

### December Events to put in your diary.

**Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> Dec** – End-of-year feedback form submission deadline

**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> Dec** – Carols by Candlelight at 4pm. All Welcome

### Future Events to put in your diary (2026)

**Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> Jan** Faith Lunch & Prayer

**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> Jan** Covenant Service at 10:30am

**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> Jan** Prayer meeting at 2pm in the prayer room

**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> Jan** Church Members Meeting (AGM) after the Church Service. Members Only

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> Jan** Prayer meeting at 8pm in the East Hall

**Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> Jan** House Group – 3pm at Anthony & Barbara's  
-- 8pm at John & Ann's

**Christmas** – will soon be upon us! So why not check out the BMS Christmas Cards in the BMS shop or online at <http://www.bmsshop.org> new designs are available now and each card comes with a verse from the bible.



**Church Christmas Card** – Once again you have the opportunity to put your Christmas greeting to friends at KBC into a shared card that will be given out prior to Christmas. All we ask is that you donate the money you save from buying Christmas cards for your friends at KBC to the Mother Janet School & Orphanage in Uganda. If you wish to participate, please give your written greeting and donation to Ann (cheques made payable to Kenton Baptist Church) on or before 7<sup>th</sup> December. All donations will then be forwarded to the orphanage. Thank you.



**Individual Christmas Cards** – If you wish to give individual Christmas cards to people in the fellowship at KBC there will again be baskets in the foyer for our cards. Please do not leave cards for people who have moved away or stopped attending as sadly they will not be delivered! Remember also to check for & remove any cards for yourself!



**St Lukes Hospice** – Any willing proficient singers who can sing four-part harmonies are invited to take part in the Christmas carols at the hospice on Tuesday 16th December, 5.00-5.30pm. Please contact Rev'd Richard Norman on T: 020 8907 2914 M: 07752 732 324.



## KENTON BAPTIST CHURCH

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Check out our website by scanning the QR code on your mobile phone



We give everyone a warm welcome to our services today.

## NOTICE SHEET – DECEMBER 2025



### Minister

Rev. Steve Cochrane  
**0203 601 0098**

### Church Secretary

Karen Hogge  
**c/o 020 8907 7494**



### CHRISTMAS SERVICE DATES

<b>7<sup>TH</sup> December</b>	10:30am	Rev. Steve Cochrane
<b>14<sup>th</sup> December</b>	10:30am	Rev. Steve Cochrane
<b>21<sup>st</sup> December</b>	10:30am	Rev. Steve Cochrane – All Age Service
	4:00pm	Carols by Candlelight
<b>24<sup>th</sup> December</b>	11:15pm	Rev. Steve Cochrane – Midnight Communion Service
<b>25<sup>th</sup> December</b>	10:30am	Rev. Steve Cochrane – Christmas Day Service
<b>28<sup>th</sup> December</b>	10:30am	Service led by Deacons

Please stay for tea and coffee in the Youth Hall after the morning service.

If you are visiting, we are especially glad to welcome you.

Please make yourself known to us.

The Welcome Team have a Welcome Pack for first time visitors.

Our Church operates a 'loop' system for those with hearing aids.

Should you require a drink of water during the service, there is a water dispenser in the foyer.

# DECEMBER CHURCH SERVICES



## Theme for the Advent Series: "Make Room"

Advent invites us on a journey of preparation — not just for a date on the calendar, but for an encounter with Christ. This year, our theme “Make Room” leads us from the very first Sunday, where we clear space in our hearts, through the call to make room in our lives, our relationships, and our joy. Each week opens a different door where Christ longs to dwell more deeply. And on Christmas Day, we arrive at the great invitation — God has made room for us, and now we joyfully make room for Him. From then on, it's about how we continue making room for Christ.



**7 December – Make Room in Your Life**

**14 December – Make Room in Your Relationships**

**21 December (Morning) – Make Room for Joy**

**21 December – Candlelight Service**

**The Light Has Come: "The darkness cannot win – the Light has come."**

**24 December – Midnight Communion - Room in the Night**

**25 December – Christmas Day**

**Room at the Table: "God has made room for you – come to the table."**

**28 December – Make Room for the Ongoing Journey**

**"Christmas is the beginning – keep making room."**



**Thursday, December 18th – Neva Evans' Celebration of Life** will take place at KBC at 10:30 am, followed by a family only farewell at Breakspear Crematorium at 1:00 pm.

Refreshments will be served at KBC at 2:00 pm.



<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>10.30am</b>	<b>MORNING SERVICE</b> New Beginnings (Ages 4yrs+) will leave during the service for their activities
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>2:00pm</b>	<b>SENIOR ADULTS CLUB</b>
<b>December 1<sup>st</sup></b>		<b>Carol Service – All Welcome</b>
<b>8<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>NO MEETING</b>
<b>TUESDAY 9<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>Christmas Meal</b> (Return after Christmas on 12/01/26)
<b>TUESDAY 9<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>6:30pm</b>	<b>SWASHBUCKLERS Boys' Club</b> (Return after Christmas on 13/01/26)
<b>WEDNESDAY 10<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>10:00am</b>	<b>TODDLERS &amp; Co Christmas Party/End of Term</b> (Return after Christmas on 14/01/26)

**Creche** – If you require this facility, please speak to a member of the welcome team.



**Senior Adults Club** – SAC enjoy Film Afternoons and would appreciate any DVD's that are no longer wanted. Please donate any you feel they would enjoy by leaving them in the church office or handing them to Murline, Pam or Janice W. Thank you.



**Church Flowers** -- 14<sup>th</sup> December, Flowers donated by Dorothy Davies in memory of her son Mark.

