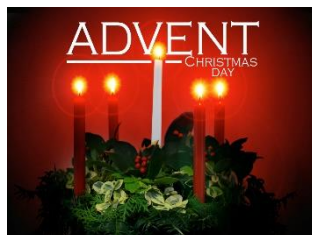
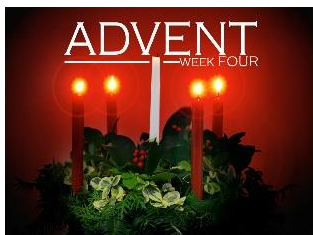


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Loving God and loving our neighbours

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A BLESSED & HAPPY CHRISTMAS TO ALL

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THIS WEEK & NEXT WEEEEK

Our services are at 10.30am unless otherwise notified.

Sun Club meets on the 2nd, 4th & 5th Sundays of the month during term time.

Sunday 21 December : 4th Sunday in Advent

Michale Noble

Service in the main hall

Monday 22 December

Table Tennis 10am

Tuesday 23 December

Prayer Time 9.30am (Room 1)

Christingle Making 11am (hall)

Wednesday 24 December

4pm Christingle Service

Collection in aid of Action for Children

Thursday 25 December

10.30am Christmas Day Service of Celebration

for all the family led by Viv Pitts

Please bring a present you have opened.

The collection will be in aid of Action for Children

Sunday 28 December

United Service led by Lindsey Hurst

We welcome our friends from Hawksworth, Guiseley & Yeadon

Monday 29 December

Table Tennis 10am

Tuesday 30 December

Prayer Time 9.30am (Room 1)

Friday 2 January

Friday Friendship Group 2pm

Friday Club Christmas Party 4pm

Sunday 4 January

Café Church

Local Arrangement

CHRISTINGLE MAKING

Help required for making up the Christingles on **Tuesday 23 December at 11am** in the main hall. Please invite family & friends to our Christingle Service on **Wednesday 24 December at 4pm**. Please come early if you wish to make your own Christingle.

PASTORAL

Roger Bareham's funeral service will take place on Friday 9 January at 12 noon at The Bridge Church Otley.

TUESDAY MORNING PRAYER GROUP

This informal group meets on a Tuesday morning at 9.30am in Room 1 to pray for people, events and situations locally and worldwide, which are of concern.

FIRE EVACUATION PRACTICE

it is a legal requirement that we hold a fire drill at least once a year. If this happens during a service, the congregation must leave the premises immediately as directed by the stewards (leaving all belongings behind) and gather either in the garden area (if exiting through the front doors or Cornerstone), or the car park if existing through the rear or side doors. Be prepared!

BREATHE

The first Breathe of 2026 will take place on Wednesday 14 January at 7.30pm in Cornerstone.

CONNECT GROUPS

Monday 5 January at 7.30pm (Room 1)

Tuesday at 2.30pm (Cornerstone) tbc

MEMORY CAFÉ

Memory Café for those with memory loss, together with a family member, carer or friend, are welcome to the Memory Café in Cornerstone on

Wednesday 7 January 2026 from 10am to 12 noon. Refreshments, activities and support available. Drop in any time during the morning.

VIVACE

Vivace Youth Choir (aged 8+) meets in the church at 6.15pm during term time.

FRIDAY FRIENDSHIP GROUP

Friday Friendship Group meetings resume on Friday 2 January at 2pm.

WEDNESDAY GROUP

The group meets on the first Wednesday of the month and will resume after Christmas on Wednesday 7 January 2026. All ladies welcome. £2 per meeting.

SUN CLUB

Sun Club for young people usually meets on the 2nd, 4th & 5th Sundays of the month during term time.

FRIDAY CLUB

The Friday Club Christmas Party for 7 to 13 year olds will take place on Friday 2 January from 4pm to 6pm

SATURDAY CORNERSTONE

Due to a shortage of volunteers able to work over lunchtime, Cornerstone will now close at 12noon on Saturdays (last orders 11.45am). The breakfast menu only will be served.

CORNERSTONE OPENING HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9.30am to 1.30pm

Saturday 9.30am to 12 noon

(Closed Wednesday & Sunday)

SEE OVER FOR CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR OPENING TIMES



CORNERSTONE
Community Café



<u>CORNERSTONE</u>	
<u>Christmas Opening Times</u>	
Christmas Eve	CLOSED
Christmas Day	CLOSED
Boxing Day	CLOSED
Saturday 27 th	10 – 12
Sunday 28 th	CLOSED
Monday 29 th	Normal hours
Tuesday 30 th	Normal hours
New Years Eve	CLOSED
New Years Day	10 – 12*
<i>*Drinks & Snacks only</i>	

Christmas ... More than a word



Items for inclusion in the Church weekly notices and email should be given to
 Jalna (07814 518778) or emailed to: menstonmethodist@btconnect.com
 by Thursday morning.