Trinity Newsletter for 19th to 23rd November 2025

On 23rd November at 10a.m. our preacher will be Mr. Francis Carr. On 30th November the first Sunday in Advent our preacher at 10a.m. will be The Rev. Canon Jason Vinyard. This service will include Holy Communion, the benevolent offering being for the Royal British Legion. Worship will be followed by lunch for which please sign on the list outside the sanctuary. This is a "pay what you can" fund raiser.

We are mourning the loss of our friend and former Minister Rev Debbie Borda who died peacefully last Thursday evening in the presence of her family to whom and to all who knew and loved her we send our love and prayers. It is hoped that tributes will appear in the December edition of our magazine "Forum".

Important: THERE WILL BE **NO** Trinity Cafe on Wednesday **26th November** as workmen will be fitting the sound baffles to improve the quality of sound in the lower hall. Please pass the word around.

The newly produced "Welcome Pack" is now completed. If you would like to see what is in it then ask Claire De'Ath for a copy to borrow. If you are new here and would like a Pack - please have a word with Claire or any of our Church Stewards.

The Christmas Fair at The Martins is on Saturday 6th December 10.30-12 and your support and prayer for that is invited. There will be stalls and games and competitions to enjoy. Any offers of cake for sale on the day will be gladly received by Claire or Josie or you can bring something along to The Martins(IP33 1YA) on the day.

The shared Christmas card on which your good wishes can be sent to others in the church will be on the landing table on Sundays from Nov. 30th for you to sign if you care to; there will be the opportunity to add towards a donation to the local Womens' Refuge. Reasons for having this card are to save costs of separate cards and stamps, to be eco-friendly and to avoid cards being left uncollected in the pigeonholes into 2026.

On Sunday 28th December (in common with other Circuit congregations) we will be having a shortened worship service arranged by ourselves of Christmas songs and carols. Look out for some details of this in coming weeks; meanwhile - what would you like to sing? Let Josie know.

CALENDAR

3rd, 10th, 17th December - (Wednesdays) Christmas stall at Trinity Coffee Mornings

6th December 10.30 - 12 noon Christmas Fair at The Martins MHA residential home

7th December 7p.m. Concert at Trinity by the Aquarius choir

14th December 10a.m. Trinity Carol Service

14th December 7p.m. at St.Mary's, Advent event with Churches Together in BSE

25th December (Thursday, Christmas Day) 10a.m. Christmas worship

28th December 10a.m. Shortened worship service, with favourite carols

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