



Welcome to worship at Christ Church, Walmsley & St Andrew's, Bromley Cross
Part of the Turton Moorland Team Ministry
"Building partnership in Christ, church and community"

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Christ the King

Christ Church Walmsley:

8.00 am:	Eucharist Reverend Jan Ainsworth
9.30 am:	Sung Eucharist Reverend Jan Ainsworth
6.30 pm:	Evening Prayer Adrian Golland

St Andrew's:

11.00 am:	Sung Eucharist Canon David Dunn
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SERVICES in the WEEK ahead

Tues 9.30 am Eucharist (Christ Church)

Thurs 9am School Eucharist

Next Sunday: Advent Sunday
Christ Church Walmsley:

8.00 am:	Eucharist Reverend Carol Hayden
9.30 am:	FAMILY SERVICE Reverend Carol Hayden
4.30 pm:	Ceremony of Lighting the Christmas Tree at Dunsar War Memorial
6.30 pm:	Evening Prayer John Evans

St Andrew's:

11.00 am:	Sung Eucharist Canon David Dunn
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Dates for your Diary:

CHRISTMAS SERVICES
ST ANDREW'S CHURCH:

- * CHRISTMAS EVE at 7.00 pm
- * First Communion of Christmas: CHRISTMAS DAY at 10.30 am: Communion Service for all the family.

CHRIST CHURCH WALMSLEY:

- * **CAROL SERVICE** – Sunday 16th December at 6.30pm
- * CHRISTMAS EVE at 3.00 pm: Round the Crib - a lovely informal service for families with young children.
- * CHRISTMAS EVE at 11.00 pm: Midnight Communion
- * CHRISTMAS DAY at 9.00 am: Family Communion Service – the children can bring their favourite gift to show us.

Walmsley Wombles Walking Fellowship

CHRISTMAS WALK: Thurs 27th December
More details to follow

Next Walk by water (2nd Saturday)

will be in January – to be confirmed. Contacts:

Ken 595124 - Steve 307885

Thank you to Steve Gregory & Ken Holt for organising & leading these walks ☺



St Andrew's Church CHRISTMAS Coffee morning
Saturday 1 December
10.00 am to 12 noon

Baking, sandwiches, delicious salads, the best bacon & egg barmes & coffee.
Browse the Book Stall, Bric a Brac and clothes.
Hosted by St Andrew's Ladies



The next **Walmsley Mothers' Union** meeting will be our Christmas Meal out on **Tuesday 4 December** at 7pm. Please let us know if you need a lift.

Ten to two – Time with You
Christ Church Walmsley
is **OPEN** on the first Wednesday of each month 10am-2pm for quiet prayer and reflection.
NEXT DATE: 5 December
Pop in for five minutes or the whole four hours!
Be still and know that I am God.

Good news ~ Church info ...

Reverend Carol is collecting small gifts for the 'Christmas Alone' Afternoon Tea at the Baptist Church on 22nd December if anyone would like to donate. Please leave at the back of either church for Rev'd Carol. Thank you.

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS Donations towards the cost of flowers in Christ Church are much appreciated and may be made in memory of a loved one. Please see Edna Welsby at 8am service or Marlene Holt at the 9.30am. You can also leave an envelope marked 'Church Flowers Donation' with your name and the name of your loved one. Or speak to a Church Warden.

Much appreciation also to the ladies who arrange the beautiful floral displays each week. Thank you.

GRAVE POTS may be ordered from Christ Church for delivery in December. £4.50 each. Enquiries to Kath Rushton tel. 308148 ~ or sign the order form at the back of church.



Notices for this sheet? Please email:

dawn@walmsleyparish.co.uk

*The copy deadline NEXT WEEK will be **TUESDAY 7pm*** Thank you.

THE PRAYER GROUP

For prayer needs, please telephone:
Lorraine Kearney – 304273 or
Pamela Marden – 450723, 07809763604.
We meet for prayer in the Dimple Chapel after the 9.30am Sunday Service at Christ Church and on the first Wednesday of every month at the home of Pamela Marden.

Situations vacant...

FOCUS MAGAZINE: We are still looking for an **Editor & Distributor** to take over from Amanda & Andy Crowther who have done a splendid job of producing our Church Mag for 8 years. If any would-be editors are interested, please have a chat with Amanda on 07854160681 or speak to your Church Wardens. We wish to appoint an Editor ready to organise the December/January issue.

Thank you to all our volunteers

who give of their time to assist in services and in the general running of church life in Walmsley Parish. With grateful thanks from your Church Wardens.

We value your stewardship:

Can you help us more generously with your time and skills as we care for the running and upkeep of our two places of worship...?

more info ...

HAVE YOU MODERNISED YOUR GIVING YET BY SWITCHING TO STANDING ORDER?

Our CHURCH expenses for our beautiful places of worship and their grounds continue to increase.

Your commitment to a regular offertory amount makes a big difference!

Standing order: Acc no.10251161

Sort code: 16 – 00 – 06

Payable to Walmsley Parochial Church **(AND GIFT AIDING adds an extra 25% at no extra cost to you!)**

Gift Aid forms available to complete at the back of church. Thank you.

Walmsley Parish Hall

Hold your next Party or Meeting in the Parish Hall. Dining parties of up to 100 persons can be accommodated in the main hall with space for dancing.

For details of rates and availability, please contact: Anne Swift on 302844 Or contact via the church website.

GRUB TUB – helping those in need in Bolton ... (Part of URBAN OUTREACH)

Please put your contributions in the tub at the back of both churches. Thank you.

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