



**SUNDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2025**

1030 Worship Service  
Prayer will be available  
following the Service

Sunday Clubs meet today

Guest Speaker  
Rev David Coffey

**DUTY DEACON -**  
**SHEILA PINK**



*“The people walking in darkness have seen a great light; on those living in the land of the shadow of death a light has dawned.”*

*Isaiah Chapter 9 Verse 2*

*First Sunday in Advent - Hope*



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Facebook group: KCBC at home

**Live at the hall** - For those at the hall there will be opportunity for socialising. Refreshments will be served at the end of service.

**Live on Zoom** which will be open from about 10:20am.

If you miss a sermon the recording will be made available the following week on our website.

We continue to live stream the Sunday service on Zoom last week we commissioned a new laptop from which to produce the service. This entails a change to the link to join the service. **See the bottom of the newsletter for details of how to join Zoom via our website.**

**Prayer chain:** Nat Bond 07832 090075

email: [natfromfife@gmail.com](mailto:natfromfife@gmail.com)

If you are not on the chain but would like to be, want to add a prayer request to the chain or would like more information, please talk to Nat.





*Please remember this week's diary in your daily prayers*



## Notes for your diary

### Monday 1st

**1000** KYB Women's Study Group

**1930** Leadership Zoom Meeting

### Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup>

**0900** Set up KILTS

**1000** KILTS

**Break 1** Faith & Friends term time Group

**1400** Psalmists' Study Group

**1430\*** Weekly Bible Study - hosted by Rob (note change of start time)

### Friday 5<sup>th</sup>

**1030** Craft & Chatter hosted by Sue W

### Saturday 6<sup>th</sup>

**1530-** Community Carols Around the Tree

**1830** See below

### Sunday 7<sup>th</sup>

**1030** Second Sunday in Advent

Communion Worship Service

Eagles & Owls meet.

Family Muddy Walk (bring wellies!)

If you have a regular group which meets and you wish to add it to the diary prayers, please do let me know -

[kbcscribe@hotmail.com](mailto:kbcscribe@hotmail.com)

- **Leadership Meeting** - 8<sup>th</sup> December
- **Friday Outing Christmas Lunch** - 12<sup>th</sup> December
- **Church@Prayer** - 15<sup>th</sup> December
- **Sunday Clubs' Nativity** - 21<sup>st</sup> December
- **Candles by Candlelight** - 21<sup>st</sup> December
- **Christmas Day Service** - 25<sup>th</sup> December

*Therefore, my dear brothers, stand firm.*

*Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the word of the Lord, because you know that your labour in the Lord is not in vain, 1 Corinthians 15:58*



## Christmas Services at KCBC

21<sup>st</sup> - 1030 hrs Sunday Clubs' Nativity

21<sup>st</sup> - 1830 hrs Carols by Candlelight

25<sup>th</sup> - 1000 hrs Christmas Day Service

## CHURCH MATTERS

*From the Deacons* - Here we are at week 5 without David as our Minister and so far, KCBC appears to be carrying on as normal. Surprised! I hope not.

This isn't by chance but by a lot of prayerful work and planning and the introduction of some new roles in the church. Our team of service leaders spend time each week preparing the order of the service and then leading our Sunday worship. Our Worship team continue to plan the music and songs each Sunday and will be working towards the coming festivities. The pulpit secretary is diligently inviting outside speakers to come and give us God's Word on a Sunday. This complements the teaching from our own people and all the preparation that entails. We will see new people step up into that space as well. Our Sunday children's work continues as before. We have recently reintroduced the opportunity for after-service prayer. KILTs, housegroups and other small groups also continue, and we are seeing new groups appear for families and children. We are starting to think about what to do next for our young people.

So, it's all perfect then !! OK, maybe not. How do you think we are doing ? We have had some feedback so far and would

welcome more to guide us in what is working and what we could be doing better over the coming seasons. We would also very much like to hear in what ways you can help in the church in areas of need (e.g. preparing communion) or for new initiatives. We all have a part to play in God's work at KCBC!

**PASTORAL CARE TEAM UPDATE** - We are delighted to report that we now have a new Pastoral Care Team up and running. Mary, Steve, Sheila, Jo and Paddy have all agreed to take on this role now David has left.

We had our first meeting on Tuesday when we agreed guidelines and how the team would work together to provide pastoral care within KCBC.

So, if you would like a friendly telephone call, you need cheering up with a visit, or you just want more information, then please do get in touch. Our details are on the social list.

