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15th December 2019
Morning Worship –
11:00am
Third Sunday in Advent



welcome

The Congregation of Viewpark Parish Church welcomes all who are joining us for worship today. Visitors are invited to ask for assistance or information from any of the duty elders, the minister, or any member of the congregation. After the service tea, coffee, juice and biscuits are served in the café.

Everyone is welcome – please join us.

FREEDOM

TONIGHT at 7:00pm

Next Sunday
10:00am
in the Thornwood Room



Sunday morning crèche – Parents who would like their children looked after in the crèche should make this known to an Elder on door duty.

Large Print hymn sheets are available

Please ask an Elder on door duty.

Life and Work Magazine – the current issue is available at the back of the Church, Price £2.80

Rosepark Home – the monthly service (*rescheduled from 1st Dec*) will be held today at Rosepark Home at 2.30pm. Please support this worthwhile event which means a great deal to those in the home.

Viewpark Parish Christmas Cards – Thank you to all who helped with the production and delivery of the 2019 "Red Cards"

The Guild – Monday at 7:30 in the Small Hall – **Christmas Dinner**

Christmas Appeal 2019 –The Christmas Hampers will be delivered on **Tue 17 Dec** between 9 am and 7 pm and any outstanding deliveries on **Wed/Thurs 18/19 Dec**.

Time of Prayer - Monday (16th) from 7.30pm

Come and pray for families being helped through the Christmas Appeal.

Cards with family names are available today. Please take one or more home and pray for them over Christmas. We don't always know their circumstances but God does.

Christmas Post – for those who have signed up for this year's Post – the baskets labelled with your name are in the pigeon holes in the cupboard off the small.

Christmas Worship

Sunday 22 nd Dec	11:00 am	Family Service
	6:30 pm	Christingle
Tuesday 24 th Dec	11:15 pm	Carol Singing
	11:30 pm	Watchnight Service

the VIEW café

The Café will **be closed on** Tues & Wed & Thurs 24th, 25th and 26th December and again on Tues & Wed & Thurs, 31st Dec & 1st, 2nd January 2019

The staff would like to thank you for your custom and support over the past year and wish you a joyous Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Prayer Team – Prayers are offered for those named in the Prayer Book and for those who have requested prayer through the minister or church member. If you feel you or a loved one would benefit from prayer support please email: **prayer@viewparkparishchurch.org.uk**

"Cast all your cares on Him because He cares for you." 1 Peter.5:7

ViewCare Project

Viewpark Food Bank - We are short of supplies and would greatly appreciate donations of the following: Long Life Milk, Tinned Meat/Fish, Tinned potatoes, Savoury Rice, Biscuits, Breakfast cereal, Super Noodles, Tinned Fruit/Custard/ Rice, Diluting Juice, Coffee/Tea bags. All donations can be left in our food trolley in the Main Corridor.

You're Welcome -Clothing & Home Bank – opening times: Wed 1-3; Fri 10-12. Please see the notice in the Main Corridor for a list of current needs.

Christians Against Poverty (CAP) – providing free debt counselling and advice. If you are interested in becoming a volunteer or would like to find out more please contact Billy Watson on 07842336167

Home Comforts - Along with the usual items which are donated to Home Comforts - cleaning items and toiletries, the charity have requested that we concentrate on **BRILLO PADS** (doesn't have to be brand name ones) and **BLACK BIN BAGS**. Many thanks for your continuing support for Home Comforts.

Boxes and food trolley are in the main corridor and are clearly labelled –
Thank You for your support of ViewCare.

We have a donation page that will support **ViewCare** services. If you would like to support us by donation please visit:

www.neighbourly.com and search for **ViewCare Project**

If you have any queries about ViewCare please contact Debbie Wilson:
Debbie.Wilson@viewparkparishchurch.org.uk or 07754275506

World Mission Stamp Appeal – The 2019 Stamp Appeal will support the Chigodi Women Centre in Blantyre Malawi. Please continue to bring your used stamps and put them in the **"STAMPS"** box in the Main Corridor.

Freewill Offering - If you would like to have Freewill Offering envelopes please speak to Jacqui Clements or phone her on 0775-801-5752.

View21 (Blue) Envelopes – If anyone would like to make regular contributions to the View21 Fund please contact Robert House on 817827

Weekly Rotas –
Flower Delivery TODAY:
Flower Arranging December

Lesley Watson
Una Alexander

Next Week – 22nd December

Door / Collection: M Aitchison, U Alexander / A Lochrie, J Macaulay
Tea Rota: M Bain, A McKee
Flower Delivery: Claire Brogan



Thought for the Week – The third Advent Candle is the **Shepherd Candle** or the **Candle of Joy**. The Angels sang a message of JOY!
Luke 2:7-15

JOY!

Always be full of joy in the Lord. I say it again—rejoice!

Phillippians 4:4

Daily Bible Readings



Sun	Dec-15	Isaiah 3:1-10
Mon	Dec-16	2 Chronicles 26:1-23
Tue	Dec-17	2 Chronicles 28:1-8
Wed	Dec-18	2 Chronicles 28:16-26
Thu	Dec-19	Isaiah 7:1-16
Fri	Dec-20	Isaiah 7:17–8.10
Sat	Dec-21	Isaiah 8:11–9.1a
Sun	Dec-22	Matthew 1:18-25

Contact the Minister – (*in confidence*)

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