

PARISH OF DEVERILLS AND HORNINGSHAM

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PARISH NEWS

The Deverills & Crockerton



Brixton Deverill from the east
by Pat Armstrong

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Please remember the deadline is the 15th of the month - Thank you

Benefice of Cley Hill Villages website: www.cleyhillchurches.org

Website contents: Parish News, Church services, Parish Register, Events

November 2015

Look inside for local news & information

'FIRST SATURDAYS' - Open Studios at Bull Mill, Crockerton

7th November 10.00 am - 5.00 pm

Contemporary landscape painting by Nick Andrew
wildlife paintings on wood by Tanya Hinton Tel: 07730 400784
www.nickandrew.co.uk www.tanyahinton.jimdo.com

Art Workshops at Bull Mill Arts with Olivia Clifton-Bligh

Animal prints: collographs & block prints for 6-11 year olds

Saturday 7th November 10.00 am-12.00 noon, £10

Learn about rainbow spectrum and make Pop Art portraits

Linocut Printmaking Workshop

for experienced artists and absolute beginners:

Saturday 7th November 1.00 - 5.00 pm, £20 inc. printmaking materials

Step by step printmaking process, simple techniques - striking results!

Card making supplies on hand in preparation for the festive season

Book your space with Olivia 212 716, bullseyetwo@hotmail.com



FUTURE EVENTS

- Pre-school children & parents group Thursdays Longbridge Hall 10.00 - 11.30 am
- Crockerton Bulb Planting Sunday 1st November See p4
- Cast on & Craft Group Monday 2nd November See p5
- Longbridge Deverill Parish Council meeting Monday 2nd November See p10/14
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- Bowood House Christmas Extravaganza Friday 6th December See p6



REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY CURRY LUNCH 8th NOVEMBER

The meal will be provided, as usual, by the Agra Restaurant,
Upper Deverills Hall 12.30 pm, sherry served from 12.00 noon

Cost : £15 per head, to book contact Caroline Davies 845335 or email
carolinedavies096@btinternet.co.uk, numbers capped at 48



UPPER DEVERILLS QUIZ NIGHT FRIDAY 13th NOVEMBER



Annual Quiz night in the Upper Deverills Hall
Tables available 7.00 pm, quiz starts at 7.30 pm promptly

Price per table of 4 is £10 to cover snacks and prizes

'Ad hoc' tables can be arranged on the evening

Bring your own drinks and a sense of humour!



SUNDAY 6TH DECEMBER AT 3.30 PM

VICTORIAN ADVENT CAROL SERVICE

AT HORNINGSHAM CHURCH

ENJOY THE TRADITIONAL ATMOSPHERE

SEASONAL REFRESHMENTS

COME IN VICTORIAN COSTUME IF YOU LIKE!

LOCAL COUNCILS, SOCIETIES, GROUPS etc.

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www.crockertonlongbridgeandhilldeverill.co.uk

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Upper Deverills Parish Council

www.westwiltshire-communityweb.com/site/Upper-Deverills-Parish-Council

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Hospital Transport Link Scheme 211655

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Dear Friends,

In the life of a vicar the time from late August until Christmas is a busy one with lots of remembering. We remember and give thanks to God for all the good things we enjoy at Harvest, we remember those with whom we have shared love at All Souls and those who give and continue to give their lives in the service of their country, on Remembrance Sunday. In a few weeks time it will be my very favourite season of the Church's year, Advent, when we look back to the great prophets who spoke of a future that for most of them was centuries in its fulfilment. And of course at Christmas we look back at that moment more than 2000 years ago when God chose to be born as a vulnerable baby to share at the deepest level the vulnerability of what it means to be human.

Some might ask what the point is in looking back, in remembering events that cannot change: *Footfalls echo in the memory/Down the passage which we did not take/towards the door we never opened. (T.S.Elliot)* But often it is when we take the time to remember and reflect that we discern patterns and meaning that, in the maelstrom of day to day life, elude us. I came across a lovely description of this the other day. Susan Philips writes: *The Christian faith is familiar to me, the Bible my daily bread, and I have witnessed diverse manifestations of God's grace in human life ---- I lean towards the flutter of the numinous, and I am filled with wonder when I see it, however briefly and incompletely.*

This image of *the flutter of the numinous* is an extraordinary one; like coming upon the delicate beauty of a butterfly. Sometimes we glimpse something of God and recognise it instantly, but often it is only when we allow ourselves the time and space to reflect and remember that those glimpses are able to seep into our souls to colour and ultimately transform our view of the world. Every single human being on this earth is made in the image of God and as such holds within themselves a spark of the divine. Every single human being is passionately loved by God who comes to each of us in a myriad of different ways.

