3rd Friday, mornings

Communion at Homeridge house

Last Wednesday 7:30 til 9pm

Worship on Wednesday

2nd Sunday 4:30-6:00

Youth Service, tea and games

Prayer Circle: ring 303863 for requests

St Martins Church

Longridge Avenue, Saltdean, Brighton
Minister: Rev Graeme T Allan BD.



In the name of Jesus we welcome all who come and share with us today our service of prayer, praise and thanksgiving. We invite visitors to sign the visitors book in the porch.

Advent Services

Sunday 3rd December

10:15 Family Service

Led by: Bob Jackson

Sunday 10th December

10:15 Communion Service

Led by: Rev. Graeme Allan

4:30 Youth Service

Sunday 17th December

10:15 Family Festive Service & Junior Church Christmas Play

Led by: Maureen Lawrence

4:30pm Carols by Candlelight

Followed by mulled wine & mince pies

Wednesday 20th December

6.00pm Children's Christmas Celebration

Our Christmas play: 'What is Christmas?'

Sunday 24th December

10:15 Family Christmas Service

Led by: Rev. Graeme Allan

4:30pm Children's Crib Service

Including puppets, magic and singing

11:30 Midnight Communion Service

Monday 25th December

10:15 Christmas Day Celebration

Led by Rev. Graeme Allan

MUSIC GROUP

Carol Singing! We are going out into the community of Saltdean on **Sat. 9th December** 11-noon for some carol singing and so bless the natives! We will give out church Christmas cards and sing traditional carols in Longridge Avenue (outside the doctors surgery, which will be closed...). If you feel keen to join us, please just turn up! By all means wear something distinctively Christmassy, you know, reindeer antlers, Santa hats, angel wings and things! Please let Andy know if you are up for it!

Singers and musicians. We have a very busy season ahead! Please can we get together to practice after church, around the *clavina*, **today** and 10th and 17th December? Let's start promptly (at 11.30am, service length permitting) and so get away before

Sunday dinner is ruined. If you are not sure if you are a "singer or musician", please see Andy asap.

Carol Singing: Sunday 10th December at Homeridge House and Arundel Park Lodge followed by a buffet tea. Please can everyone meet outside Homeridge house at 2:30pm. For more information please see Jenny.



Quarterly Church meeting Sunday 10th December after morning worship at approx 11:50am including refreshments. Agendas are available at the back of the hall.

Dates for Diary: Sunday 31st December (5th Sunday) will be a joint service with Lewes Road URC starting at 11am at St Martins, including Holy Communion.

Porch Duty. The Pastoral team are looking for 1 more person to help with the Sunday porch duties. Each duty will be on a 1 week in 10 rotation with another member (only 5 times per year). If you would like to join the team and can help fill the vacancy please speak to Katherine or Sheila L.

Other Services

Wed. 13th December 09.30am Quiet Service of prayer. 1.45 Holy Communion in the lounge

Monday 18th—Weds 20th December: The Christmas Labyrinth, 7pm at Lewes Road URC.

Community News

Smugglers night Saturday 2nd December at Rottingdean High Street. Late night shopping 4pm to 8.30pm. Fireworks display 7:45.

December 12th Saltdean and District Choir Christmas Concert at the Community Centre. Doors open at 9:30pm for 10am start. Tickets £2.50, available on the door, includes refreshments.

