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WELCOME to St Winfrid's Church @AFC Totton

Sharing Jesus' love in the community

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***And what does the Lord require of you? To
act justly and to love mercy and to walk
humbly with your God. – Micah 6:8***

Worship opportunities

Sunday services are held at 11am, with coffee served from 10.30

We worship in the Monarch Suite, AFC Totton's Testwood Community Stadium, Salisbury Road, Totton, SO40 2RW, while our own building is being repaired and refurbished.

Today's service: 2nd December 2018 (Advent Sunday)

During morning services, Prayer Ministry is available

Morning Prayer

We meet at the Rectory on **Fridays at 9.15am.**

Café Church

We meet at Thistledonically, Water Lane, Totton **every 2nd Sunday at 4.15pm.**

Cell groups meet during the week:

Wednesdays 5.30-7.30pm Peter's cell group
8.00pm Margaret's cell group
Thursdays 1.00pm Joyce's cell group
Fridays Lesley's cell group are meeting informally for coffee.

If you'd like to join one of these groups, please speak to Mike.

TODAY! SUNDAY 2 DECEMBER – ADVENT SUNDAY

Welcome to our opening service at AFC Totton, sharing God's love together in the community. If you're new here, you are doubly welcome. Relax, become part of the family, and invite your friends and family next time! Refreshments are served from 10.30am, and worship starts at 11.00am.

PATTERN OF SERVICES AT AFC TOTTON

In our new home, our service pattern will be as follows:

1st & 3rd Sundays: worship with the group and Communion as normal;

2nd & 4th Sundays: a quieter, reflective Holy Communion;

On **Sunday 23rd December at 5pm** we look forward to Carols in the Stadium, which we think is a first in the community of Totton. Entry is free, just come along and join the celebration. (If wet, this will take place in the Monarch Suite, so all eventualities are covered.)

From January, we will be offering an additional contemporary evening service called Sunday Night Live. More details later.

THIS WEEK

This evening, Sunday 2nd December at 7.00 pm Churches Together in Totton and the Forest Edge come together for our joint Advent Service at Colbury Church. There will be refreshments after the service.

Prospects (Liveability) invite everyone to their Christmas celebration at Testwood Baptist Church on **Monday 3rd December at 8pm**.

Daytime Bible Study

Daytime Bible study takes place at the home of Gladys Doane. With (DIY) tea and biscuits! **1.45 to 3.15 every Monday**. Let Gladys (023 8086 0669) or Chris (023 8184 3308) know if you are interested.

Tuesday prayers and Bible study

The theme **this Tuesday 4th December** is "PROCLAIMING THE GOOD NEWS" – Acts 13:4-41. 7.30pm in the Rectory behind St Win's Church.

Advent Quiet Time

Tuesday 4th December, 2-4pm at the Rectory (with log fire!) Poé-Sié is a meditation experience led by Doris Prügel-Bennett, classical accordianist, and Graham Norman, with spoken poetry. The program intersperses poetry and music with contemplative, prayerful silences. All are welcome.

Wine tasting

Our Friendship Network invites you to a wine tasting evening at The Rectory on **Friday 7th December at 7.30pm**. Please let us know if you would like a ticket – the cost is £8 but £5 deposit with booking.

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or ring the church office: 023 8086 5103

Morning Prayer takes place every Friday at 9.15am in the Rectory, behind St Winfrid's Church.

There's a **Christmas Coffee Morning** at St Anne's Church on **Saturday 8th December from 10.00am to noon**.

NEXT WEEK AND FURTHER AHEAD

Friday 14th December at 7.00 pm The Salvation Army will be holding a Carol Concert in Totton Precinct. All Welcome. There will be musical instruments and activities for children.

Rwanda 2019 – February 6th – 18th

There are a few places left for the Deanery trip, co- led by Sally. You'll visit our link churches in Kibuye district and spend time in Kigale and Gahini, seeing the fruit of the Deanery Lent Appeals that we have supported this year and in the past. If you would like to join the trip, please let Sally know as soon as possible. The cost is likely to be £1,200 per person.

SHARING JESUS' LOVE IN THE COMMUNITY

AFC Totton's Big Community Christmas Appeal

Will you help make someone's Christmas special? Donations are now being taken at AFC Totton and ASDA:

Toys, books & games for children aged 2-18
Dried food, tins, tea, coffee, hot chocolate, biscuits for elderly people, and notebooks, toiletries, socks, gloves, hats for vulnerable adults.

3 appeals – 1 club – 1 community. Stronger together.

Thank you!

Tricia Creasor would like to thank the congregation for your generous donations to the Poppy Appeal; a total of £150.92 was sent to the Royal British Legion appeal. Thanks, too, to Tricia, for collecting.

Can you help?

Are you able to help with a donation towards funding the publicising of our move? Please talk to Graeme or Chris if you are able. Thank you.