

Sunday Team	Dec 14	Dec 21
Hall Set-up	Steve, Alan and Jerry	All at 11am
PA	Yetsie	Mike and Yetsie
Speaker	Mike	Steve
Leader	Steve/Susan	Sue
Worship	Josephine	Mike
Piano	Mike	Mike
Singers	Choir	Choir
Songpro	Jerry	Jerry
Kidz Klub	Steve	Stay in Service
Youth	-	-
Teas	All/Shared Meal	All
Notes	Communion Service Christmas Party Shared Lunch	Carol Service at 4pm

God's Word says:

"And the child grew and became strong; he was filled with wisdom, and the grace of God was on him."
Luke 2:40



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God intended them to be**



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If you are a visitor we would like to welcome you to CBCF. Please join us for refreshments after the meeting and sign our visitor's book. Welcome Packs which tell you all about us are available on request. We hope you enjoy your visit.

"Jesus Presented in the Temple..."

Our Christingle service last Sunday focused on children and young people with videos from the Childrens Society and Iris Mission. A passage mentioning Jesus as a child comes from Luke 2. Here is how it reads in the NIV:

Now there was a man in Jerusalem called Simeon, who was righteous and devout. He was waiting for the consolation of Israel, and the Holy Spirit was on him. It had been revealed to him by the Holy Spirit that he would not die before he had seen the Lord's Messiah.

Moved by the Spirit, he went into the temple courts. When the parents brought in the child Jesus to do for him what the custom of the Law required, Simeon took him in his arms and praised God, saying:

**'Sovereign Lord, as you have promised,
you may now dismiss your servant in peace.
For my eyes have seen your salvation,
which you have prepared in the sight of all nations:
a light for revelation to the Gentiles,
and the glory of your people Israel.'**

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Please Pray. ... for GYFC based at St. James Church Hall in Kidbrooke remembering Helen Baker and her involvement in the organisation.



... for Steve who is taking part in an outreach in Central London with an OAC team on Friday. Next Sunday he will be speaking at our carol service.

... for Steve's sister, Annie, who has been diagnosed with ALS (a degenerative illness similar to Motor Neurone Disease).

... for the Greenwich Foodbank team and the volunteers who run the various centres.

... for vulnerable and needy people in Woolwich Town Centre where the Street Pastors' activities continue.

... for Leanne in her work for CMA (Community Money Advice) Debt Centre in the Borough.

... for the Day Centre in Mottingham helping homeless people as part of the Greenwich Homeless Project.

... for Dave Broughton whose son, David, has passed away suddenly.

... for Alan and Josephine who have been appointed to serve on our leadership team.

... for special activities in the lead up to Christmas.

... for Mackwin, Rif and family currently away in Nigeria.

Street Prayer

This week we pray for those living in Eastbrook Road.

Sunday 14th
10.30am.

This week's programme
Morning Service at the BB Hall
Speaker: Mike.
Communion Service followed by
Shared lunch and Christmas Party.

Wed 17th.
7.30pm.

Special Service at St. John's.
See below for details

Sunday 21st

Hall set-up at 11am.
Carol Guest Service at 4pm
Speaker: Steve.

*What's On
this week*



December

Christmas Day Service at St. John's 10.30am
NB: No service at the BB Hall.

Coming Soon...

Congratulations . . .

to Auntie June whose birthday is tomorrow.

Please remember to pray for her.

Sue writes: Just to remind you that there's a Blue Christmas service at St John's. It's for those who may have had loss over the last few years. It's a quiet reflective service with carols, readings and music. It starts at 7.30 on December 17th. There are refreshments afterwards and a chance to write something about a loved one in the Book of Remembrance.

IDEA: Is the magazine of the Evangelical Alliance. The latest edition is now available. The theme for this issue is "Rooted in Community". Items include: Church Life; Tips on building community; Being a good news person; Being salt and light; God at work in our communities. Copies are on the table - please take one.