



Tis the season to be jolly....

Jolly! Jolliness can be an elusive emotion unless you happen to be Santa Claus. Some of us love this time of year and struggle to stick to a sensible amount of Christmas decoration and tacky knitwear – I put my hand up here. I love all the Christmas bling even if , by Christmas Day, I’m still wearing reindeer antlers, way too much glitter and I’ve lost my voice.



For some, being jolly may be easier during Advent’s exciting run-up. However, it can change to tiredness and a drained feeling as we approach the big day, as pressures and responsibilities pile up. Others of us may find it hard to find any jollity at all at this time of year, when we acknowledge loved ones no longer with us.

So jolly may not be the right word but *joy* is a fitting emotion for this season, particularly for Christians as we celebrate the humble, mystical and divine birth of Jesus. At Christmas, the angel Gabriel declares to ordinary people, to you and me today, to the shepherds then, ‘I am bringing you good news of great joy for all people; to you is born this day a Saviour, who is the Messiah Christ the Lord.’



This is a message for everyone. This is good news for you! And whatever you are facing right now, don’t we all need more joy? It feels as though this month is already designed to sap our positivity. The looming General Election seems to encourage conflict and extreme weather conditions remind us of our over-consumption.

This is all before we add in our own personal stresses and struggles. But then Christmas interjects with its beauty, awe and wonder! When heaven opens and earth glimpses indescribable things not of this world: angels, heavenly beings, God. For a moment time can stop.



Between the dark nights and heavy days may you have many such stops to contemplate the wonder and joy of this season. In the maelstrom of arols, fairy lights and crazy jumpers, may you be aware of the birth of a precious baby, bringing heaven to earth.

Jesus! Emmanuel!
Christmas joy to you, love Skye.

Please join Joel, Sofia, Phoenix, Casper and me at our Christmas Open House at Marston Vicarage, Elsfield Road, Old Marston OX3 0PR on 23 Dec between 2 and 9pm
Feel free to drop in at any time!

Parish Calendar for December 2019

St Nicholas, Marston

1 Advent Sunday

8am Holy Communion (BCP).....Revd Andy Gosler
10am All Age Christingle.....Revd Skye Denno
6pm Healing Service with HC.....Revd Skye Denno

4 Wednesday

9.30am Holy Communion (CW)..Revd Skye Denno

8 Second Sunday of Advent

8am Holy Communion (BCP).....Revd Skye Denno
10am Parish Communion (CW)..... Revd Skye Denno
6pm Evensong (BCP).....Revd Skye Denno

11 Wednesday

9.30am Holy Communion (CW)..Revd Skye Denno

14 Saturday

4.30pm Carol singing around the tree

15 Third Sunday of Advent

8am Holy Communion (BCP).....Revd Andy Gosler
10am Parish Communion (CW).....Revd Skye Denno
6pm Service of Nine Lessons and Carols

18 Wednesday

9.30am Holy Communion.....Revd Skye Denno

19 Saturday

7pm Beer and Carols at the Red Lion

22 Fourth Sunday in Advent

8am Holy Communion.....Revd Andy Gosler
10am Parish Communion (CW).Revd Andy Gosler
6pm Choral Evensong.....Revd Skye Denno

24 Tuesday – Christmas Eve

5pm Carol Service.....Revd Skye Denno
7pm Carol Service.....Revd Skye Denno
11.30pm Midnight Mass.....Revd Andy Gosler

25 Wednesday – Christmas Day

10am Family Communion.....Revd Andy Gosler

29 First Sunday of Christmas

8am Holy Communion (BCP).....Revd Skye Denno
10am Parish Communion (CW)....Revd Skye Denno
6pm Taizé Service.....Revd Skye Denno

St Thomas of Canterbury, Elsfield

19 Thursday

6.30pm Elsfield Carol Service.....Joel Denno

25 Wednesday – Christmas Day

12noon Holy Communion.....Revd Skye Denno

Bible Readings for Parish Communion

8 Isa 11: 1-10; Rom 15: 4-13; Matt 3: 1-12
15 Isa 35: 1-10; Jam 5: 7-10; Matt 11: 2-11
22 Isa 7: 10-16; Rom 1: 1-7; Matt 1: 18-25
29 Isa 63: 7-9; Heb 2: 10-18; Matt 2: 13-23

Vicar Revd Skye Denno.....202988

COFFEE POT

Our next meeting will be for coffee on Mon 2 Dec in the Parish Hall from 10.30 - 12pm: do come and join us! For lifts, please phone Eileen Palayiwa 725423 or David Blair 246959. Next meeting will be on 20 Jan.

