





MOSSLEY HILL CHURCH UPDATE CHRISTMAS 2021 CHRISTMAS AT MOSSLEY HILL CHURCH

It's time to let you know what is planned at Mossley Hill for Christmas and we hope you can join us either in person or online.

1.Here are our special Christmas services which are in addition to our normal service offerings each week which can be found on our website:

mossleyhillchurch.org.uk

Advent Sunday 28th November 4.00pm Darkness to Light

This year we are able to sing again in church so we will have our usual Darkness to Light service with our choir. This will be live streamed to our FB page www.facebook.com/MossleyHillChurch

Sunday 19th December 9.30am Family Carol Service

This year we plan to have a Family Carol Service with a variety of traditional carols and modern Christmas songs during the usual family service.

There will not be any children's groups that day as the service will be suitable for all ages.

Please come in your Christmas jumpers and there will be a prize for the best one.

We will be asking 3-4 families to nominate their favourite carol for us to sing so watch out it could be you!

Sunday 19th December 4.00pm Traditional Carol service

We can now sing in church so our choir will lead us in our Traditional Carol service.

This will be Live streamed to our FB page www.facebook.com/MossleyHillChurch



Christmas 2021 at Mossley Hill Church
*Advent Sunday 28th November 4pm Darkness to Light Service
* <mark>Sunday 19th Dee</mark> 9.30am Family Carol Service Come in your Christmas jumpers!
*Sunday 19th Dae 4pm Traditional Carol Service
*Christmas Eve 5pm Christingle /Nativity
*Christmas Eve 11.15pm Midnight Communion service
*Christmas Day 0.00am Family Holy Communion service
*Boxing Day Sunday 26th Dec 8.30am Said Holy Communion service
*Sunday 2nd January 8.30am Said Holy Communion service 10.00am Morning service



We are delighted to be able to welcome you to our Christmas services. Please check our website www.mossleyhillchurch.org.uk for more information about what we are doing over Christmas or contact Kathryn Topping our Church Administrator on

Rose Lane L18 8DB

Christmas Eve 5pm Christingle and Nativity service

This year we will be able to have our Christingle and Nativity service in church and hope to see as many of our children and families involved.

We will be giving out " Make your own Christingle" bags again this year on the Sunday before hand

(19th December) so you can make them in advance and bring your own along to church.

Christmas Eve 11.15pm Midnight Communion Service The first Communion of Christmas.

Christmas Day 10.00am Family Communion Service.

This will be a chance for children to bring along their toys to show us

and will be a service suitable for all.

We will hope to Live stream this to our church FB page but will depend on whether we might have music copyright issues. www.facebook.com/ MossleyHillChurch

Sunday 26th December Boxing Day 8.30am

We will just have one service on Boxing Day which will be a said Communion.

Sunday 2nd January 8.30am Said Communion

There will be said Communion on this Sunday.

Sunday 2nd January 10.00am Family Service

Whilst we are still in the Christmas holiday spirit and the children not yet back at school our service will be all age.

We will hope to Live stream this to our church FB page but will depend on whether we might have music copyright issues.

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2. Here are our special Christmas events:

MAKE YOUR OWN CHRISTINGLE

Like last year we will be giving out **"Make your own Christingle"** bags which will have everything you need to make your own Christingle apart from the orange.

We have made this decision taking into account Covid restrictions.

They will be available in church the Sunday before Christmas Eve at the Family Carol service and 11.00am service.

If you know of anyone (child or adult) who won't be able to make it to the in person service in church on Christmas Eve but would like to be able to have a Christingle bag please contact Kathryn in the church office <u>mossleyhillchurchoffice@gmail.com</u>. 07544882529 or Sue Bishop 07889330444

We will also be reshowing the video from last year in which Toby explains how to make a Christingle.

CHURCH CALENDAR

After the success of last year's calendar Keri Owen has put together another masterpiece and copies are selling fast @£10.

It's a great gift for family and friends and features photos of the area submitted by our congregation. Calendars are available in church but please contact Kathryn in the church office 07544882529 <u>mossleyhillchurchoffice@gmail.com</u> if you would like a copy or Keri whose details are here.

MOSSLEY HILL CHURCH GIVING AT CHRISTMAS

We will be supporting The Whitechapel Centre again this Christmas. If you feel able to take part please bring your donations as



outlined here to church before Sunday 5th December We know what a difference your donations will make. Thank you!









A4 size spiral-bound calendar £10 Available from church or Kerl Owen – email – kih.owen@btinternet.com Text/Whatsapp 07736381705



This year again we would like to support the Whitechapel Centre

So if you are able to please donate from the list below and bring to church (unwrapped please) before Sunday 5th December. Thank you!



MOSSLEY HILL VIRTUAL ADVENT WINDOWS

We will be repeating the Advent virtual windows again this year.

If you would like to decorate a window please get in touch with Sue Bishop 07889330444 **by Friday 19th November.**

It would be lovely to have lots of you involved.

MOSSLEY HILL VIRTUAL ADVENT WINDOWS CALENDAR 2021

FOIN IN THE FUN!

We are looking to repeat our virtual Advent windows again this year. If you did one last year and would like to do it again or if you would like to be included but didn't do one last time just let me know by Friday 19th November. All you have to do is decorate your window then send a photo in which will be posted on all our social media. Your window can be as simple or complicated as you want. The idea is to have fun and share!

AT THE HEART OF CHRISTMAS

For 2021 the Church of England Christmas campaign is "At the heart of Christmas"

We will be using some of the resources available through the Advent and Christmas season.

You can see what is available for prayer and reflection by clicking this link to the Church of England website:

www.churchofengland.org

We hope to see you over the Advent and Christmas season. Please do get in touch though if you are unable to get out so we can make contact with you.