So as we immerse ourselves in these weeks of remembering, I hope you can find the space to look back and wonder at the mystery of it all, and I pray that you too might recognise the flutter of the numinous in the story of your life.

Love and prayers,

Rev Pauline Reid - Tel: 841290 / revpauline@btinternet.com

SUNDAY 6TH DECEMBER 10.30 AM

CHRISTINGLE SERVICE

AT LONGBRIDGE DEVERILL CHURCH

JOIN THIS BEAUTIFUL TRADITIONAL SERVICE

CELEBRATING JESUS CHRIST

THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD



CROCKERTON VILLAGE COMMITTEE
BULB PLANTING Sunday 1st November 11.00 am
Meet: Bath Arms Crockerton - all ages
come and help brighten up the village
For information contact Marion 213739 or Helen on 215451




Community Coffee Mornings
Everyone welcome 10.30 am - 12.00
Wednesday 11th & Monday 30th November
The Orangery, George Inn, Longbridge
 For information please call Emma Curtis
 your Good Neighbour Coordinator 07557 922033
 If you require transport call Bridget Beattie 844884




CROCKERTON VILLAGE COMMITTEE
COMMUNITY AFTERNOON TEA
Last Thursday of the month, 26th November at 2.30 pm,
There will be a selection of refreshments
to purchase from the Lake Shearwater Tearooms
For further information please contact Marion on 213739



MONTHLY PUB NIGHT - 'The Cricketers' Legs'
 Join us for a relaxed pub night with other villagers, children/dogs welcome!
 Firkin (local beer), wine, spirits, mixers, soft drinks, crisps, pub games.
Where: Upper Deverill; Village Hall
When: Friday 27th November 6.00 - 11.00 pm
Food: Jacket Potatoes & Chilli
Raffle: Meat Voucher
 Facebook www.facebook.com/groups/upperdeverills



CROCKERTON VILLAGE COMMITTEE
Bath Arms, Crockerton
6.30 pm Sunday 6th December
Teams of 4 @ £8 per person
(includes Bangers & Mash supper)
Bring some money for the raffle!
To book contact Tracey 216939 or Helen 215451 before 1st December



Nature Notes

The autumnal colours seem to be particularly good this year to me, glowing reds, oranges, yellows and rich browns. They are especially stunning in the early morning and late afternoon when the sun is lower in the sky. Hopefully we will not have strong winds to shake the leaves loose so that we can enjoy the display for longer.



The night temperatures are now falling rapidly and last night we had a touch of frost here in the garden. I would normally expect the bird feeders to be very busy after such a cold night, but I have had to stop feeding for a period, as I have had several greenfinches with trichomoniasis. This is a protozoan parasite which causes disease at the back of the throat and in the gullet. The infected bird finds it difficult to swallow and often has food stuck around the bill, it becomes lethargic with puffed up feathers and has laboured breathing. Greenfinches seem to be particularly susceptible, knowing I had a good number coming to the feeders I did not want the infection to get out of control. So I have decided to stop feeding for at least 3 weeks (which is the recommended procedure) and then introduce the food back slowly. The parasite does not live long outside the host and is no threat to humans.

So the garden is quite devoid of birds at the moment. The pond still attracts wildlife. We have had dragonflies on warm sunny days. The kingfisher visits regularly and quite often has successful fishing dives; only the other day I saw him bashing a goldfish to stun it and then turn it round in his bill in order to swallow. It was quite a big fish and it took a few stretching swallows to get it to go down. Grey wagtails come regularly too to the pond. One day there were two, they were singing a song I had not heard before and it was lovely. Sometimes we have pied wagtails attracted to the water, but recently they've been more noticeable on the house roof where they have been chasing and catching insects and chirping quite loudly.



Just before I had to stop feeding I had a coal tit coming to the feeders. Being at the bottom in the pecking order it would rush in and out when the feeders were quiet and fly off with a sunflower heart in its beak. Coal tits will store food for the winter and one morning I watched as it tried to find somewhere in the hedge to safely stash a sunflower heart. A blue tit was watching it closely and I wondered how safe that store would be! I had a super view of a goldcrest at the same time.



