

# Pews News

St Peter & St Paul's Cranfield  
25th December 2022



## Christmas Day

### Readings

Isaiah 9:2-7

Luke 2:1-14

### Collect

Almighty God, you have given us your only-begotten Son to take our nature upon him and as at this time to be born of a pure virgin: grant that we, who have been born again and made your children by adoption and grace, may daily be renewed by your Holy Spirit; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

### Next Sunday – 1<sup>st</sup> January

10:30am – Morning Service (followed by Prayer Meeting)

Our services are sometimes livestreamed. To avoid the camera, please use the balcony or the seats under the balcony.

### Contact Details

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## Sermon Notes

### Notices

#### New Year Walk – 2<sup>nd</sup> January

A new year's walk from Cranfield Church to Hulcote Church is arranged for 2<sup>nd</sup> January. Meet at Cranfield Church lych gate at 9:30am. At Hulcote Church there will be some mince pies and mulled wine, and a couple of carols will be sung. Upon return, a lunch will be available at The Cross Keys. Lunch at the Cross Keys will be first priority to those on the walk. To book a lunch please speak to Andrew Pearson.

#### 14<sup>th</sup> January - New Year Concert

The Manor House Quartet will be playing for our New Year Concert on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> January at 7:30pm. Tickets from Andrew Pearson: 07898 022118.

#### 3-2-1 Course – 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> January. 7:30pm

In the new year we will be holding an evangelistic course over three evenings. This is the perfect course to invite your friends to!

#### Prayer Meetings Twice a Month

Going forward we will also hold a prayer meeting after the third Sunday of each month's service, as well as the first Sunday.

### Prayers

#### *For our persecuted family living in: Kyrgyzstan*

Pray that churches in Kyrgyzstan will be able to register and no longer be forced to act unlawfully. Ask that the Christians' witness during the pandemic will allow opportunities to share the Gospel.

#### *For those in particular need:*

Jean Sampson, Jim and Sheila Ewen, Pearl Cartmill, Dennis Howe, Julia Cox, and Sheila Francis.