



# Sunday Link



St Mary's Potton ♦ All Saints Sutton ♦ St John's Cockayne Hatley

1 December 2019

## ADVENT 1

### Diary

#### Monday 2 December

2.30pm Monday Housegroup

#### Tuesday 3 December

9am Morning Prayer at Potton

7pm Eaton Socon Housegroup

7.30pm Sutton PCC meeting

7.30pm Tuesday Housegroup

7.30pm St Mary's Bellringers Practice

#### Thursday 5 December

7pm Choir Practice

#### Friday 6 December

9am Morning Prayer at Potton

9.30am First Steps Toddler Group

2.45pm Sutton Friday Service

7.30pm Craft and Chatter Christmas Party,  
St Mary's Church Hall

#### Saturday 7 December

7.45pm New Voices of Potton

Christmas Carol Concert  
in St Mary's Church.

Tickets £10/£5 available from  
Cameron's Newsagents.

### News and Events

MARION IRONS (Sutton), interment of ashes, Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December 11.30am, All Saints, Sutton.

HOME COMMUNION (Potton) - if you or you know anyone who would like to receive home communion, please contact the church office or any Potton PCC member.

TRAVELLING CRIB please sign the sheet if you would like Mary & Joseph to stay overnight with your family.

NEW VOICES: New Voices of Potton are holding a Christmas Carol Concert on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> December at 7.45pm in St Mary's Church. Tickets £10/£5 will be available from Cameron's Newsagents.

THE LOCRIAN CHOIR will be singing at St John's Church Cockayne Hatley on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> December at 3pm.

POTTON HOUSE Nursing Home's Carol Service is on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> December at 2.30pm followed by refreshments at approximately 3.15pm. All welcome.

CHRISTMAS PARISH LUNCH on Friday 13 December at 12.45pm. Tickets £14 each for a Three Course Festive Dinner. Few spaces left.

SERVERS & SOUND DESK OPERATORS needed for St Mary's Church Potton, please ask Hazel or Wendy.

HELP NEEDED for Sutton Church cleaning, please contact Dawn Kerridge or Darren Brooker.

### Please pray...

- for those who are sick and have asked for our prayers:

*Benefice:* Rev Barbara, Rex (organist); *Potton:* Vernon and family, Chris & Tony, Una, Yvonne, Dave & Fran & Susan, Julia & Ray, Win & Bob, Daniel, Ben, Maureen, Rob and family, Paula, Sheila, Doreen, Mike, Mary, Pam, Felicity, John, Lee, Jean, Jo & Carlton, Vivienne, Joyce and Susan; *Sutton:* Margaret, Wendy, Lucy, Peter, Trevor, Elizabeth, Luka and Linda; *Cockayne Hatley:* Gloria.

- for the bereaved, and those remembering anniversaries of death at this time.

### Living Gods Love with Generosity, Joy, Imagination and Courage

**CHURCH OFFICE:** 01767 261202  
Mon/Wed/Thur/Fri  
1 - 4pm  
benefice.com@gmail.com

#### Ministry Team

**RECTOR:** In vacancy

**ASSOCIATE PRIEST:**

Rev Barbara Johnson, PTSD999

Blue Hero Foundation Chaplain

**RETIRED PRIEST:**

Rev Judi Clarke 01767 262132

**READERS:**

Mr Simon Gutteridge 01767 260306

Mr David Kilpatrick 01767 261328

**ORDINANDS:** Amy Taylor and

Paulet Brown-Wilsher

**LAY MINISTRY DEVELOPMENT**

**TEAM and LAY LEADERS of**

**WORSHIP (LLW), Wendy Chappell,**  
Sally Davis, Pippa Montgomery, Tina  
Mundy, Margaret Pryor (LLW), Hazel  
Rozanska, (LLW)

#### Regular Services/Events

(see website for more details)

**Children's Treasure Boxes:** third

Sunday of each month at Potton during

Shorter Communion;

**Craft & Chatter:** alternate Fridays

7.30pm St Mary's Hall (260792)

**Friends & Family intergenerational**

**Service:** first Sunday in month at Potton

**First Steps:** Mums, babies and toddlers

Fridays 9.30-11.30 (260430)

**Morning Prayer:** in church 9am on

Tuesdays and Fridays in Potton

**NightLight:** Reflective night service first

Sunday of each month 7.30-8.30pm

**Housegroups:** to join contact

Coordinator David Kilpatrick (261328)

**Potton Mothers' Union** (261206)

**St Mary's Bellringers** ring Sundays at

9.45 and practise Tuesdays 7.30pm

**St Mary's Choir** sing Sundays 10.30

and practise Thursdays 7pm.

**SUTTON FRIDAY SERVICE:** Every

Friday at 2.45pm, intergenerational.

#### This week's services

1 DECEMBER 2019

**ADVENT 1**

Isaiah 2: 1-5

Romans 13: 11-end

Matthew 24: 36-44

9am Holy Communion  
with anointing for personal renewal  
Cockayne Hatley - Rev Gillian Orpin

#### Potton

10.30am Friends & Family: Nativity  
Wendy & Team  
with Morning Prayer

LLW Hazel Rozanska

7.30pm Nightlight

Heather Gale & Sarah Banks

#### Sutton

9am Service of the Word with Hymns

**Cockayne Hatley**

9am Holy Communion - as above

#### Next week's services

8 DECEMBER 2019

**ADVENT 2**

Isaiah 11: 1-10

Romans 15: 4-13

Matthew 3: 1-12

9am Holy Communion  
Potton - Rev Canon Lindsay Dew

#### Potton

9am Holy Communion - as above

10.30am Choral Communion

Rev Canon Lindsay Dew

4.30pm Potton Christingle

Rdr Simon Gutteridge

#### Sutton

9am Mattins

**Cockayne Hatley**

3pm Evensong

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