



Due to the latest Government restrictions, places of worship are again closed, so there will be no services in church this month.

Sunday services will be live streamed from St John's at 10.30am each Sunday, including material recorded at St Britius. This streaming will be via both Zoom and Facebook watch party. The link to the Zoom meeting will be posted on the Facebook pages of **St John's Carterton** and **Friends of St Britius** as well as on the St John's website: www.stjohnschurchcarterton.org.uk



The service will also be recorded, to be watched later if you prefer. It can be accessed via the Facebook pages, the website or YouTube

If you have not got access to the internet, but would like to listen to the service via a telephone line, please contact Rev. Ian Howard or Rev. Drew Tweedy, who will let you know how you can do that.



Sunday 8 November – Remembrance Sunday

10.30am This special streamed service will include a memorial to the fallen of both Brize Norton and Carterton and two minutes silence at 11.00am.

Sunday 15 November – Second Sunday before Advent

10.30am Virtual Holy Communion. *Readings: 1 Thess. 5:1-11, Matt 25:14-30*

Sunday 22 November – Sunday next before Advent, Christ the King

10.30am Virtual Holy Communion. *Readings Eph 1:15-end, Matt 25:31-end*

Sunday 29 November – First Sunday of Advent

10.30am Virtual Holy Communion. *Readings: 1 Cor 1:3-9, Mark 13:24-end*

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Anniversaries this month: Syllas Rhodes, Joan Smalley, Nellie Wilkins, Charles Wilkins, Peter Brown, Joseph Geraghty, Phillip Bolton, Maurice 'Mo' Edwards, Oliver Dore, Desmond Sollis.



Our prayers are with Len and the Duke family as our dear friend Joyce Duke sadly died on 2 November.



3 Prayer Initiatives – a message from Lyndsay:

Monthly Prayer sheet: We are producing a monthly prayer sheet, to focus on 3 areas: global, national church and individual requests. We are a church who believes in the power of prayer and welcome the opportunity to pray for each other's needs and thanksgiving. Please contact Lyndsay Baker, LLM, with your prayer requests, giving a brief description. If you are asking for prayer for someone else, please ask their permission first. layminister@stjohnschurchcarterton.org.uk or 07783 650 793. I am happy to ring you back if you leave a message.

Prayer shawls and rugs: We have some prayer shawls, rugs and scarfs which have been prayerfully knitted by members of our congregation. We would like to encourage everyone to find a sacred place to sit and pray regularly whilst they are wrapped in God's love, as symbolised by the shawls, rugs and scarfs. If you, or anyone you know, would like one, please let Lyndsay, Carolyn or Jacque know. If you would like to join the band of knitters please also let us know. Donations of wool appreciated.



Lanterns: Don't forget to take a lantern kit and make it up to put it in your window through December, to shine out and bring God's message of Christmas.

Pilgrim Lunch: Pilgrim lunch is also suspended this month due to the Government Restrictions. As we can't meet, think about giving someone a ring for a chat instead.



Remembrance Sunday: Our service has had to be cancelled due to Government restrictions. A simple wreath laying ceremony and memorial will be carried out at the war memorial at 11.00am.



Christmas Flowers: Donations towards the cost of Christmas flowers would be most welcomed by Mary. Please let her know if donations are in memory of loved ones.



T4U Shoebox Appeal: These shoe boxes are to send to a child who will not otherwise receive a present this Christmas. If you still have a completed shoebox, or items to go into a shoe box, please contact Carolyn on 844102.