OVER 50s CLUB

The Over-50s Christmas lunch (for members only) will be on Tue 3 Dec, starting at 12.30 for 1, at the Bowls Club, Marston Ferry Road. We meet again on 13 Jan.

WI MEETING

The next W.I. meeting will be on Tue 10 Dec in the Parish Hall for *Mince pies, Magic and Fizz!* Come and enjoy Eugene Matthews, magician extraordinaire! Husbands, partners and friends warmly invited to share our Christmas celebration.

THIS IS THE DAY

Come and join us at our Dementia Friendly Service on Wed 11 Dec from 2.30 – 4pm at Marston URC, 352 Marston Road OX3 0JB. All are very welcome. This short Ecumenical service is particularly suitable for those living with dementia, memory problems or any kind of special needs and will be followed by tea and cakes, activities and fellowship. Contact Val Stolton on 246157 or 07712 495406 or valstolton@aol.com.

ECUMENICAL QUIET DAY

The next EQD will be on Thur 19 Dec at Marston URC and will be led by Revd Jean King from 12 - 4pm. All are welcome: please bring your own packed lunch.

MARSTON COMMUNITY GARDENING

With great relief, we are now able to resume garden clearance jobs in Marston. We can use anything from wheelbarrows to compost for recycling, rather than ending up in landfill, which takes up space and is Bad for our planet! We can also repair equipment for re-use. Find our phone numbers on the back page.

MESSY CHURCH COMING TO MARSTON

We are that from January, we will be running Messy Church sessions in the Parish Hall on the third Sunday of each month. This is an all age experience, with crafts, food and worship. First session is on 19 Jan, 10am - 11.30am: all welcome. Come join in the fun!

MARSTON ART CLUB

We are a friendly, informal Art Club, doing our own thing with help from an experienced artist; we meet most Tuesdays at the URC, Marston Road at 1.30. £3 per session and beginners are welcome. Contact Carolyn on 768443 for more information.

The Marston Parish Living Advent Calendar

This is an Advent Calendar with a difference! Like all Advent Calendars, windows are opened as we count down to Christmas.

Each day one house/place in the Parish will have an Advent window displayed. The list of places and times are set out on the calendar below.

The decorated window will be revealed at the time listed with a little ceremony and people attending will sing a carol outside the window to celebrate.

All the windows will stay decorated for viewing until after the Christmas festivities. Do join us on any night to open a new window or walk around the Parish during the Advent and Christmas season to see them.



Follow the Marston Living Advent Calendar

Each Night A Different Place

<p>10 am Service 1</p>  <p>St Nicholas Church Elsfield Road</p>	<p>2</p>  <p>7 pm 3 Little Acreage</p>	<p>7pm 3</p>  <p>Church Farm Church Lane</p>	<p>7pm 4</p>  <p>78 Cherwell Drive</p>	<p>7pm 5</p>  <p>4 Ponds Lane</p>
<p>7pm 6</p>  <p>67 Oxford Road</p>	<p>7</p>  <p>7pm 21a Oxford Road</p>	<p>7.15 pm 8</p>  <p>after service 5 Little Acreage</p>	<p>9</p>  <p>7pm 2 Southercroft</p>	<p>10</p>  <p>7pm 21 Church Lane</p>
<p>7pm 11</p>  <p>15 Fane Road</p>	<p>7pm 12</p>  <p>98 Cherwell Drive</p>	<p>7pm 13</p>  <p>64 Arlington Drive</p>	<p>3 pm 14</p>  <p>Fiona's 9 Salford Road</p>	<p>11.30 am - 15</p>  <p>after service Church Hall Elsfield Road</p>
<p>7pm 16</p>  <p>78 Oxford Road</p>	<p>7pm 17</p>  <p>74 Oxford Road</p>	<p>7pm 18</p>  <p>4 Elsfield Road</p>	<p>4 pm 19</p>  <p>Bradlands Mill Lane</p>	<p>20</p>  <p>Victoria Arms 7pm</p>
<p>7pm 21</p>  <p>The Red Lion</p>	<p>22</p>  <p>46 St Nicholas Park 7pm</p>	<p>7pm 23</p>  <p>The Vicarage Elsfield Road</p>	<p>Carol Service 24</p>  <p>5pm St Nicholas Church</p>	<p>25</p> 

