

Dates for your diary Dec 1st - 18th

Sun 1st Dec	10.30am - 11.30am 3.30pm-7.00pm	Morning Worship Gt Shelford Light Switch on - Memorial Hall
Mon 2nd Dec	7.30pm	Elders Meeting
Tue 3rd Dec	9.30am - 10.00am 10.00 am - 11.30am	Staff Prayers Coffee Pot
Wed 4th Dec	10.00am - 12noon 1.30pm - 3.30pm	Little Steps Toddler Group Tiny Toes
Thu 5th Dec	7.00-8.30pm 7.30pm - 8.30pm	Youth in the Loft Stretchworks
Fri 6th Dec	11.00am - 12noon 12.15pm - 1.45pm	Coffee followed by Friday Worship Call Inn
Sun 8th Dec	10.30am - 11.30am 3.30pm-5pm	Morning Worship Family Craft and Christingle
Mon 9th Dec	7.30pm	Leadership team Meeting
Tue 10th Dec	9.30am - 10.00am 10.00 am - 11.30am 12.00noon	Staff Prayers Coffee Pot followed by the Joint Christmas Lunch with Call Inn
Wed 11th Dec	10.00am - 12noon 1.30pm - 3.30pm	Little Steps Toddler Group Tiny Toes
Thu 12th Dec	7.00-8.30pm 7.30pm - 8.30pm	Youth in the Loft Stretchworks
Fri 13th Dec	11.00am - 12 noon	Friday Worship, (including Coffee, carols and Mince pies)
Sun 15th	10.30am - 11.30am	Morning Worship
Tue 17th Dec	9.30am - 10.00am 10.00 am - 11.30am	Staff Prayers Coffee Pot
Wed 18th Dec	10.00am - 12noon 1.30pm - 3.30pm	Little Steps Toddler Group Tiny Toes

For further information visit our website:

www.shelfordfreechurch.org.uk

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Our Church Coordinator, Iris Considine will be in the church office on

Mon, Tues, and Fridays Office hours 9am—3pm.

Copy for the Link should be with Iris by Thursday morning.

Great Shelford Free Church (Baptist)
is a Registered Charity



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WELCOME



**Sunday 1st December
Morning Worship**

**Series - 'Have you Seen the Angels'
Angels we have heard on earth**

Speaker David Baslington

Friday 6th December

11.00am coffee
11.30am Communion
Followed by Call Inn 12.15pm
Martin Cockerill

Sunday 08 December

Morning Worship
'Have you seen the angels?'
Angels watching over me
Rev. Martin Cockerill

The **Youth** group and **Kids' Club** will meet in the sanctuary with the whole church family.

An unsupervised **Crèche** is available for children under 4 during the service.
(A Child Protection Policy is in operation.)

Following the service, if you would like to speak to someone or if you want someone to pray for/with you, then members of the **Prayer Team** (identified by a relevant badge) are on hand to help you.

Refreshments will be served during the service
Boxes are available near each door for Tithes and Offerings

PRAYER:-

- Pray for distribution of Christmas cards and Alpha Flyers
- Pray for the Light switch on
- Continue to pray for our nation, particularly for the election coming up
- Pray for the school as they enter the very busy Christmas season, before breaking up

EBA Prayer Diary

Whitehouse Baptist Church

- For the transition period in the church as Norman retires and MIT Robert Foster takes on the leadership.
- For sustainable growth with new people from the community becoming part of the church.
- That the church will reach out to all the people in the community on the Whitehouse estate
- For the new monthly Sunday breakfast church

Christmas Events

There are a number of activities taking place during the advent season for you to participate in, get involved and invite your friends and neighbours to join us

Dec 1st: Light switch on at Memorial Hall 3.30-7pm

Dec 8th: Craft and Christingle 3.30-5pm

please sign up in the lounge if you are able to help with crafts and serving refreshments or speak with Diana.

Dec 11th: Carol Singing around the village 7pm
(speak to Liz for details)

Dec 11th,13th,17th & 19th: serving free coffee and croissants on the station 6.45am - 8.30am

Dec 15th: All Age dress up Nativity Service
invite your friends and neighbours

Dec 19th: Carols at the Memorial Hall

Dec 24th: Carols by Candlelight 6.30pm
Invite your friends and neighbours to come with you.

Dec 25th: Christmas Day service 10.30am
invite family and friends to help celebrate the birth of our Saviour.

Pamoja

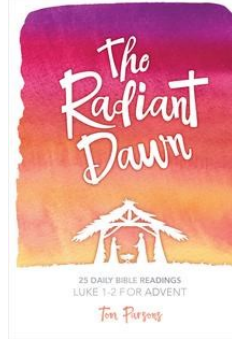
Many thanks from Pamoja

Greatful thanks to the church from Pamoja for allocating some of this years tithe to our very small charity.
Pamoja was started 20 years ago by Jonathan's niece to provide schooling and orphanage care for very poor children in Kenya. My role is being the link between the sponsors and their children, and if anyone is interested to sponsor, please do speak to me.

Pamoja info. is on the Mission Board in the lounge.

Jane Burrough

Advent devotional readings



Don't forget to consider these daily devotional readings, available in the lounge at the cost of £1 each.

We encourage you to purchase one for yourself and one to give away to a friend, colleague or neighbour.

You may then like to discuss the readings together and share your insights and thoughts.
This is an opportunity to share the good news of Christmas and to engage in talking about Jesus.

Church Survey

Have you received your survey, please return asap, paper copies available in the lounge.

Church Members Meeting - Change of date

Please note: - February Church Meeting has been moved to Monday 2nd March due to a clash with the EBA Ministers Conference.

10th December - server required for Christmas Lunch

A sever is needed for the 10th December Coffee Pot and Call Inn Christmas lunch. Special duty to 'Serve Carrots' available 12—12.45. Please contact Jane F or Linda R. Thank you

Communion 4th Sunday each month not last.

Please note that communion will take place on the 4th Sunday of each month from now on.