#### The United Benefice of Cudham and Downe







Welcome to our Church

Refreshments are available after the service if you would like to stay and meet others before going home.

#### **Sunday 23 November**

9.30am Downe Morning Worship

11.00am Cudham Holy Communion and Sunday Club

Colossians 1.11-20, Luke 23.33-43

Both services led by Revd Neil Fairlamb

# **Christ the King - The Sunday next before Advent** Eternal Father.

whose Son Jesus Christ ascended to the throne of heaven that he might rule over all things as Lord and King: keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit

and in the bond of peace,

and bring the whole created order to worship at his feet; who is alive and reigns with you,

in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

one God, now and for ever. Amen

Interment of Ashes of Marion Norton at Downe Churchyard, at 12.30pm.



#### **Services during Advent**

#### **Sunday 30 November**

10.30am Cudham United Advent Special - songs and readings

reflecting Jesus as the Light of the World Service led by Revd Canon Tim Hatwell

#### Sunday 7 December

9.30am Downe Holy Communion

Service led by Revd Ann Uphill

11.00am Cudham Worship Together

Service led by Kim Curle

## **Tuesday 9 December**

10.30am Cudham United Holy Communion (monthly service)

Service led by Revd Canon Tim Hatwell

#### **Sunday 14 December**

9.30am Downe Morning Worship

11.00am Cudham Holy Communion and Sunday Club

Both services led by Revd Katrina Barnes

#### Sunday 21 December

11.00am Cudham Holy Communion and Sunday Club

4.00pm Downe Carols by candlelight

Service led by Revd Canon Tim Hatwell

#### Wednesday 24 December

3.00pm Cudham Nativity Play: "The Amazing Advent-ure!"

6.00pm Cudham Carols by candlelight

Service led by Revd Canon Tim Hatwell

## **Sunday 30 November: Downe Christmas Lights switch-on**



# Warm Welcome Christmas Special

A day of fellowship and fun, with light refreshments, festive activities, and a hot CHRISTMAS LUNCH 10.30am to 3.30pm on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December at Cudham Parish Hall

FREE, but donations welcome
Pre-booking essential by Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> December.

Spaces are limited. To reserve a place ☎ 01959 571515
(incl. answerphone), or email to admin@pcd.org.uk

Vegetarian option provided, and transport may be available.

**Mayor's Civic Carol Service** - Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> December 6.30pm at St Mary's, Green Street Green. There will be a mixed choir made up of members from St Mary's, St Martin's and Cudham-Downe. Please contact Ian Webb on <a href="mailto:ianwebb76@aol.com">ianwebb76@aol.com</a> if interested in joining to sing. There will be brief rehearsals on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> December at 2.30pm and on 14<sup>th</sup> December at 5pm.

**Nativity Play at Cudham** (Christmas Eve 3.00pm) - we would love any children in our community and churches to be involved, with non-speaking or speaking parts (main or small).

'The Amazing Advent–ure!' is about two children, Rose and Sam, who can't wait to open the doors of their Advent calendar and to puzzle out the true meaning of Christmas. Some of the pictures behind the doors are simply festive – but others bring the nativity story to life in a most surprising way!

For further information and rehearsal dates, please contact Denise Angell, our Parish Children's Representative on 07957 206901 or at denise.angell@virginmedia.com

**Cudham Carol service** (Christmas Eve 6.00pm) - we will be running a children's choir alongside the adult choir. Those parents who have children that would like to join please contact Kate Brignall on 07879 428981. Dates & times of rehearsals in December to be confirmed.

You are very welcome to come along to the following and for more information please email <a href="mailto:admin@pcd.org.uk">admin@pcd.org.uk</a> or tel: 01959 571515

United Prayer: Tues 2 December, 10-10.30am at St Mary's Ladies Fellowship: Tues 2 December, 10am at Sue's, Cudham Christian Meditation: Thurs 4 December, 10am at St Mary's

While our churches have a vacancy for a Vicar, please email <a href="mailto:admin@pcd.org.uk">admin@pcd.org.uk</a> or call the parish office on 01959 571515 to leave a message. Alternatively, contact one of the churchwardens below:

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#### **Pastoral Care Team**

Something troubling you? Please phone 07751 763371 or email admin@pcd.org.uk

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Please email any contributions to be included in our weekly notice sheet by Wednesday evening to <a href="mailto:admin@pcd.org.uk">admin@pcd.org.uk</a>