



***Welcome to St Catherine's
& St Paul's Church
Sunday 14 December 2025
3rd Sunday of Advent***



***Join us this Sunday
14 December
10.30 hrs.
for
Holy Communion
All Welcome***

**Up Coming Sunday
Services in December**

**21 December 10.30 hrs.
Sung Communion**

**28 December 10.00 hrs.
No service at St Catherine's &
St Paul's. Instead we will be joining
St Cuthbert's Church for a
joint service**



**Our Christmas Services are on
page 3 of the notices.**



***What's On During
The Week***



**Sunday 14.12.25
Carols By Candlelight &
9 Lessons
18.30 in the Church**



**Monday 15.12.25
Morning Prayer
09.15 in the Church**



**Tuesday 16.12.25
The Funeral of
John Neighbour
10.30 in the Church**



**Wednesday 17.12.25
Holy Communion
10.00 in the Church**



**Thursday 18.12.25
Warm Welcome Spaces
Coffee Morning
09.00 to 11.00 in the Church**



***Our Church exists to worship God; to lead people to Christ;
To build a loving Christian Community and to serve a world in need.***

Christmas Gifts for The Delta Hotel

This year, we will be packing Christmas gifts for the Delta Hotel on **Monday morning, 15th December, from 10.00am until midday** in the Hunt Room opposite St Catherine and St Pauls Church. We would be grateful for as many people as possible to help with this. There will be toys to pack for the children, toiletries to pack for the adults and 150 Christmas cards in which to hand-write a greeting. Plenty to do!

Christingle Assembly

We will be meeting in the Hunt Room on **Monday 22.12.25 at 09.30 hrs.** to assemble the Christingles ready for our service on Christmas Eve. **All help is very welcome.**

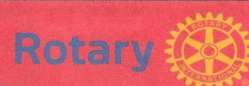
Thank you Jacqui

Mince Pies and Mulled Wine

As in the past, we will be serving mince pies and mulled wine after our Carols by Candlelight service on **Sunday 14.12.25.**

All donations of mince pies and mulled wine are welcome. Please speak to Julia Everett or Jacqui Gifford for details.

The Rotary Clubs of Amwell, Hertford, Hertford Shires, Hoddesdon & Ware invite you to



CELEBRATE CHRISTMAS

At a Festival of Readings and Carols
in the superb setting of

HAILEYBURY COLLEGE CHAPEL

Hertford Heath SG13 7NU

15th December 2025 - 7.45pm for 8.00pm



There will be a
retiring collection
**All Proceeds for the
President of Amwell
Rotary Club's
Charities**

No charge for entry
but If you wish, join us afterwards for
£10 per head in the Attlee Room for mince pies & wine

Trust Charity No.
803309

As always thank you for your continued support for the **Foodbank**. There is a need for the following items;


Long Life Milk, Tins of Fruit & Pasta Sauce.



Thank you.

a warm winters welcome
to join us for a service of

9 Lessons & Carols



St Catherine's &
St Paul's Church,
Hoddesdon
Dec 14th ❄️ 6.30 pm

**ST CATHERINE'S &
ST PAUL'S
CHRISTINGLE SERVICE**




**CHRISTMAS EVE
16.30 HRS.
ALL WELCOME**

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OF ENGLAND

JOY

EHCCA
East Hertfordshire Church
Choirs Association
*Patron: The Bishop of St Albans.
St Albans Abbey*

CHORAL EVENSON
with EHCCA Friday 2.1.26 -
17.00 hrs.
Conductor: Edward Dodge
Organist : Richar Carr



All Welcome

**Christmas
At
St Catherine's &
St Paul's**

You are warmly invited
**Sunday 14th December 18.30
Carols By Candlelight**

**Christmas Eve 16.30
Christingle**

**Christmas Eve 23.15
First Communion of Christmas**

**Christmas Day 10.30
Holy Communion**

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OF ENGLAND

JOY

This week you might like to pray for

- The Carol Service on Sunday, that local community will join us for an evening of joyous singing
- The packing of the Christmas gifts on Monday for Delta Hotel and those who have coordinated and volunteered to help. May these gifts be a blessing to the guests
- As we approach Christmas, we pray for Mark and his family. Father God give them strength and wisdom during this busy time

The church office is open 09.00 to 13.30 hrs.

Email admin@hoddesdonparishchurch.com

Telephone 01992 462127 or 07776 659891

Church Website <https://www.hoddesdonparishchurch.com>

Please pray for those who are sick including:

**Joyce Banks, Elaine Dean, Gillian Bassill, Peter Davison, June Green,
Denise Hall, Audrey Hollamby, Klaire Kay, Kay Lee, Janice Longman,
Joan Longman, Hazel Mackervoy, Margaret Massingham,
Margaret Pike, Patricia Potts, David Roberts, Richard Ward, Shirley Ward**

Please keep the office informed if anyone needs adding to or removing from this list.

We pray for those who have died in the faith of Christ

For the family and friends of John Neighbour whose funeral will be held here on
Tuesday 16.12.25 at 10.30 hrs.

Each week we will pray for our Mission Partners and a group or groups in our
Church. This week please pray for:

Young Life (part of Young Life International), - A global Christian organisation
seeking to lead young people to Christ

&

All who assist with Audio and Visual

From the electoral roll, please pray for:

John Cane, Pamela Carr, Paula & Richard Clark, Rita Cracknell

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