

## **Trinity Newsletter 18th - 29th December 2024 Double edition**

On 22nd December at 10a.m. worship led by the Rev. Canon Jason Vinyard will include Holy Communion, with the benevolent offering being for Action for Children. The service on Christmas Day at 10a.m. is also to be led by Rev. Canon Jason Vinyard - you may be asked if you have a Christmas present to show off.

On Sunday 29TH DECEMBER at 10a.m. a shortened service of worship suitable for the Christmas season will be led by Trinity Church Stewards with an address by Local Preacher Carol Colton.

Leading worship on January 5th will be Dr. Hannah Stammers and 12th January will see our annual Covenant Service again led by our Minister with Holy Communion. (benevolent offering for The Martins - MHA)

We were sorry that the Martins Christmas Fair had to be postponed because of sickness at the Home, but all is well now and a New Year event will be held instead on 11th January at 10.30, do please try and support in any way you can: all will be made very welcome and, as Rev. Val says, "all the usual attractions will be available". For newcomers to the town - The Martins MHA residential home is at the back of the Abbey Gardens in The Vinefields, IP33 1YA, though parking is best at Ram Meadow car park and walk a few minutes from there. There will be a copy of the answers to the Martins Advent Quiz at coffee this Wednesday (18th),

There will be NO WEDNESDAY COFFEE AT TRINITY on Christmas Day or New Year's Day - reopening 8th January 9.30 - 12 as usual.

Thanks to the music group for their inspiring singing at the Carol Service; on their way to church that day (15th Dec) some of them listened to BBC Sounds and heard a Podcast of Sunday Worship with carols which they highly recommend you listen to if you are able to access it digitally.

There are a number of envelopes presumably Christmas cards as well as normal "post" in the pigeonholes on the first floor: please see if there is anything for you and take it before Christmas. If anyone is able to take someone else's to deliver that would be most helpful.

### **CALENDAR**

22 December 10a.m. Rev. Canon J C Vinyard, with Holy Communion

25 (Christmas Day) Dec. 10a.m. Led by Rev. Canon J C Vinyard

29 December 10a.m. a post-Christmas Day act of worship led by Trinity Stewards

5 January 10a.m. Dr. Hannah Stammers

12 January 10a.m. Rev. Canon Jason Vinyard, Covenant Service (Holy Communion)

Please send any news or notices you care to share each week to Josie Keys before Tuesday evenings if possible