

**St Leonard's Parish**  
**WELCOME**  
**Our Notices and News**  
**Sunday 4 January**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Christmas**

**St Leonard's**

**8am Holy Communion** (BCP)

**9.30am All Age Parish Eucharist:** Revd Michael Darkins is presiding and Revd Dr Andy Yan is preaching. **All are welcome** to receive communion or a blessing. We provide activities on a Sunday morning to help the children and young people worship, pray and hear the Word of God.

**5pm Delving Deeper**

**Large Print Orders of Service** are available for most services

Our services at St Michael's and St Leonard's are live streamed at the published times, you will find the links to the online services on our website: [www.slhk.org](http://www.slhk.org)

Morning Prayer is held Monday-Thursday at 8.30am on Zoom and in St Leonard's. (Meeting no: 3821135036).

Evening Prayer is said at St Leonard's church Monday to Friday at 5pm.

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**SUPPORTING THE CHURCH**

**In generosity and faith:**

There are several ways you may support the church financially.

You may donate using this QR code, by using one of the donation stations, or by visiting the "Support the Parish" page on our website.



**Readings and Hymns for this Sunday**

**Communion Setting:** Rizza

**Readings:** Eph. 3:1-12 Matt. 2:1-12

**Hymns:** 105, 94, 68, 86

**Collect:**

Here's the Collect for tomorrow:  
Creator of the heavens,  
who led the Magi by a star  
to worship the Christ-child:  
guide and sustain us,  
that we may find our journey's end  
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Post Communion:**

Lord God,  
the bright splendour whom the nations seek:  
may we who with the wise men have been  
drawn by your light  
discern the glory of your presence in your Son,  
the Word made flesh, Jesus Christ our Lord.

**For our Prayers**

*Those known to us who are sick, suffering or otherwise in want of our prayers:*  
Scott Mattocks, Angie Whawell

*Those who have died, their families and all who mourn them:*

Joy Sandell, Rachael Stratton

*Our parish prayer intention:*

We pray for Josh and the work of MAF

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**St Michael's Methodist-Anglican Church  
Centre**

**11.00: No service at St Michaels. Circuit  
Service at St Andrews Cheriton  
Midweek Holy Communion:** on Wednesdays  
at 11.00. All are welcome.

**The Community Coffee Mornings** at  
St Michael's take place on 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Fridays of  
each month. The next one is on Friday 16  
January from 10am until noon. All are  
welcome.

**The St. Michael's Tuesday Friendship Group**  
meets monthly in the School Room at 2.30pm  
until 4.30pm. The next meeting is on  
**6 January**. It is organised by Christine Porter.  
All are most welcome as we plan our future  
activities.

**St Michael's Methodist Anglican Church  
Centre Hythe Newsletter**

To receive this weekly newsletter please  
contact [editor@stmichaelshythe.org.uk](mailto:editor@stmichaelshythe.org.uk)

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY AND NOTICES  
Hythe Parish Review.**

The January/February edition will be  
published in mid-January.

**Youth Group Winter Sleepout**

On the night of the 23<sup>rd</sup>  
January, members from  
our church youth group  
be sleeping out in  
church (with the  
heating off) to raise  
money for the Rainbow  
Centre. We're hoping to  
raise over £1,500, so  
please give generously.  
You can sponsor either  
using the form at the back of church or scan  
the QR code.



**SCAN ME**

**Growing in Fellowship and the Word – 12pm  
Tuesdays at 23 Nursery Fields**

This group will resume meeting on **13 January**.  
Join Revd Andy for lunch and, bible study and  
fellowship on Tuesday lunchtimes. Lunch will  
be provided, but you'll need to bring your own  
bible. Please contact Andy on 07835 382924 by  
Monday morning if you are coming.

**Easy Fundraising**

You can support the parish by shopping with  
[easyfundraising.org.uk](http://easyfundraising.org.uk) Scan the QR code  
below for more information.



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