One afternoon ravens seem to be especially active; they were calling and flying about often in pairs. In pairs they were doing some spectacular synchronised displays, diving with wings tucked in, rolling and gliding, it was quite amazing to watch. There were a good number of them too, more than I had seen for some time.

The lovely autumnal sun has brought out a few butterflies. I had a super view of a red admiral sitting on a dark green ivy leaf in the sun the other day, and then a day later a beautiful comma butterfly in a sunny bramble patch in the hedge.

Jane Trollope (written 14th October)

Kingston Deverill School Logbook - part 19

1959 – Jan: Thirty on roll. Apr 7: Thirty five on roll.

Given these figures it would seem a good moment to extract some statistics from the Admissions Register, if only to indicate the gradual running down of the school during the 1950s, and the more precipitate fall in the intake during the following decade. In the five years between 1950 and 1954 sixty children entered the school, and in the next five years, 1955 – 1959, forty-seven were admitted.

Moving on to the 60s, in the years 1960 – 1964 thirty-two came, and in the final five years 1965 – 1969 only twenty-three. It is also interesting to compare the numbers entering from the ‘three villages’ (and very occasionally elsewhere) during these last two decades of the school’s existence. Of the one hundred and seven children who came to the school in the 1950s, fifty four were resident in Kingston Deverill, twenty eight in Brixton Deverill and twenty two in Monkton Deverill, the remaining three coming from Hill Deverill, Maiden Bradley and – rather surprisingly – St.Helena, not immediately adjacent to the Deverill Valley.

In the 1960s the division was: Kingston Deverill twenty two, Monkton Deverill twenty three, Brixton Deverill nine and one from Wishford. Thus we have a total of one hundred and seven children entering the school in the 1950s, and only fifty five in the 1960s – virtually half the number. Equally significant is the drop in the number of children coming from Kingston – twenty two as against fifty four, indicating that a large number of families left the village when post-war employment difficulties eased in the 1960s. The drop in numbers entering from Brixton Deverill is also considerable, perhaps for the same reason or because parents found it more convenient to send their children to Crockerton or to Sutton Veny. (Strangely neither of these considerations seemed to apply to Monkton Deverill).

1960 – Thirty three on roll. Jan 6: visit by HMI Lady Helen Asquith. May 6: School closed for Princess Margaret’s wedding. (This refers to the marriage of Princess Margaret to Antony Armstrong-Jones, 1st Earl of Snowdon). *Nov 3: much plaster down in room above school. Nov 10: Lady Helen Asquith spends day at school.*

1961 – Twenty nine on roll. Jan 19: Lady Helen Asquith’s report. Lady Helen Asquith joined the Schools Inspectorate in 1938, and following her move to her mother’s home in Mells after the war, took on the responsibility of schools in Wiltshire. To judge by the sympathetic lucidity of her report on Kingston Deverill Primary School, it was obviously a privilege for any educational establishment to have this eminent and cultured granddaughter of a former Prime Minister as an inspector of their premises, and as a judge of the children’s attainments and shortcomings. (Details of the report to follow in next instalment).

Julian Wiltshire



Cast on & Craft Group

If you like knitting, embroidery, tapestry, bead making or other crafts, this group is for you! We meet at someone’s home once a month to share ideas and enjoy each other’s company. This month’s meeting will be on **Monday 2nd November** 2.00 - 4.00 pm at Bridget Beattie’s home, Monkton House, Monkton, call 844884 for directions. Everyone welcome.



Longbridge Deverill Ladies Night

We spent another sociable evening chatting over a drink or two last month and would love to see more people join us. With Christmas coming we could have a Christmas meal at The George on **Tuesday 1st December**, in place of our normal get together. Please could you let me know if you would like to join us by 15th November so that a table can be booked; more information to follow. The group will next meet **Tuesday 3rd November**. If you would like any further information please contact Audrey Pearce on 841183 or email asapearce@btinternet.com.



Deverill Valley & Crockerton WI

This month our meeting will take place on **Monday 9th November** at 7.30 pm at Longbridge Village Hall when Gillian Arbery will speak on ‘**Living and Working on the Scilly Isles**’. Members will also bring wrapped Christmas gifts for distribution at Alabare hospital. This will be followed by tea and biscuits, a raffle and general conversation. We will be holding our annual evening at **Lakeside Garden Centre** at 7.00 pm on **Friday 27th November**. To find out more about the WI in the Deverill Valley please contact Julie Wallder on 213142. You are welcome to join our meeting.



