

## CHIRK AND FRON: SUNDAY 8<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER 2024 : ADVENT 2

<b>TUESDAY 10<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER</b>	<b>2.00pm:</b> Froncysyllte School Carol Service at St. David's Fron
<b>WEDNESDAY 11<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER</b>	<b>9.15am – 11.15am:</b> Toddlers' Christmas Party in the Church Hall
<b>THURSDAY 12<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER</b>	<b>10.15am:</b> Holy Eucharist at St. Mary's Chirk
<b>FRIDAY 13<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER</b>	<b>11.00am:</b> Funeral of Hezekiah Price at St. Mary's Chirk <b>12noon:</b> Funeral of Pam Davies at St. David's Fron
<b>SUNDAY 15<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER ADVENT 3</b>	<b>9.30am:</b> Holy Eucharist at St. David's Froncysyllte <b>11.00am:</b> Holy Eucharist at St. Mary's Chirk and Sunday Club

### **Fron School Carol Service and, Garth and Pentre Schools Christmas Concerts**

Please pray for the children of the schools as they rehearse and perform their concerts at St. Mary's and St. David's this week. If you are free to help welcome the children for the Garth and Pentre performances on Wednesday and Thursday, please let Matt know. We also need people to help clean. Many thanks. Matt.

**Carols at Chirk Court:** on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December at 2pm. All welcome.

**Posies:** If you know anyone who would like to receive a posie (ill recently/going through a hard time etc...) please let Matt know. Also if anyone wants to help make them, no experience needed. 10am Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> December in church vestry. Coffee and mince pie provided!

**Church shop:** Please see the following things for sale for Christmas on the shop: Christmas cards, handmade by Karen. Wooden Holding Crosses made in Bethlehem. Lavender bags, handmade by Carole and Ferelith. Pocket crosses, handmade by Jean.

**Flower arranging:** for Christmas to be done any time after Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> service up until Midday on Tuesday. Can anyone help to put flowers in vases, flowers in an arrangement, place greenery around church? Supplies of greenery, flowers and donations for flowers all very much well come. Please contact Ferelith 01691 773487 or James Brown or church wardens.

### **Eco Church**

- 1) Please see the **12 tips for a greener Christmas** information sheets on the notice boards in church
- 2) **Christmas Card:** We now have a large Christmas card at St. Mary's. Please feel free to sign this card to the whole congregation or continue sending individual cards.

**O Come Let Us Adore Him! Our Churches Together Advent Course:** The final two sessions of the Advent Course for Christmas and Epiphany are available here **online:**

<https://www.churchinwales.org.uk/en/evangelism/o-come-let-us-adore-him-advent-course-2024/>

Thank you to all who attended the in-person part of the course.

### **Christmas Services**

#### **Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December**

7.00pm: Our United Christmas Carol service for both churches at St. David's Froncysyllte.

#### **Christmas Eve – Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> December**

3.00pm Crib Service at St. Mary's, Chirk

7.00pm Christmas Eucharist at St. David's Froncysyllte

9.00pm: Carols, Communion and Candlelight at St. Mary's Chirk

**Christmas Day:** 10.00am: Family Christmas Eucharist at St. Mary's, Chirk

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