

		Church Family
Sun 24	<b>Christmas Eve</b> All our Christmas services – that we make an extra effort to ensure that those who are not regular members of our congregations feel welcome and included.	Gemma and Adam Bourne and Archie SP
Mon 25	<b>Christmas Day</b> Rejoice with Christians everywhere in the world at the good news of Christ's birth. Remember those who will be alone today.	Leigh and Clive Boyle AS
Tue 26	<b>Boxing Day</b> That those children who are receiving our Shoeboxes will have felt remembered and loved this Christmas – and have fun!	Abigail Boyle Kirsty Boyle AS
Wed 27	Our Mission Partners: Steph Cox, Cherith Withington, Sarah and Simon Cawdell and St Michael's Church, Sheerwater.	Betty Brobbey Mensah Janelle, Manuela & Nana-Kwaku SP
Thu 28	Our Ministry Team – Jonathan, Lucy and Rachel as they look forward to working together in the New Year.	Enid Brown SM
Fri 29	Woking Street Angels as they give assistance to those in need in Woking Town Centre on Friday and Saturday nights.	Lucy and Dave Bush Lydia and Dominic
Sat 30	For those who are housebound or have difficulty getting out to do their shopping.	Jenny Carter SP
Sun 31	<b>New Year's Eve</b> That we may look back over the year with thankfulness to God for all he has given us individually and as a church	Pam Chantry SP

### Morning Prayer

All days are on Zoom except Thursdays when we usually meet in person at St Peter's Church.

To join Morning Prayer on Zoom enter Meeting ID: 498 905 544  
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Please note: No morning prayer from 25 Dec to 1 Jan inclusive.



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## PARISH PRAYER DIARY

### December 2023

Loving Jesus,  
You were born in a stable  
but worshipped by the angels.  
Be with all who are lonely, and  
with all who feel distant from  
celebrations.  
Be for us a living hope  
that lightens our hearts.      Amen.



SHINING OUT  
GUIDING IN  
WELCOMING HOME

		Church Family
Fri 1	The Guide Dogs Association, their Carol Service is at St Peter's this evening. All who have problems with their sight.	Grahame Wall SP
Sat 2	Our Borough Councillors: Andy Caulfield, Will Forster and Louise Morales hoping that the Council will have a brighter New Year.	Bernadette and Martin Whipp SP
Sun 3	The residents and staff of Kingsleigh. All those suffering from dementia and those who care for them.	Robin Whitcomb SP
Mon 4	For all those bereaved, wounded or affected in any way by the escalation of the Israel-Palestine conflict. We pray for those in leadership in Gaza and Israel.	Carol and Brian Whitehorn SP
Tue 5	Single parents, that they will receive the support, skills and energy they need to be confident parents.	Pauline and David Wilde SP
Wed 6	Hoe Valley School, its students, teaching and other staff, governors and parents	Mary and Geoff Williams SP
Thu 7	For those who are housebound or have difficulty getting out to do their shopping.	Pam and John Withrington SP
Fri 8	That the children taking part in Nativity Plays at our churches and in their schools will enjoy learning something more about the real meaning of Christmas.	Maria and Julian Withrington Alexander and Nicholas SP
Sat 9	The London City Mission and <i>Crisis at Christmas</i> – their outreach to Londoners in all kinds of situations.	Christine and Christian Wolters SP
Sun 10	That none of us will be so pre-occupied with the practicalities that we neglect our own spiritual preparations for Christmas.	Elizabeth Abbott SP
Mon 11	All those who care for others, that they are able to set aside some time each day for themselves.	Trevor Aldridge Valerie Aldridge SP

		Church Family
Tue 12	All those for whom the Christmas season brings added stress and strain especially working parents, balancing the pressures of work and home.	Sue and David Anderson Charlie and Ollie AS
Wed 13	The staff and residents of Hale End Court; that they will enjoy the carol singing today.	Kirsty Angus and Mary SP
Thu 14	Those living in Ukraine and other countries where there is fighting, terrorism and unrest.	Robert Angus SP
Fri 15	Those who work for the Emergency Services – Police, Fire, Ambulance.	Wendy Aplin SP
Sat 16	Those who use their gifts to enhance our worship – our musicians and singers, our bell ringers and flower arrangers – especially as they prepare for Christmas.	Shirley Atkins SM
Sun 17	Carols by Candlelight at St Peter's – that it will attract many who do not normally come to church.	Eric Atkinson SM
Mon 18	Jonathan as he leads the Carol Service for the residents of Mayford Grange.	Mary Baker AS
Tue 19	The safety of all those who will be travelling to visit friends and family over the Christmas holiday.	Janet Barrett Mark Barrett SM
Wed 20	Those who have had to flee from their homelands and who will find celebrating Christmas in a strange country somewhat of a challenge	Sean Beresford SM
Thu 21	Families across the parish who find it difficult to spend more time than usual together.	Eileen and Peter Bliss SM
Fri 22	The Outdoor Carol Service at St Mark's this evening. That many will be attracted to join the congregation.	Marie Blomfield, Charlie, Riley and Evie SP
Sat 23	Our Churchwardens Mark Lemprière and Pauline Wilde. Rosemary McCrum, Deputy Warden at St Mark's.	Rosemary Booth SP