

The Parish Church of St Peter's, Ashby Parva

# Church News



**Christmas Eve Songs of Praise**  
**5.30pm on Sun 24th December**

Everyone is welcome for this celebration of Christmas and if you would like to do a reading, please contact June on 209545



## Christmas Eve – Sunday 24th December

8.00am St Peter's, Ashby Parva, Holy Communion  
4.00pm St Peter's, Claybrooke – Christingle Service  
4.00pm St Peter's, Leire – Crib Service  
5.30pm St Peter's, Ashby Parva – Christmas Songs of Praise  
11.30pm St Peter's, Claybrooke – First Communion of Christmas  
11.30pm All Saint's, Dunton Bassett – First Communion of Christmas



## Christmas Day - Monday 25th December

8.00am St Nicholas, Frolesworth – Holy Communion  
9.30am St Peter's, Ashby Parva – Holy Communion  
11.15am St Peter's, Leire – Holy Communion



## December Flowers

3rd, 10th & 17th – Advent 24th & 31st – Christmas Flowers

## December Cleaning

4th – June Clayton    11th – Jean Williamson

23rd – Christmas Clean

Brass – June Clayton and Kathy Mason

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**READER: Ann Ling, Tel 01455 209541**

**CHURCHWARDENS: Mrs J Clayton Tel 209545 & Mrs H Stone Tel 202535**  
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December 2017



**Coffee Morning and Christmas Fair**  
**Ashby Parva Village Hall**

**10.30am - 1.30pm on Sat 2nd December**

Come along and enjoy hot drinks and mince pies and stay for a soup lunch to be served from midday. Stalls include produce, Christmas gifts and stocking fillers, good second-hand books, a raffle and bottle tombola.

**Jess Lacey would like to say a big thank you to all those who contributed towards the table top sale. An unexpected amount of £300.30 was raised which was a fantastic result for both the church and village hall.**

**Christmas Sing for all the Family**  
**St Peter's Church**

**10.00am on Sun 17th December**

Come and sing carols, decorate the tree and join us for drinks and mince pies



Christmas  
Carol Service

**Any announcements, notices or village related items for the newsletter should be submitted to Lesley Chapman by the 13th of the month**  
**Tel 209972 or email: [lesleychapman@ashbyparva.net](mailto:lesleychapman@ashbyparva.net)**

## Village Contacts

**Village Hall** – Ann Lindsay 209148    **Bookings** – Rachel Bailey 209525

**Parish Chair** – Tim Ottevanger 209410

**Neighbourhood Watch** – Byron Richards 202659 & Jo Brown 208079



**A very Happy Christmas**  
**and a peaceful New Year**  
**from June, Helen and the PCC**



## Sunday Church Services

### Sunday 3rd December – Advent Sunday

8.00am	St Peter's	Claybrooke	Holy Communion
9.30am	All Saints	Dunton Bassett	Holy Communion
10.00am	St Nicholas	Frolesworth	New Morning
11.15am	St Peter's	Leire	Holy Communion

### Sunday 10th December – Advent 2

8.30am	St Mary's	Wibtoft	Holy Communion
9.30am	All Saints	Dunton Bassett	Quiet Prayer
11.00am	St Peter's	Ashby Parva	Holy Communion
4.00pm	St Peter's	Claybrooke	Carol Service
4.30pm	St Peter's	Leire	Christmas Tree Festival Carols
6.30pm	St Nicholas	Frolesworth	Evensong

### Sunday 17th December – Advent 3

8.00am	St Nicholas	Frolesworth	Holy Communion
9.30am	All Saints	Dunton Bassett	Holy Communion
10.00am	St Peter's	Ashby Parva	Sing Sunday
10.00am	St Peter's	Claybrooke	Morning Service
11.15am	St Peter's	Leire	Holy Communion
4.00pm	St Mary's	Wibtoft	Carol Service
6.30pm	St Nicholas	Frolesworth	Carol Service