Our heroes and heroines - Marston Times' deliverers and their routes

Arlington Drive, 1-39 odds	Maureen Davis, 17 Hayes Close
Arlington Drive, all other addresses	Gill Hale, 64 Arlington Drive
Ashlong Road	Celia Mossman, 11 Southdale Road
Barns Hay	Marianne Cook, 96A Oxford Road
Beechey Avenue	Eileen Palayiwa, 27 Ouseley Close
Boults Lane & Close	Felicity Dendy, 1 Rimmer Close
Bradlands	Bill Cook, 96A Oxford Road
Broughton Close	Mandy Clare, 45 Ouseley Close
Butts, The	Sarah Cowdrey, 19 Church Lane
Cannons Field	James Lawrie, 4 Elsfield Road
Cavendish Drive	Margaret Avery, 8 Cavendish Drive
Cherwell Drive, evens	Vivienne Langton, 6 Gordon Close
Cherwell Drive, odds	Ruth Sandles, 13 Clays Close
Church Lane	Sarah Cowdrey, 19 Church Lane
Clays Close	Lesley Court, 179 Morrell Avenue
Cotswold Crescent	Tessa Hennessy, 27 Hugh Allen Crescent
Cromwell Close	Ian Ross, 74 Oxford Road
Cumberlege Close	Bill Cook, 96A Oxford Road
Dents Close	Mavis Embury, 2 Elms Drive
Elms Drive, 1-43 odds	Mary Monger, 37 Marsh Lane
Elms Drive, 45-69 odds, 2-70 evens	Julia Horsley, 46 Elms Drive
Elsfield Road	James Lawrie, 4 Elsfield Road
Elsfield Village	Vicky Bradford, Elsfield
Ewin Close & Court	Mervyn Hughes, 7 Snowden Mede
Fairfax Avenue	Ian Ross, 74 Oxford Road
Fane Road	Charlotte Ritchie, 33 Oxford Road
Gordon Close	Mandy Clare, 45 Ouseley Close
Grange Court	Jill Horner, 31 Oxford Road
Harlow Way	Jane Burd, 3 Little Acreage
Haynes Road	Tessa Hennessy, 27 Hugh Allen Crescent
Horseman Close	Paula Savin, 14 Elms Drive
Jessops Close	Lesley Court, 179 Morrell Avenue
Lewell Avenue	Celia Mossman, 11 Southdale Road
Link, The	Keith Brain, 13 Jack Straws Lane
Little Acreage	James Lawrie, 4 Elsfield Road
Lodge Close	Mavis Embury, 2 Elms Drive
Marsh Lane 1-37	Celia Mossman, 11 Southdale Road
Marsh Lane, 39-57/56-70	Mavis Embury, 2 Elms Drive
Mill Lane, 2, 4, 1-17	Marianne Cook, 96A Oxford Road
Mill Lane, from 19	Desi Choi, 5 Little Acreage
Mortimer Drive	Keith Brain, 13 Jack Straws Lane
Nicholas Avenue	Keith Brain, 13 Jack Straws Lane
Ouseley Close	Eileen Palayiwa, 27 Ouseley Close
Oxford Road, 1-29	Jill Horner, 31 Oxford Road
Oxford Road, 30-44	Christine Stone, 33D Oxford Road
Oxford Road, 46-110 evens	Mandy Clare, 45 Ouseley Close
Oxford Road, 85-147 odds	Mandy Clare, 45 Ouseley Close
Oxford Road, 112-154 evens	Helen Couling, 13 Marsh Lane

