



Hebron News Update

21st December 24

Tomorrow morning is our Sunday School Nativity Play, and Jonny will be giving a short message after the children have presented the Nativity, while the children pop downstairs to get changed out of costume.

Please could all who are taking part in the play arrive nice and early to get ready!

In the evening at 6.30pm, we have a service of Carols and Readings which will include communion.

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.

Our mid-week groups have finished for the Christmas break – most will return in the week of 12th January but Thursday's Baby and Toddler group will start up on the 9th.

Mainly Music has lost a few volunteers for the next rota due to changes in schedule for some of our team who have been serving for a long time. We are so grateful for the time they have given to help in this ministry over recent years! To make it possible to continue we are looking for some more help on the snack rota on Tuesdays at 1pm. If you would like to get involved, or find out more about it, please reply to this email or speak to Joanna, Fiona or Sally.

Diary Dates:

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

- 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.

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.

Give thanks with Shayo and Rufina Olukoya, and big brother Seth for the **safe arrival of baby Noah** on Thursday the 19th December! All are doing well. Continue to remember them in prayer as they recover and settle in at home. Pray too for Hannah and for Meg as they anticipate babies arriving in the coming days.

Looking ahead, on Wednesday 5th February at 7.45-9.30pm, Hebron is hosting a parenting event with Faith In Kids entitled "**Raising Confident Kids in a Confusing World.**" The blurb they provide says the evening will be "perfect for parents at every stage of family life, from birth through to the teenage years, as well as for grandparents, leaders and anyone else who wants to be part of the wonderful challenge of raising children to lead flourishing lives for Christ."

There's a booking form online at <https://www.tickettailor.com/events/faithinkids/1333502>

Every Blessing,