Saturday Afternoon Strollers

The next walk will take place on **Saturday 14th November** starting from The George Inn at Mere at 2.00 pm. The route will be undulating with some uphill sections covering about 4 miles ending at The George at around 4.00 pm. If you would like to go on the mailing list for future walks then please e-mail rjucas56@hotmail.com or phone 841163



Table Top Sale - Longbridge Hall

The Table Top Sale will take place in Longbridge hall on **Saturday 14th November** at 2.00 pm. If you would like to book a table for £5.00 please call 841139. We look forward to seeing you.



Book & Dining Club

There was a record attendance at the meeting in October in Sutton Veny to discuss the chosen book ‘Us’. The next meeting of the club will be on **Wednesday 25th November** at the Angel, Heytesbury, 7.00 pm for 7.30 pm. The chosen book is ‘Afterwards’ by Rosamund Lupton. Please let Linda Searle on 213767 know if you would like to come and join us.





Warminster NSPCC Christmas Fair

'Every childhood is worth fighting for'

(NSPCC Charity number 216401)

Thursday 19th November 10.00 am - 3.00 pm

Codford Village Hall, Codford BA12 0PP

Home baked Christmas cakes, puddings, mince pies, chilli jams, cakes,
Christmas food for the freezer and much more

A selection of stall holders with a wide variety of gifts and clothes

Enjoy a cup of coffee or tea with a Christmas treat

Bring a cheque book, some stall holders don't have card facilities

Any queries call 217238

Wincanton Christmas Fair

Tuesday 24th November

Wincanton Race Course

10.00 am - 4.00 pm, Entry £3



BOWOOD HOUSE, CALNE - CHRISTMAS EXTRAVAGANZA

Thursday 26th November 10.00 am - 8.00 pm

Friday 6th December 10.00 am - 3.00 pm

Tickets £6 in advance or £8 on the door

Visit www.bowood.org for details and advanced ticket sales

Supporting The Wiltshire Bobby Van Trust, Charity No 1153790

THE ATHENAEUM SINGERS SATURDAY 28TH NOVEMBER AT 7.00 PM

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THE MINSTER CHURCH, WARMINSTER BA1 2 8PQ

WWW.ATHENAEUMSINGERS.COM



Recipe of the month - Macaroons

Sponsored by Maiden Bradley Community Shop

These little macaroons make a delightful Christmas gift. You can substitute the cornflour for cocoa and make chocolate ones! This quantity makes about 30.



Ingredients

2 oz ground almonds

1 tablespoon cornflour

1 whisked egg white

4 quartered glace cherries

2 oz caster sugar

½ teaspoon almond essence

15 flaked almonds

Icing sugar or cocoa powder to dust

Method

Pre-heat the oven to 160 C/325 F, gas 3. Line 2 baking sheets with parchment paper. Place the ground almonds, sugar, cornflour and almond essence into a bowl and mix together. Stir in the whisked egg white enough to make a soft piping consistency. Using a ½ inch nozzle, fill a piping bag and pipe small rounds of mixture onto the paper, topping each one with either a cherry or almond. Bake in the oven for 10 to 15 minutes – cool on a wire tray then dust with either the icing sugar or cocoa.

Contact: Website: maidenbradleyvillageshop.co.uk; Tel: 844206

Open: Monday - Friday 7.30 am - 6.00 pm, Saturday 8.00 am - 1.00 pm
Sunday 9.00 am - 12.00 noon

PO: Mon 9.00-1.30 Tues 1.30-4.00 Wed 9.00-12.00 Thurs 8.00-5.30 Fri 9.00-1.00

Local policing

Some good news. Our local resident PC Phil Bridge has been re-assigned to Warminster police station. He will be conducting more patrols in and around the Deverill villages and surrounding areas on day and night shifts. Give him a wave as he passes your way!



Fraud warning

Fraudsters are targeting online advertising platforms where items are acquired for free. The fraudsters will list items on the website and advise any purchasers that they have recently moved from the area they were originally living in and can arrange a courier to dispatch the items for a fee. The payment requested for this service is usually via Money Transfer such as MoneyGram or Western Union, or an e-money voucher. The items they were promised are not received and any attempts to contact the individual to gain a refund are unsuccessful.

