

Sunday 26th November 2023

The Sunday Service

Speaker: Andrew Marfleet

Worship Leader: Ian Battiste

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Tea & Cake – NO TEA & CAKE IN DECEMBER

Pastoral Care Team Meeting
Next Meeting **Mon 15th January 2024**

Church Meeting - Our next meeting will be on **Tuesday 16th January @ 7.30pm**

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17th December – Nativity Service
24th Dec – Carols by Candlelight

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Computer monitor, keybosrd etc.
Haberdashery items – buttons, zips, cottons, remnants of fabric over 1 metre.

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25th November – Brian Salway
20th December – Carol Gambell

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4pm Carols by Candlelight

Everybody welcome to these all-age services!

(Please note no Christmas Day Service 25th Dec)



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Again, many thanks.
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