

Beulah United Reformed Church

Sunday, December 17th, 2017

Advent 3: Love

- Today:** **10.30am:** Worship led by the Senior Department
Coffee served in Canolfan after worship
6.00pm: Carol Service
7.15pm: Youth Fellowship
- Monday** **10.00am:** Miss Tilley's Community Café
- Tuesday:** **10.00am:** Miss Tilley's Community Café
7.00pm: Carol Singing (see Special Announcements for details)
- Wednesday:** **10.30am:** Church Office
10.30am: Mid-Week Meeting Point
7.00pm: Carol Singing
- Thursday:** **7.00pm:** Carol Singing
- Friday:** **7.00pm:** Carol Singing
- Saturday:** **10.30am:** Carol Singing outside Whittaker Lounge
11.00am: KIN Coffee Morning in Canolfan
- Sunday, Dec 24th:** **PLEASE NOTE: NO MORNING SERVICE**
5.00pm: Blessing the Crib
11.15pm: Midnight Communion: Revd. Roger Bidnell

The flowers today were donated by Nick and Tanya Hampson for their wedding anniversary, and arranged by Karen Holbrook.

Monday, Dec. 25th : 10.45am: Family Worship for Christmas Day:
Mr. Geraint Richards

The Christmas flowers will be donated by Mary and Lesley Richards, and arranged by Karen Holbrook.

Saturday: Dec. 30th: **10.15am:** WRB Prayers at Rhiwbina Baptist Church
Sunday, Dec.31st: **10.30am:** Family Worship led by Mr Richard & Mrs Sarah
Edwards
Coffee served in Canolfan after worship

Creche facilities are available in the Lounge at the back of the church.

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SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1. **BEULAH CHRISTMAS CARD:** This is at the front of the church for you to send greetings to your Beulah friends; gift aid envelopes are available and the donations will go to the Samaritans.
2. **ADVENT & CHRISTMAS AT BEULAH:** leaflets detailing all events and services are available in the porch. Please note that there is *no* service on Christmas Eve morning.
3. **ADVENT WRITINGS BOOKLET:** Please take a copy as you leave today.
4. **BEULAH CALENDAR: 2018:** an ideal Christmas gift showing beautiful photographs of some of Beulah's art-work. Cost: £6.50, with profits going to Heath Help International.
5. **CAROL SINGING: December 19-22nd at 7.00pm**
 - **Tuesday & Wednesday:** leaving from Beulah
 - **Thursday:** leaving from All Saints
 - **Friday:** leaving from Bethany.
Refreshments provided each night by the church we leave from.
 - **Saturday** morning at 10.30am: outside Whittaker Lounge
6. **KIN CHRISTMAS COFFEE MORNING, 11.00am:** Coffee and Christmas Music in Canolfan.
7. **CHRISTMAS DAY.** There are slips in the Church Porch showing how you can help during the day: we particularly need drivers to transport our guests to and from Canolfan. We can't do this without **your** help. Thank you.
8. **NEW YEAR'S DAY BRUNCH:** Once again Tony Webb and his team of Merry Men will be serving Brunch in Canolfan from 11.00am on New Year's Day – all welcome.
9. **NEW YEAR PARTY:** Friday, January 5th, 6.30pm: For all the family – a sign-up sheet is in the porch – please sign if you wish to come to give the Social Team an idea of numbers.
10. **'THE MEANING OF CHRISTMAS IN RETROSPECT': Sunday January 7th:** 3.00pm at City United Reformed Church. All welcome.
11. **TRANSITIONAL MINISTRY:** Beulah's '**provocative proposals**' were discussed at Church Meeting. If you haven't already got a copy of these please collect one in the porch this morning. It is important that **everyone** sees these as we prepare for the next stage of our transitional process.
12. **OFFERTORY ENVELOPES, 2018:** These will be available for collection after worship today and next Sunday, in Canolfan.
13. **CROSSROADS FRONT PAGE:** please sign the list in the porch, or speak to Vera Ruddock, if you would like to contribute an article.