



Parish of
St Peter Woking
St Peter's · St Mark's · All Souls'

ST PETER'S CHURCH, OLD WOKING



NATIVITY SERVICE SUNDAY 10th DECEMBER 2023 10.00am

Welcome

God is good
All the time
All the time
God is good

Carol **345 It came upon the midnight clear**

PREPARATION

Lighting of Advent Candle

Lord Jesus, light of the world,
the prophets said you would bring peace
and save your people in trouble.
Give peace in our hearts at Christmas
and show all the world God's love.
Amen.



Confession

Leader Lord Jesus, you came to gather the nations
 into the peace of your kingdom.
 Lord have mercy.
All **Lord have mercy.**

 You come in word and sacrament
 to strengthen us in holiness.
 Christ have mercy.
All **Christ have mercy.**

You will come in glory
with salvation for all your people.
Lord have mercy.

All Lord have mercy.

Readings – Isaiah 52:7-8 and Luke 2:1-7

Nativity Play – The Song of the Angels

Including:

Carol **644 The first nowell** (*v1 and v4 only*)

Carol **An angel appeared in the sky**

An angel appeared in the sky,
spreading her wings,
spreading her wings.

She spoke in a beautiful voice,
loudly and clear,
loudly and clear.

An angel appeared in the sky,
spreading her wings.

She spoke in a beautiful voice,
loudly and clear.

She told all the people below,
Jesus is born, Jesus is born.
She told all the people below,
Jesus is born.

Carol **47 Away in a manger** (*v1 children only*)

Talk The Song of Peace

Response

**All Let us bless the living God:
He was born of the Virgin Mary,
revealed in his glory,
worshipped by the angels,
proclaimed among the nations,
believed in throughout the world,
exalted to the highest heavens.
Blessed be God, our strength and our salvation,
now and for ever.
Amen.**

Intercessions

The Lord's Prayer

All **Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name
your kingdom come, your will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation
but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours, now and forever,
Amen.**

Notices

Offering - will be taken during the next carol

Carol **393 Joy to the world**

Blessing

Leader God sent his angels from glory to bring to the
shepherds the good news of Jesus' birth.

All **Yes! We thank you Lord.**

Leader We have heard his story, the story of God's own Son.

All **Yes! We thank you Lord.**

Leader May he fill us with joy to bring this good news to
others today.

All **Yes! We thank you Lord.**

And the blessing ...

Join us for refreshments in the Church Centre afterwards.