Oxford Road, shops	Eileen Palayiwa, 27 Ouseley Close
Parkway, 1-13, 15, 17, 19	Helen Couling, 13 Marsh Lane
Parkway, 14- evens	Desi Choi, 5 Little Acreage
Ponds Lane	Sarah Cowdrey, 19 Church Lane
Raymund Road evens	Fieke Hogg, 116 Ferry Road
Raymund Road odds	Jennie Burrow, 21A Oxford Road
Rimmer Close	Felicity Dendy, 1 Rimmer Close
Rippington Drive, 1-69	Sheila Wynne, 24 Larkfields
Rylands	Mandy Clare, 45 Ouseley Close
St. Nicholas Park	Helen Couling, 13 Marsh Lane
St. Nicholas School	Jane Burd, 3 Little Acreage
Salford Road	Jennie Burrow, 21A Oxford Road
Southcroft	James Lawrie, 4 Elsfield Road
Ward's Mobile Homes	Helen Couling, 13 Marsh Lane
White Hart houses	Jill Horner, 31 Oxford Road
Windsor Crescent	Tessa Hennessy, 27 Hugh Allen Crescent

Subscriptions to receive the Marston Times in 2020 are now due. For households in the Parish of Marston St Nicholas you can

- pay directly to your dedicated deliverer (see above!) £3 by cash or by cheque made payable to **PCC of St Nicholas Marston** and write your name/address on the back.
or
- pay directly to Colin Harris, 31 Elms Drive, Marston OX3 0NN £3 by cash or by cheque made payable to **PCC of St Nicholas Marston** and write your name/address on the back.

In either case, please remember to include your name/address with any payment you make.

- If you live outside the Parish, please send a cheque directly to Colin Harris, 31 Elms Drive, Marston OX3 0NN, for £11 (inc 2nd class post), made payable to **PCC of St Nicholas Marston** and write your name/address on the back.
- Copies are also available in St Nicholas Church at 30p per issue: money to go in the wall box.



14th December
Carols
around the Tree
 starts at **4:30pm**
 switching on of lights



Silly Hats & Tinsel is optional

with Mince Pies, Mulled Wine & Mulled Apple Juice

Thursday
19th December
Carol service
 with the *Elsfield Singers*
 at
St Thomas of Canterbury,
Elsfield
6:30pm
 followed by Mulled wine and mince pies
All Welcome

Sat 21st
December
Carols & Beer
 at the **'Red Lion'**
 42 Oxford Rd, Old Marston,
 OX3 0PH
starts 7pm
 Come along with
 instruments and join the
Merry fun!

St Nicholas Church & St Thomas Church
Marston & Elsfield
CHRISTMAS SERVICES

Sun 1st Dec All Age Christingle 10am
 Sat 14th Dec Carols around the Tree 4:30pm
 Sun 15th Dec Nine Lessons and Carols 6pm
 Thurs 19th Dec Carol Service in Elsfield 6:30pm
 Sat 21st Dec Beer and Carols at the Red Lion 7pm

Christmas Eve
 Carol Services 5pm & 7pm
 Midnight Holy Communion 11:30pm

Christmas Day
 Family Communion 10am
 Holy Communion in Elsfield 12noon
All Welcome

Christmas
Eve

Carol services
 at **St Nicholas Church**
5pm
 With the Nativity story
 Suitable for all ages esp. under 5's
 &
7pm
 Carols, Bible Readings & Poems
All Welcome

St Nicholas
 Marston

**Service of Worship in
 honour of the birth of Jesus.**

Join us and celebrate as
 Christmas Eve gives way to
 Christmas Day.



Midnight Holy Communion
December 24 @ 11:30 pm

St Nicholas Church, Marston
 & St Thomas Church, Elsfield.