**After Service Prayer** - The team will be wearing lanyards and would love you to approach them for prayer. We will then pray in pairs. If you do not feel comfortable asking for prayer, please complete a prayer request slip and post it into the (former) wooden offering box, located on the table with the leaflets. These will be confidentially addressed by the duty deacon. **If you would like to know more please contact Sarah or Jeni.**

## MORE INFORMATION

### "WHAT'S ON"

If you are seeking ways to serve God and the church, want to learn more about our God, participate on a course, or join prayer gatherings look no further than the Baptist Union of Great Britain and/or SWBA websites, both of which have a Calendar of Events to peruse. Follow either of these links: [www.baptist.org.uk](http://www.baptist.org.uk) or [www.swbaptists.org.uk](http://www.swbaptists.org.uk) if you would like to know more.

### Training with Pathways, SWBA

If you are looking at expanding your gifts check out these modules, details for each can be found on the SWBA website, [www.swbaptists.org.uk](http://www.swbaptists.org.uk)

#### 2026 Pathways Modules

**Intro to the New Testament** - 10/01 & 07/02

**Leadership** - 28/03 & 25/04

**Radical Discipleship in a Changing World** - 09/05 & 20/06

If you are interested in the full 2026-2028 Pathways Programme, registration will begin shortly. Either contact the SWBA Team on 01392 433533 or email [james@swbaptists.org.uk](mailto:james@swbaptists.org.uk)

Here are some Modules which are being confirmed and they include:

Pioneering  
Children's Work  
Leading Public Worship

**Kingsteignton Town Council events for 2025: Special events: 6<sup>th</sup> December Carols Around the Tree**, see below. If you want to find out more the email address is [events@kingsteignton.gov.uk](mailto:events@kingsteignton.gov.uk) or go to the website [www.kingsteignton.gov.uk/events](http://www.kingsteignton.gov.uk/events)

Kingsteignton Town Council are delighted to welcome all residents to this FREE Community Christmas event

# Carols AROUND THE TREE

Celebrate the spirit of Christmas with our outdoor Carol Service. Gather together to enjoy timeless carols and songs. Join us before or after for free refreshments.

- 3:30 pm** **Community Coffee Afternoon with Christmas Craft Workshop**  
Free Hot Chocolate, Tea, Coffee, Squash, Mince Pies, Christmas Cupcakes & Biscuits
- 3:30 pm** **Visit Santa in his Grotto!**  
Children can visit Santa in his grotto for FREE between 3:30-5pm - first come, first served!
- 5:00 pm** **Carols Around The Tree**  
Join us outside for our main event! Gather around our NEW Christmas Tree for our Carols and Christmas songs with live musical accompaniment. Afterwards free refreshments will be available for those who wish to partake

**Saturday 6 December 2025**  
3:30pm-6:30pm  
**Kingsteignton Town Council**  
Community Hall & Grounds,  
Rydon Road, Kingsteignton, TQ12 3LP

 **KINGSTEIGNTON TOWN COUNCIL**

For event enquiries please email: [events@kingsteignton.gov.uk](mailto:events@kingsteignton.gov.uk)

## Local Charity Information



### Christian Response to Eastern Europe

## Update and Prayer requests November 2025

### UKRAINE

Please pray for

- ▶ An end to the war and lasting, just peace.
- ▶ Much of the power grid has been damaged with power rationed across the country.

If a school has no bunker the children cannot attend and have to learn remotely but now have no power or internet for much of the day, so they are not being educated.

In one city a school has now moved into the metro where the children are taught morning or afternoon (there is not enough room for all) with nowhere to play or just be children.

- ▶ The widows and orphans, injured soldiers and those whose family members are missing. It has been estimated that there are now 70,000 soldiers who are missing in action (it is thought that 4,500 of those may be prisoners of war, held in Russia). Each one of those soldiers has a

family who are desperately worried about them.

- ▶ Cr2ee is helping to set up and fund places where the wives and mothers of the missing can meet and be open about how they feel. Meetings are for women only so they can just be with others who understand. The children are looked after in separate rooms where they can play or craft, so the mothers do not need to worry about them. The meetings start with prayer, and the women have been told that people in the UK are praying and supporting them. It is a way that the local church can be supportive and show them God's love.

These meetings are really valued and growing. Please pray for all those attending.

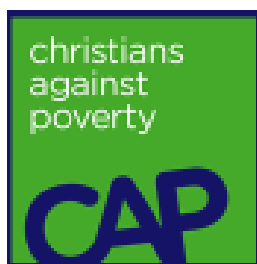
- ▶ Cr2ee has now set up and continues to support over 15 "soup kitchens" in Ukraine.
- ▶ We are thankful that each time we try to help locals they then help others such as the garage owner who has built a log splitter which he is now taking to the surrounding area to provide wood (often the only form of fuel for heat and cooking).
- ▶ We give thanks to the people who donated money for camp beds to be used at the front field hospitals, these have now been delivered.