Protect Yourself: Stay within the auction guidelines stipulated on the website; Ask to view the item in person; Be cautious of making advance payments to a stranger via Money Transfer or e-money products; If the item advertised seems too good to be true, it probably is.

If you believe that you have been a victim of fraud you can report it online www.actionfraud.police.uk/report_fraud or by telephone 0300 123 2040.

Longbridge Deverill Parish Council

The next Full Parish Council meeting will be held on **Monday 2nd November** at 7.30 pm in Longbridge Deverill village hall.



Upper Deverills Parish Council

Vacancy Upper Deverill Parish Council



If you think you would like to take the wishes of the Parish Plan forward and like to enhance the lives of the community you live in please apply. Councillors represent an individual geographical unit known as a ward or parish – in the Upper Deverills they consist of the villages of Brixton Deverill, Monkton Deverill and

Kingston Deverill. Councillors are generally elected by the public every four years, but there is a Co-option space available at the moment as no Election has been called for in the parish. Councillors have three main components to their work, **Decision making, Monitoring and Getting involved.** Application forms are available by going to download from the parish council website at: westwilts-communityweb.com/site/Upper-Deverills-Parish-Council or by email to upperdeverills@virginmedia.com or write to Mrs Sarah Jeffries 9 Beech Grove Warminster Wiltshire BA12 or phone 213436. **The closing date for receipt of applications has been extended to the 11th November.**

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be **Wednesday 11th November** at 6.30 pm in the Upper Deverills village hall, everyone is welcome to attend.

Coffee Machine

An used DeLonghi-icona espresso and cappuccino coffee maker is available for a small donation to the Gliding club, please call Judy Munro 844385.



Tortoise

The Womack family have lost their tortoise! If you find him/her wandering in Kingston Deverill please could your let them know on 844322. Thank you.



The Deverills, Crockerton & Horningsham 50/50 Club

September's winners: Martha Stone £35 and David Stratton £20

It's not too late to join our 50/50 Club which is open to everyone.

We are always keen to recruit new members.

For more information please contact Diana Abbott by telephone: 840763 or Email: decabbott@gmail.com



Wiltshire Wildlife Trust - Warminster Supporters' Group



We start our meeting on **Monday 9th November** with our AGM. Regulars will know that we try to keep this as brief as possible, last year it was 'done and dusted' in 14 minutes, hopefully we can keep it as short this year! Afterwards Dr Emily Joachim will give a presentation entitled **'The Little Owl - Our Vanishing Goddess'**. This really sounds intriguing and we look forward to sharing the evening with you. We meet in the Civic Centre at 7.30 pm, £3.00 (under 18s £1) includes refreshments. For further information on this and other activities, please contact Ann Jones 218928.

Crockerton Village Committee

Our aim is to bring the village together through various activities. In the past year we have organised a Christmas Carol Procession, Easter Egg Hunt, the ever popular Summer Street Party and a new event, a Garage Sale. This proved to be a success and we hope to build on it and hold a bigger event next year. The proceeds from the Garage Sale have contributed to the purchase of daffodil and tulip bulbs which we will be planting around the village in November. On **Sunday 6th December** we will be holding a Quiz night at the Bath Arms, Crockerton (please see the advert on page 4 for more information). New residents and existing residents are very welcome to join the committee. Please contact Marion on 213739 for more information.

Macmillan Coffee Morning

A big thank you to the Lakeside Garden Centre for hosting the event and to everyone who gave raffle prizes, cakes and helped in any way to raise the Grand Total of **£ 950.70**.



Janet Budgen

Harvest Giving

After the Harvest Thanksgiving service at Longbridge items of food were taken to the Foodbank in Warminster. The Collection of **£242.35** was donated to Christian Aid, who have launched the **Refugee Crisis Appeal** to help with the immediate needs of the refugees fleeing from war in the middle east. The Harvest Thanksgiving service at Horningsham raised **£343.55** from the collection and the auction of produce which will be donated to **Farming Crisis Network**.



Poppy appeal



Last year over £2,000 was raised in our valley, which is a record. Please continue to be generous when the Poppy sellers call this year, remembering the many Armed Forces personnel and their families who rely on the British Legion to help them in their times of need. The appeal started on Saturday 24th October and runs until Remembrance Sunday on 8th November. Thank you for your support.