**Christmas Eve & Christmas Day Services  
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### Sunday 31st December – Christmas 1

11.15am	St Peter's	Leire	Praise and Prayer
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### Sunday 7th January - Epiphany

8.00am	St Peter's	Claybrooke	Holy Communion
9.30am	All Saints	Dunton Bassett	Holy Communion
10.00am	St Nicholas	Frolesworth	New Morning
11.15am	St Peter's	Leire	Holy Communion
4.00pm	St Mary's	Wibtoft	Benefice Epiphany Service

## Midweek Church Services

9.00am	Every Tuesday	St Anne's, Frolesworth	Morning Prayer
10.00am	Wed 6th Dec	St Anne's, Frolesworth	Holy Communion
10.00am	Wed 20th Dec	St Anne's, Frolesworth	Matins
10.00am	Wed 3rd Jan	St Anne's, Frolesworth	Matins

## Events Around the Villages

Fri 1st Dec	5.30 -	Claybrooke School Christmas Fair in the School Hall.
	7.30pm	Lots of Stalls and Santa in his Grotto. Entry 50p
Fri 1st Dec	7.30pm	The Johnny Taylor Sixties Show in Ullesthorpe Mem Hall. Tickets £8 inc food from Phil on 209259
Sat 2nd Dec	10.30am - 1.30pm	Coffee Morning and Christmas Fair in Ashby Parva. Lots of Stalls. Soup and Rolls from Middy
Sun 3rd Dec	2.30pm	DB Community Singers Annual Christmas Concert. All Saints, DB. Tickets £5 from Claire on 202184
Mon 4th Dec	7.30pm	Leire WI Christmas Meal in the Village Hall
Tues 5th Dec	7.30pm	Knit & Natter in Ashby Parva Village Hall
Wed 6th Dec	12.30pm	Evergreens Christmas Lunch
Thurs 7th Dec	6-9pm	Christmas Market at The Crab & Cow, Leire
Sat 9th Dec	10.30am	Ullesthorpe Congregational Church Christmas
Sun 10th Dec	1.30pm	Tree Festival until 4.30pm each day
Tues 12th Dec	10-noon	Christmas Coffee Morning in Frolesworth Vill Hall
Tues 12th Dec	2.30pm	Mother's Union: Christmas Get-together in Ullesthorpe Congregational Church
Tues 12th Dec	7.30pm	WI in Dunton Bassett Village Hall: Gift Boxes
Tues 12th Dec	8.00pm	Claybrooke History & Heritage Group in the School Hall: Exploring Christmas past and Customs
Wed 13th Dec	2.00pm	Forget Me Nots Tea in Claybrooke Village Hall
Thurs 14th Dec	12noon	Claybrooke Coffee Morning Christmas Buffet. Book on 202420. £1.50 members/£6 non members
Thurs 14th Dec	2.00pm	WI in Ullesthorpe Mem Hall: Farmhouse Cookery
Tues 19th Dec	7.30pm	Knit & Natter in Ashby Parva Village Hall
Wed 20th Dec	2.00pm	Evergreens Christmas Carols
Thurs 21st Dec	7.00pm	Carols, Mulled Wine and Mince Pies with Enderby Youth Silver Band at Ullesthorpe Memorial Hall
Sun 31st Dec	7.30pm	NYE Party Night with Elvis Tribute in Ullesthorpe Memorial Hall. Tkts £10 inc food - Phil on 209259

## Weekly Events

Every Mon Noon-3pm - Knit & Natter at Ullesthorpe Congregational Church  
 Every Wed at 7.30pm - Bible Study Group at Hall House, Ullesthorpe  
 Every Fri up to & inc 15th Dec - 3-4.30pm - Tuck Shop in Leire Village Hall  
 Every Fri - 6pm Pilots and 7.30pm Flat Mates in Ullesthorpe Cong Church