▶ Please pray for wisdom for the trustees of Cr2ee, that they can discern where help is needed the most, that the work is able to continue and that any obstacles be removed.

**BUT** most of all please pray for peace and that God's love will shine through all Cr2ee is doing in Ukraine.

There is much more happening in Ukraine that needs our prayers. If you would like to know more about the ongoing prayer requests or answers to prayer, please ask Sarah.

**If you would like further information about cr2ee or have anything to donate, Nick & Sarah would be only too pleased to hear from you.**



CAP Teignbridge offers free debt help, practical & emotional support, and to show people that there is always hope. Working in partnership with local churches across Teignbridge, we help to lift the weight of debt from your shoulders.

If you would like to become a befriender, or would like further information, please contact Tim Wigley, Debt Centre Manager at [timwigley@capuk.org](mailto:timwigley@capuk.org)

christians against poverty

**CAP**

**CAP Teignbridge Debt Centre Fundraiser**

**CAN YOU HELP?**

We are raising funds to continue running this vital service with the support of Aviva's Community Fund.

Aviva will MATCH FUND every donation up to £250 **only until 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2025!**

Please could you prayerfully consider whether you could support us? Thank You.

With the support of churches and befrienders, we provide free debt help, practical and emotional support to families across Teignbridge.

**TO DONATE PLEASE VISIT**  
[WWW.AVIVACOMMUNITYFUND.CO.UK/P/CAP-TEIGNBRIDGE-DEBT-CENTRE](http://WWW.AVIVACOMMUNITYFUND.CO.UK/P/CAP-TEIGNBRIDGE-DEBT-CENTRE)

**AVIVA** Community Fund

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

**CAP DEBT HELP**

In everything I did, I showed you that by this kind of hard work we must help the weak, remembering the words the Lord Jesus himself said: "It is more blessed to give than to receive."

Acts 20:35

## KCBC FELLOWSHIP TOGETHER



*Adonai, as we step into the season of advent, we*

*give you thanks and praise because you sent your Son into our world to live among your people. He came, not as a warrior king to rule through violence and earthly power as anticipated, but as a vulnerable baby, born in the lowliest of circumstances, as the Light of the World. That message, given at first to the shepherds, and then the Wise Men went on to become the greatest story shared and known even to this generation.*

*But in this season, we focus on anticipation of what will come - the helpless, vulnerable babe of human flesh and heavenly divinity, who came to bring hope to the nations and a reconciliation with God.*

*May we, on the edge of advent approach the manger and the birth of our Sovereign Lord filled with reverence and awe. May we be like children and look upon the nativity with wonder and excitement. And may we experience anew with eyes*

*and hearts ready to discover the sheer depth and width of grace, mercy, forgiveness and love you have for each and every one of us through the birth of the Messiah into our world. Thank you, Father God,*

AMEN

From time to time we all need an extra word of encouragement, a boost or a spiritual hug, so if you have something you'd like to share with the whole fellowship, please do pass it along - a Bible Verse, a particular passage, a faith song, study resource, an idea or simply a passing thought. If you feel that something has been of benefit to you, and you want to share .....

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*"All the believers were together and had everything in common"*

Acts 2:44

**KILTS Christmas Crafts!** - Thank you to those who have volunteered to make the Christmas Crafts for KILTS this year. We are very appreciative of the time you give to these projects each year. If you are making Gingerbread Men, please could you bring them along to the service on 7<sup>th</sup> December. Thank you very much from the KILTS' Team.

*Please continue to pray for the Travelling Nativity as it moves among the families over the coming few weeks - we ask that the Holy Spirit enter every home and each family will be blessed by experiencing the true message of Christmas. Thank you.*

“And God said, “Let there be light,” and there was light.

Genesis 1:3

**\*New\* Families WhatsApp group - Connect with other families within the church to share life together – Thanks to Becci M for the idea and organising this on behalf of the fellowship!**



## How to join the Sunday Service via Zoom

1. Go onto the internet and type [kbcchurch.org.uk](http://kbcchurch.org.uk)
2. On the Home Page in the top right-hand corner is a green bar and on it is written "online service" with an arrow.
3. Click on the green bar/arrow and you'll go to the online services page.
4. On Sunday morning there will be a link title "Join Zoom Meeting" click the link and Zoom should open and connect you to the meeting.



## Sermon Recordings

The Sunday service is recorded but we only post the sermon on the website.

From the website homepage there is a link on the righthand side labelled "Recent Sermons" - this will take you to a page with all the recent sermons. The latest sermon is at the top, click either the audio only link or the video link.