25th December
Christmas Day
10am
*Family Communion
 in Marston*
12noon
*Holy Communion
 in Elsfield*
 Come along and Celebrate!
All Welcome

MORE FROM MARSTON COMMUNITY GARDENING

We are indebted to Skye and Joel Denno for the use of their garage until we find a long-term solution for a storage facility, community space and recycling centre. We are still looking for a permanent home on public land, which is central, accessible and suitable for storage: any suggestions will be gratefully received.

BELLRINGERS' NOTES

There was a healthy turnout on a wet and windy autumn Saturday for a three-tower Berkshire outing. First was Hannington, a ground floor light ring of six, then onto Wolverton. This Georgian-built church was encased in red brick around 1710: the tower actually swayed whilst the bells were being rung. It felt like being on a gentle train ride! Despite this, all felt they were lovely bells to ring. The third tower had no bells but a nice light lunch that we all tucked into! It was the old RAF Greenham Common Control Tower, recently converted to a café, having been left derelict since 1992 when the US Air Force departed and the base closed. There is a small museum and the observation deck offers outstanding views of what was one of the longest runways in Europe but is now common land for all to enjoy. It was a return to Greenham Common for St Nicholas ringer Jane, a Women's Peace Camp participant here in the 1980s.

FRANCES VALENTINE REFLEXOLOGY

Reflexology is a complimentary treatment, using massage to reflex points found in the feet or hands. It brings about a state of deep relaxation, may be used alongside orthodox medicine and can be particularly helpful with stress-related symptoms. See back page for contact details - a new listing.

ROAD CLOSURE IN MARSTON

Oxford Road, from the junction of Mill Lane/Elsfield Rd to junction with Cherwell Drive, will be closed 6 Jan - 20 April to allow replacement of a gas main. No through traffic apart from emergency services and access to premises only accessible from the closed section of road. You can look for yourselves on <http://www.oldmarston-pc.gov.uk/index.html>

TONY CARR

His son Neil would like us to know that Tony Carr died peacefully on Fri 1 Nov aged 92. His funeral took place on 20 Nov at St George's Church, Little Thetford. In Fane Road from 1967 he moved to Cambridgeshire in 2000; a keen allotment holder and had many friends and colleagues in the village

PARISH COUNCIL OPEN MEETING NOTES

At the Nov PC meeting there were no planning applications to consider. Oxford CC has approved the application for 26 Elms Drive.

Tony Harris from Galliford Try gave an update on the Swan School. He said that all complaints were investigated and the complainants contacted to give feedback.

Chloe Dalglish from Naturehood Oxford, talked about the work being done in Marston and Florence Park. A project called One Thing 4 Wildlife asks people to do one thing to encourage wildlife into their gardens. Residents are asked to record this on the Naturehood website and the PC has been asked to help promote their activities. In the Spring they plan to start working with the schools in the Old Marston area.

Due to the fire in the old pavilion a revised asbestos survey is needed and the work must be retendered. This will further delay demolition.

The new play equipment in the Boult's Lane Recreation Ground is being used and the Council has received positive feedback.

The PC thanks the Red Lion for hosting the fireworks display. A well-organised and enjoyable event was had by all.

At the Nov meeting the Council reviewed the annual Action Plan.

Despite unforeseen delays, the Boult's Lane Recreation Grounds project is making progress. The play equipment is now in use; the installation of new fencing is being tendered. The list of criteria for meeting the Council Quality Standard will be submitted for evaluation. Safety checks on play equipment and the defibrillator are being completed and actioned where necessary. The Council recreation grounds and cemetery are, on the whole, being maintained as required.

The PC thanks City Councillor Mick Haines for the time and effort he gave to get the Post Office in Costcutters reopened. Many thought it was just another local facility lost, but Mick never gave up.

The Parish Council meets next on Mon 2 Dec in the Mortimer Hall at 7pm. All Parishioners are welcome to attend meetings.

The Clerk can be contacted by phone (203139) Mon to Wed 9am-1pm or a message can be left or email sent: clerk@oldmarston-pc.gov.uk. Information via www.oldmarston-pc.gov.uk, Facebook or Twitter.

