## Notices from across the Benefice

Any items for next week's sheet to Antonia Allum, vestry.ubwby@gmail.com by Wednesday please.

# **Children Society Collection Boxes**

We will be emptying & counting children society boxes at the beginning of February, so please could anyone with a box return it to St Oswald's by the end of January. (Please give to me or a church warden etc. to be put in the safe.) If you have a problem, please ring me on 01524 419252 and I will arrange to pick it up. Many thanks, Janet Mann

# **Archdeacon visiting**

Archdeacon David Picken will be taking Midnight Eucharist on the 24th. (Apologies for the mistake last week!)

# **Christmas Day Service**

There will be one service in the Benefice on Christmas Day at 9.30am at St Mary's, Borwick.

# St John's Yealand, Patronal Festival

There will only be one service in the Benefice on 29<sup>th</sup> December. St John's Yealand, Patronal Festival will take place at 10.30am.

## Successful Carol Concert at St Oswald's

There were around 150 members of the community at the 9 lessons and carols on the 17<sup>th</sup> Dec! Many thanks to Annette for leading the service.

# Please remember in your prayers...

**Those who are sick or in particular need:** Sarah Pilkington, Leah Towers, Henry Ellams, Richard Atkins, Frances Casson, Trudie Harrison, Spencer Hoggarth, Jean Thomas.

Those with longer term needs or in residential care: Phyllis Hargreaves, Winifred Halliday, Sheila Barnes, Lesley Keighley, Doris Kirk, Zandra Taylor, Audrey Fishwick, Valerie Spicer, and those who are housebound.

**The recently departed:** Carolyn Wolstenholme **At their anniversary**: Gwen Gartside, Myles Bateman,
Christine Graham, Margaret Shaw, Doreen Keen.

# SUNDAY 22nd December Fourth Sunday of Advent

8.00 a.m. Eucharist at St Oswald's 9.30 a.m. Parish Eucharist at St Oswald's 11.00 a.m. Parish Eucharist at St John's

# This Week — Praying Together

Church of England Daily Prayer – text and audio – can be accessed or downloaded at

https://www.churchofengland.org/prayer-andworship/join-us-service-daily-prayer

### Mon 23rd

Mal. 3.1-4;4.5-end, Psalm 25.3-9, Luke 1.57-66 Tues 24th

2 Sam. 7.1-5,8-11,16, Psalm 89.2,19-27, Luke 1.67-79 5.00pm Crib service at St John's

11.30pm Midnight Eucharist at St Oswald's

#### Wed 25th

Isa. 52.7-10, Psalm 98, John 1.1-14 9.30am Eucharist St Mary's

### Thurs 26th

2Chron. 24.20-22, Psalm 119.161-168, Matt. 10.17-22

## Fri 27th

Exod. 33.7-11a, Psalm 117, John 21.19-end

## Sat 28th

Jer. 31.15-17, Psalm 124, Matt.2.13-18

# SUNDAY 29th DECEMBER FIRST SUNDAY OF CHRISTMAS

# JOHN, APOSTLE AND EVANGELIST

10.30 a.m. Patronal Festival at St John's

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