Robin Greenwood

SERVICES PARISH OF DEVERILLS & HORNINGSHAM

Sunday	All Saints & All Souls	
1st November	Kingston 8.00 am Longbridge 10.30 am Horningsham 4.30 pm	Holy Communion 1662 Morning Worship Benefice All Souls service
Sunday	Remembrance	
8th November	Kingston 10.50 am Horningsham 10.50 am	Service of Remembrance War Memorial - Remembrance
Sunday	2nd before Advent	
15th November	Brixton 10.30 am	Holy Communion
Sunday	Next before Advent	
22nd November	Longbridge 10.30 am	Holy Communion
Sunday	Advent	
29th November	Corsley 10.30 am Longbridge 4.30 pm	Benefice Holy Communion From Darkness to Light
Sunday	Advent 1	
6th December	Brixton 8.00 am Longbridge 10.30 am Horningsham 3.30 pm	Holy Communion 1662 Christingle service Victorian Advent Carol service

NB Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays at Longbridge 8.00 am Morning Prayers

Register

Baptism - *We welcome into our church family*

Anna Jessica Stratton at Kingston Deverill on Sunday 11th October

Funerals - *Our thoughts and prayers are with the family*

David Hunt at Longbridge on Friday 23rd October

Trish Shuler at Kingston on Monday 26th October



Church Cleaners for November

Kingston - Judy McCulloch & Anne Wiltshire

Brixton - Leah Allard & Ruth Sutton

Longbridge - Monday 2nd November 9.30 - 10.30 am - All helpers please

Church Flower Arrangers for November

	Kingston	Brixton	Longbridge
1st Nov	Clare Mounde	Mrs Marsh	Julia Young
8th Nov	Clare Mounde	Mrs Marsh	Diana Abbott
15th Nov	Dinah Barnes	Mrs Allard	Diana Abbott
22nd Nov	Diana Barnes	Mrs Allard	Janet Budgen
29th Nov	Judy Munro (ring)	Advent no flowers	Advent no flowers



SERVICES PARISH OF CORSLEY & CHAPMANSLADE

Sunday	All Saints & All Souls	
1st November	Corsley 9.30 am	Holy Communion
Sunday	Remembrance	
8th November	Chapmanslade 9.30 am Corsley 10.50 am	Holy Communion & Remembrance Service of Remembrance
Sunday	2nd before Advent	
15th November	Temple 9.00 am Corsley 10.30 am	Holy Communion 1662 Morning Worship
Sunday	Next before Advent	
22nd November	Chapmanslade 9.30 am	Holy Communion
Sunday	Advent	
29th November	Corsley 10.30 am	Benefice Holy Communion
Sunday	Advent 1	
6th December	Corsley 9.30 am	Holy Communion

Salisbury Cathedral - Advent and Christmas activities

Remembrance-tide Concert Thursday 12th November tickets £10.00 doors open 7.00 pm

Christmas Oratorio Saturday 12th December tickets £15.00 doors open at 7.00 pm

Friends Christmas Fair Saturday 21st November 11.00 am - 3.00 pm Entrance: £2

Twilight Tower Tours 27th November - 23rd December daily 3.15 pm except Sunday cost £16.00 (adults), £11.50 (concessions) or £45 (family ticket, 2+3)

From Darkness to Light Procession 7.00 pm Friday 27th & Saturday 28th November, 5.00 pm Sunday 29th November

BBC Wiltshire's Carols at the Cathedral Sunday 13th December

Christmas Trail Search for the lost shepherd, will run from 19th December - 3rd January

Christmas Creativity Monday 21st & Wednesday 23rd December 10.00 am - 12.00 or 13.30 pm - 15.30 pm

Christmas Story Time 12.00 - 15.30 on 21st and 23rd December

Christmas Services

Sunday 20th December at 5.00 pm Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols

Monday 21st December at 7.00 pm Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols

Thursday 24th December at 7.30 am Morning Worship and Holy Communion,

4.00 pm Family Christmas Service, 6.00 pm Choral Evensong, 11.30 pm Midnight Mass

Friday 25th December Holy Communion at 8.00 am, Sung Eucharist at 10.30 am,

Festal Evensong at 3.00 pm

Sunday 17th January at 5.00 pm Epiphany Procession celebrating journey of the Magi

To book and for more details see the website www.salisburycathedral.org.uk/events

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