Parish Clerk: Tim Cann – 01865 203139

Chairman: Duncan Hatfield - 07706 998224

www.oldmarston-pc.gov.uk

Parish Organisations

Allotments Associations

Court Place Farm, Boults Lane. Secretary: Mr. T. Cann
Sunday mornings 8.30 am – 11.00 am..... 01865 202104
Mill Lane Chairman: Dr. M. Unkovskaya 07771 702548
Treasurer Dana Vlad07919 493580
Secretary Christine Mitchell 07789 991051

Baby and Toddler Club

Gill Hale, 64 Arlington Drive 01865 248260

Bellringers:

Practice Friday 7.30pm Learners welcome
Anthony Hughes, 2, Oxford Road 01865 244570

Choirs and Musicians at St Nicholas

Junior Choir, SATB Choir, Music Group
Practices at various times.
Neil Barker 01865 604617 or 07774 050056

Coffee Pot

Coffee morning, monthly, Monday
David Blair 01865 246959 or 07917 298408
Eileen Palayiwa, 27 Ouseley Close 01865 725423

Rainbow, Brownie, Guide and Ranger Units

Evenings throughout the week.Adult volunteers as well as girls welcomed!
District Commissioner, Lesley Dentry, 07765 418067

Leisure:

OXS RAD Sports and Leisure Centre,
Court Place Farm, Marsh Lane..... 01865 741336

Library (next to Mortimer Hall)

Tuesday 2.00 pm to 5.00 pm 5.30 pm to 7.00 pm
Thursday 2.00 pm to 5.00 pm 5.30 pm to 7.00 pm
Friday 10.00 am to 12.00 noon. 2.00 pm to 5.00 pm
Saturday 9.30 am to 12.30 pm 01865 726823

Hedena Health Medical Centre..... 01865 227788

Marston Community Gardening

Alistair Morris 01865 724081
Kate Robinson 01865 766620

Marston Saints Football Club

John Page. www.msfc.org.uk

Mortimer Hall (Village Hall)

Chris Crane, 2 Raymund Road 01865 727995

Over 50s Club

Alternate Mondays, 2.30 pm in Church Hall.
Secretary, Jane Madden 01865 209086

Oxford City Council (Marston Representatives)

Mary Clarkson, 8 Dunstan Road, Oxford OX3 9BY 01865 751493
Mick Haines, 3 Croft Road 01865 421600

Oxfordshire County Council (Marston Representative)

Mark Lygo 07765 665 726

Oxford Preservation Trust, Marston Area

Lucy Hughes, Cross Farm. 01865 244570

Parentline

Confidential helpline for parents..... 01865 726600

Parish Council

Parish Clerk: Tim Cann, 8 Nicholas Avenue 01865 203139
(Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday 9.00 am – 1.00 pm)
Chairman: Duncan Hatfield07706 998224

Pre-school at Mortimer Hall

open 9 sessions a week 07818 236348

Royal British Legion Club Hall:

Steward 01865 243991

Schools

Friends of St Nicholas School..... 01865 242838

Scouts — 43rd Oxford (St. Nicholas) Scout Group, Boults Lane

Group Scout Leader, Tim Greaves..... tim.greaves@keble.oxon.org
Beaver Scout Leader, Sue Springett 01865 251515
Cub Scout Leader, Rachel Vallancevallance.whanau@gmail.com
Scouts Leader, Linda Phillips 07804 925705

St. Nicholas Church Hall and Committee Room

Alison Edwards, Parish Office 01865 580354

Women's Institute

Second Tuesday in month, 7.30 pm in Church Hall.
President, Sue Hawes 01865 247106
Secretary, Mavis Curtis..... 01865 351325

Trade Directory

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Northway Pharmacy: 2 Cherwell Drive, OX3 0LY 01865 763706

Marston Pharmacy: 11 Old Marston Road. 01865 243824

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76, Arlington Drive. 01865 724037, 07970 470176

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Tree Surgery, Fruit Tree Pruning

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Thursday 12 December