



ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST NEWS



Remembrance Sunday



On a beautiful autumn morning the village again came together to recognise the ultimate sacrifice paid by so many in conflicts over the last century. A large crowd stood in silence as the names of the fallen were read out. Those laying wreaths on behalf of the village and its institutions were joined by representatives from the Royal Navy, Alnmouth Army Veterans, RAF Boulmer, the Police and Scouts. The Beavers and Squirrels laid wreaths that they had made themselves - poignant gesture from the next generation.



It was lovely to welcome
Amber and Ruby into St John the Baptist church at the
end of October to celebrate their baptism, with family
and friends.



Events

A poster for a Christmas event. The background is a dark night sky with a large, brightly lit Christmas tree in the center, surrounded by smaller trees. The text is white and yellow. The title 'ALNMOUTH Christmas Lights SWITCH ON AT THE CHURCH GREEN' is on the left. The date '25 NOVEMBER 2023' is at the bottom. The event details are on the right.

ALNMOUTH

Christmas Lights

SWITCH
ON
AT THE
CHURCH GREEN

25 NOVEMBER 2023

16:30 MULLED
WINE, MINCE
PIES AND CHOIR

17:00 SWITCH
ON AND VISIT
FROM SANTA

A poster for an afternoon concert. The background is a close-up of an organ console. The text is in a serif font. The title 'AFTERNOON CONCERT' is in large, bold letters. The names of the performers are listed below. The venue and date are also included. There are three small images at the bottom: a church exterior, a floral arrangement, and the interior of a church.

**AFTERNOON
CONCERT**

Alison Rudd (organ and flute)
Isabel Morrison (piano)
Ann-Britt Hedley (violin)

St John the Baptist Church
Saturday 9th December 3pm
short interval with tea and biscuits



IN AID OF THE ORGAN REPAIR FUND

ST JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH

CHRISTMAS

COFFEE • MORNING

Saturday 16th December
Hindmarsh Hall 10am - 12 noon

*Cakes & Produce, Christmas Raffle
Tea, Coffee, Shortbread & Mince Pies
Christmas Tombola*



Church Services

Advent Sunday

From darkness to light

A candlelit service of carols & readings



Sunday 3rd December | 4pm
St John the Baptist, Alnmouth

Seasonal refreshments will be served after the service.



Sunday 10th December Family worship

10.30am

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Sunday 17th December 9.15 am Parish

Communion

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Christmas Eve Crib Service

3pm outside (weather permitting!)

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Christmas Communion 9.15 am Christmas Day



As we prepare for the season of Advent,
may the anticipation of a new beginning fill our
hearts with hope,
the quiet moments of reflection deepen our faith,
and the joyous celebrations remind us of the love
that binds us together.
Amen.



New!

Make sure to stay connected and up to date with what is happening in our group of 9 Coastland Churches.

Sign up by scanning this QR code and following the link to receive a monthly newsletter containing service times, events and articles of interest.

The December issue (sent 01.12.23) will contain all the details about Advent and Christmas. Don't miss it!

Contact Rev'd Nathanael for more details at rev.n.hayler@gmail.com or 07305 242974



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**Coastland
Churches**

ADVENT

Discussion | Fellowship | Prayer

Evening Meeting

Tuesday 28th Nov & Dec 5th, 12th, 19th
7-8:30pm | Lesbury Vicarage, NE66 3AU

Daytime Meeting

Thursday 30th Nov & Dec 7th, 14th, 21st
2-4pm | Howick Village Hall

N.B. groups run in parallel with the same content.