



Hebron News Update

13th December

On Sunday morning Willie will be preaching in our Advent series and we'll be sharing in the Lord's Supper together (note the change in alternate Sundays for this due to the Carol Service and the Nativity Play.)

Sunday School, Bible Class and creche will meet in their usual slots during the second part of the morning service. The children will be preparing for the Nativity Play which takes place on the 22nd. Don't worry if your children will not be there on the 22nd, there are activities they can join in with this week.

In the evening at 6.30pm, we have our Christmas Carol Service to which all are warmly invited and encouraged to bring friends and family. Mince pies and hot drinks will be served in the hall after the service.

Remember that you can join us earlier in the day as we have our Sunday Morning Prayer time at 10.30am, through in the side hall, with tea and coffee being served from 10.

Monday Club will run in its usual slot this week but all other mid-week groups have finished for the Christmas break.

There are still streets around Hebron which have not had a John's gospel delivered to them by the Love Aberdeen project. We have a large supply of the gospels in Hebron and would encourage everyone to take a few to deliver. You can check online which streets and homes are still waiting using the [loveaberdeensprayerwalk.app](https://loveaberdeensprayerwalk.org.uk)

The Gospels are available to pick up from the church on Sunday, though you may have to add the stickers to the backs of them!

Diary Dates:

A reminder of our Christmas dates for your diary and your prayers:

- Christmas Carol Service on Sunday 15th December at 6.30pm
- Nativity Service on Sunday 22nd December at 11am
- Sunday evening service on 22nd at 6.30pm
- Christmas Day Service on Wednesday 25th December at 11am
- Sunday morning service on 29th at 11am.

We hope you are enjoying following along with the Sunday School and The Biggest Story in our Online Advent Calendar. You can find it on our website under Christmas 2024, on the church app under What's On or go straight to the link here: www.hebronaberdeen.org.uk/christmas

After Christmas we will be running the Hope Explored course, on three Thursdays from 16th January. Please

be thinking and praying about who you could invite to come along to the course where they can find out more about the Hope we will talk and sing about at our Christmas events.

The Somebody Cares Reverse Advent Calendar will be distributed to those in need in our city in the next couple of weeks. If you have anything to donate to it you can add to the collection box in the foyer this Sunday at the latest.

If anyone would like to send a Christmas Card to the church, rather than to lots of individuals, you can pop your card in the Hope Explored post box and we'll add it to the string in the big windows where everyone can read them.

Ladies who went along to the Christmas Ceramics evening in November – your creations are ready to collect! They are in the foyer for you to pick up on Sunday morning. If you won't be there and need us to put yours aside, or to deliver to you next week, please just reply to this email.

Do have a look in the foyer at the new decorations on our Christmas Tree - there are some lovely white decorations with names on the back. Each child in our Sunday School and Creche is named there and we look forward to adding three more before the tree comes down in January! Please pray for Rufina and Shayo, Meg and Jared, Hannah and Peter as they await the arrival of new little ones this month.



North East Christian Youth Camps booking forms are now open for next year. Junior camps are for those going into P5 in August, up to those going into S1. Senior camps are for S2-S6.

Dates for 2025 are:

Senior WEEKEND Camp - Friday 7th - Monday 10th February 2025.

Junior WEEKEND Camp - Friday 2nd - Monday 5th May 2025.

Senior Summer Camp - Saturday 19th - Friday 25th July 2025.

Junior Summer Camp - Saturday 26th July - Friday 1st August 2025.

You can book spaces at <https://cyc-camps.com/>

Every Blessing,

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