



**Dereham Baptist Church**



**Sunday 12th November 2023**

9.30am Service

10am Fishes Sunday - Toftwood

10.50 Join with the Town at the War Memorial

6.30pm Worship Room



The sermons are on the DBC YouTube channel, on the DBC Facebook page, on the website under 'downloads' and on the phone line 01362 709389.

If you are new to the congregation and would like to receive regular emails, please email [julie@derehambaptist.org](mailto:julie@derehambaptist.org) and you will be sent a link to join 'Churchsuite'

# What's on This Week?

<p>Monday</p> <p>Nigel on retreat</p>	<p>4Cs Counselling upstairs 9-1</p> <p>U3A Table Tennis 10-1</p>		<p>Leadership meeting 7pm</p>
<p>Tuesday</p> <p>Nigel on retreat</p>	<p>Community lunch prep</p>	<p>Community lunch 12-2</p>	<p><b>Alpha at Wellspring 7pm</b></p>
<p>Wednesday</p> <p>Dave at Youth Leader's Retreat</p> <p>Nigel on retreat</p>	<p><i>Little Fishes Toftwood 9am</i></p> <p><b>The Ark Toddler Group 9.30-11.30am</b></p>	<p>U3A History 2-4pm</p>	
<p>Thursday</p> <p>Nigel on retreat</p> <p>Dave at Youth Leader's Retreat</p>			
<p>Friday</p> <p>Nigel on retreat</p> <p>Dave's day off</p>	<p><b>Coffee Shop 10-1</b></p> <p><i>Christmas market event in Ellenor Fenn Garden</i></p>		
<p>Saturday</p> <p>Nigel on retreat</p>	<p><b>Kidz Klub at DBC</b></p> <p><i>Christmas market event in Ellenor Fenn Garden</i></p>		<p>Portuguese Speaking Service 6pm</p>
<p>Sunday</p>	<p>10.30am service Testimony Service</p>	<p>Newcomers' Lunch</p>	<p><b>Prayer for CAP (Google Meet)</b></p>

## Dates for your Diary

**Testimony Service** 19th November

**Toy Service** 26th November - new toys only please

**Dereham Lights event - Nativity Booth and Community Carols**  
26th November

**Ladies Christmas Social** **5th December** 6.30pm DBC (*see overleaf*)

**Men's Christmas Social** 6th December 7pm (*see overleaf*)

**Wreath Festival** 7-8th December 10am-4pm,

Saturday 9th December 10am -2pm

**Fishes Sunday Big Nativity** 10th December 10am

**Carols by Candlelight** 17th December 6pm

**All Age Christmas Celebration** 24th December 10.30am

**Christmas Day Service** 25th December 10am

**First Aid Refresher** Saturday 13th January 2024 10-12 please book in

<https://derehambaptist.churchsuite.com/events/cmcpctxy>

### **Volunteers are needed for the Wreath Festival:**

To organise the refreshments for Thursday 7th December

To do a Christmas children's craft table to make paper plate wreaths.

To be Welcomers, welcoming the people attending the Wreath Festival

Please let Lyn Milns know if you can help.

### **Volunteers will be needed for the Nativity Photo Booth on**

**26th November** - see sign up sheet in the back hall or on Churchsuite

<https://derehambaptist.churchsuite.com/events/zohozvtj>

### **Community Carols 26th November:**

To hand out carol sheets to the community

To help lead the carols from the stage (a few people)

**141 shoeboxes** were filled for Blythswood Care Shoebox Appeal!

Thank you to everyone who contributed to our Harvest appeal. This enabled us to send **£385.00** to Operation Agri.

What an amazing and generous Church you are. ... Ian G

We will be using Steve Brady's 'The Incredible Journey' as our Advent book this year and books will be still available at church today, for a **£5 donation** (envelope inside book)

### **Ladies Christmas Social**

Join us for a fun evening on Tuesday 5th December 2023 at Dereham Baptist Church@ 6.30pm

Come join in with Christmas craft, Secret Santa – bring a gift no more than £5, festive games and buffet food – bring a festive dish to share.

Please book by **25th November** by emailing [julie@derehambaptist.org](mailto:julie@derehambaptist.org)

On Wednesday 6th December at 7pm, the men's group are having their Christmas meal at the Gemini! We'd love to get as many men there as possible to celebrate, so if you're interested in coming, please email Matt R ([matt.rogers@derehambaptist.org](mailto:matt.rogers@derehambaptist.org)) to book in!

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