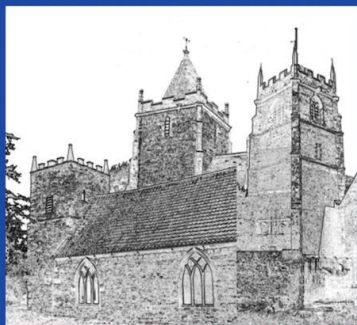


## *The Three Parishes Benefice*



St Mary's Church,  
Saltford.  
All Saints Church,  
Corston.  
Holy Trinity Church,  
Newton St Loe.



**Sunday 15th December**  
**Advent 3**

**9.30am**  
**Holy Communion**  
**St Mary's Church**  
**Saltford**

**11.15am**  
**Christingle**  
**All Saints Church**  
**Corston**

**4pm**  
**Telephone Service**

**6pm**  
**Carols at Christmas**  
**St Mary's Church**  
**Saltford**

**Collect**

God for whom we watch and wait, you sent John the Baptist to prepare the way of your Son: give us courage to speak the truth, to hunger for justice, and to suffer for the cause of right, with Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

**Readings**

Ps 146:4-end

Luke 3:7-18





**Tuesday  
17th December**

**7.30pm  
Prayer for Growth  
St Mary's Church  
Saltford**

**Wednesday  
18th December**

**7.30pm  
Compline**

**Holy Trinity Church  
Newton St Loe**

**Friday  
20th December**

**6pm  
Carols, Readings  
&  
Christmas Music  
Holy Trinity Church  
Newton St Loe**

The Benefice of Saltford, Corston & Newton St Loe

Service of  
Carols  
Readings &  
Christmas Music  
followed by mince pies &  
mulled wine

at

Holy Trinity Church  
Newton St Loe

Friday 20th December  
6pm

**Wednesday Mornings Telephone Service**

Ken & Teresa invite you to join them at the weekly Telephone Service on Wednesdays at 9.30am.

Please see below on how to join in or contact the Parish Office for help.

All welcome

*Benefice Telephone Service*

**To join our telephone service**

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**Dial: 03330164757**

**Room Number: 30497259#**

**Room Number: 5856#**

### **Opportunities to Pray**

#### **Morning Prayer**

**Monday to Wednesday via Zoom at 8.30am**

#### **Prayer @ 6**

**Monday to Thursday via Zoom at 6pm**

#### **Zoom Meeting Details for Morning Prayer and Prayer@6**

**<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85017998147pwd=LOFWMnZENHlvZ3VxS3FOeWpaNXJWZz09>**

**Meeting ID: 850 1799 8147      Passcode: Prayer**

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### **Supporting the Mission and Ministry of St Mary's Church**

If you would like to make an online donation to support the ongoing work of St Mary's please click on the donate button . It will redirect you to our online giving page. You can also give in other ways like standing order, through the contactless device in church, through our website or by cash. For more information about how to give, please speak to Pam F our treasurer and she will be able to help you.

**[Donate](#)**

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## Christmas Day Lunch

Churches Together in Keynsham and Salford are organising the Christmas Day Lunch for people who would otherwise be spending the day alone.

Please encourage anyone you think would appreciate the opportunity to share Christmas Day with others to make enquiries – or help them to get in touch to make a reservation. Guests may bring a partner, friend or carer, must live in the local area, within 5 miles, and lifts to and from the venue can be arranged.

The lunch is free of charge but donations are welcome.

We look forward to seeing you there!



## *CHRISTMAS DAY LUNCH*

Do you have any plans?  
Will you be spending the day alone?

Come along and enjoy the day in the  
company of others

*Christmas Dinner and  
Entertainment*

Keynsham Methodist Church Hall,  
Queen's Road

12.00noon —3.00pm

**Booking essential**

Contact June Lowe  
0117 9860097 or 07494 350596



# MEET THE

*Rector*



**ST MARY'S**  
Saltford

On the second  
Tuesday of every  
month I'm in St  
Mary's hall from  
0930 - 1130



**ALL SAINTS**  
Corston

On the first and  
third Wednesdays  
of every month I'm  
at All Saints coffee  
morning from 1030  
- 1200



**HOLY TRINITY**  
Newton St Loe

On the fourth  
Tuesday of every  
month I'm at  
Newton Farm café  
from 0930 - 1200

**JOIN ME FOR A DRINK AND A CHAT  
AT ANY OF THESE PLACES**

# REGULAR ACTIVITIES IN ST MARY'S HALL

MONDAY

10.30am Vast UK - weekly  
2pm Mobiflex - weekly

TUESDAY

10am Coffee Morning - monthly (2nd Tues)  
6.30pm Somatic Movement - weekly

WEDNESDAY

10.30am Vast UK - weekly  
6pm Vitality Pilates - weekly  
7.30pm Elite Ladies Kickboxing - weekly

THURSDAY

9.30am Toddler Group - weekly  
8pm Bath Circle of Magicians - fortnightly

FRIDAY

10am Foodbank - weekly

SATURDAY

10am Perform - weekly  
10am Farandole Dancers - monthly (3rd Sat)

SUNDAY

8.45am Parish Breakfast - monthly  
10.15am Refreshments after Church - weekly

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH NEWTON ST LOE  
IS HOSTING**

**A BENEFICE FUN  
SKITTLES EVENING**



**NEWTON  
VILLAGE HALL**

**THURSDAY  
30TH JANUARY 2025**

**£2 PER HEAD**

**ALL WELCOME**

**FOR FULL DETAILS SEE LEAFLET IN CHURCH**

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**KTKS Christian Aid Christmas Appeal**

Christian Aid is helping share comfort and joy to refugees in South Sudan this Christmas. Please see our Keynsham webpage at <https://www.keynshamparish.org.uk/christian-aid-1> for information and to see how you can help.

As well as donating via our webpage or via <https://fundraise.christianaid.org.uk/envelope-2024/keynsham2024>, appeal envelopes will be available at all our churches. If you wish to forward cash or a cheque (payable to 'Christian Aid') please send to Jeff Francis, 36 Martock Road, Keynsham, Bristol BS31 1XA.

***This Christmas, please help families who are suffering upheaval,  
hunger and malnutrition.***

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### **Safeguarding**

If you have cause for concern regarding the safety of a child or vulnerable adult it is vital that you contact our Benefice Safeguarding Officer.

### **Benefice Safeguarding Officer**

Mrs Sue Dixon  
01225 359014  
smdstm31@gmail.com

### **Contact Us**

#### **Rector**

Revd Nigel Williams  
(Day off Friday)  
Rector@scnbenefice.org.uk  
07850 887498

#### **Administrator**

Liz Benden  
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Parish Office Opening Hours  
(term time only)  
Tues - Thurs 9am-12pm  
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scnbenefice@gmail.com

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Robin Dixon  
01225 359014  
Ken Plant  
01225 872904

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01225 874591  
Ian (Saltford)  
01225 872275  
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07983 910796  
David (Corston)

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Matthew (Newton)  
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