

Benefice of Greatham, Empshott and Hawkley with Priors Dean

Church News

25th December 2020 – Christmas Day

Under government regulations Christmas services can still happen, and for those who have booked in for Midnight Mass and Christmas Day services a separate email will be sent with reminders about keeping safe.

For those unable to attend you might like to watch

Peter's Christmas Reflection

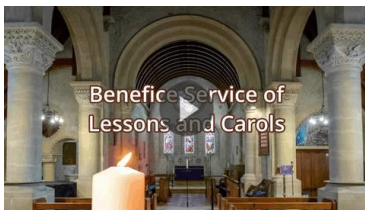
A five-minute Christmas Thought for the Day – a reflection on God's gift of unconditional love to the world.



<https://share.vidyard.com/watch/4uJXNDeynqh9hHDFuP21aA?>

Video Carol Service

Hangers Together Carol Service. Over the last two months members of the Benefice Choir have recorded carols for this video service and children have recorded readings. Beautifully edited by Chris Wyman, this short video will hopefully enable you to enter into the Christmas Spirit at home. Do forward the link to those you know who might value seeing this, and perhaps sing along to the carols in the safety of their own homes!



<https://share.vidyard.com/watch/npNCSqYM4tbWzdcCLAQV1L?>

Christingle making

A five-minute introduction to Christingle by Peter Sutton. Christingles are easy to make and help us all focus on Jesus, light of the whole world.



<https://share.vidyard.com/watch/hLNyKiLbUGXStm3Dsv6PNW?>

And to see Kevin Jacot's **Virtual Kingsley Christmas**

<https://youtu.be/uJbqI9vFByk>

Many congratulations to:

The Hawkley Carollers who raised £521.75 for the Roberts Centre.

Service on Sunday

27 th Dec	11.00am	Greatham	Holy Communion	Peter Sutton & Elizabeth Hawkins	Spaces Available
----------------------	---------	----------	----------------	-------------------------------------	------------------

To book a place please contact:

Greatham	Kay Thorpe	kay.thorpe@hotmail.co.uk	01730 892314
----------	------------	--	--------------

For more information please contact:

Ven Peter Sutton	peter.sutton@portsmouth.anglican.org	01730 827459
------------------	--	--------------



Happy Christmas!