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Sunday 1st December 2019

A warm welcome to Turners Hill Free Church, we're glad you joined us! We hope you enjoy this opportunity to connect with God today as we worship together.

starting**POINT** ▶

- ❖ We meet at 10am in the hall behind to pray before the service.
- ❖ Our service starts at 10:30am and finishes around 12:30pm
- ❖ An optional children's program and creche is provided. Children stay in the service for the first part and can leave when invited for Sunday School before the start of the preaching.
- ❖ There is opportunity for prayer/ministry after the service.
Please join us for Tea and coffee in the church hall after the service!

The First Sunday of Advent:

Advent is an important part of the Christian calendar. It means 'coming' and it's the period before Christmas which celebrates the birth of Jesus. It is all about preparing for Christmas Day. Advent starts on the Sunday nearest to 30 November.

Readings: Isaiah 2:1-5; Psalm 122; Romans 13:11-14; Matthew 24:36-44

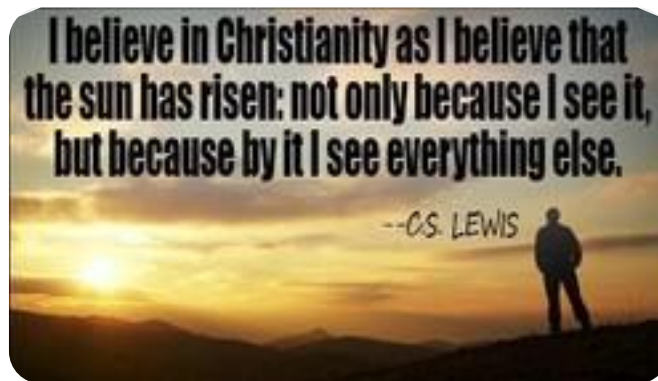
Today's Service Leader: Murray Hatton

Today's Preacher: Sam Ward

Turners Hill Free Church

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Regular Weekly Events

SUNDAY

Church Service, 10:30am

MONDAY

Ladies' Prayer Meeting, 10am

TUESDAY

Little Angels, 10am

WEDNESDAY

Prayer Meeting, 7:30pm

Regular Monthly Events

Community Lunch – usually the last Friday of each month

Agape Lunch – second Sunday of the month

We are currently reorganising **homegroups**. Please speak to Geoff if you are interested.

LET US THEN THROW OFF
THE WORKS OF DARKNESS AND
put on the armor of light.
ROMANS 13:12

Upcoming Special Events:

Community Christmas Meal – 13/12 @ 12:30pm

The Community Christmas Lunch this month

Agape Christmas Meal – 15/12 After the service

Christmas meal following the service. All welcome.

Crib Service – 18/12 @ 3:30-4:30pm

Tickets are available for free on the church website. This is to help plan for the number of children attending.

Carol Service – 22/12 @ 6:30pm

Venue: St Leonards on Turners Hill Road
An evening service with Christmas carols. All welcome.

Christmas Day – 25/12 @ 10:30am

All are welcome to join our family worship service for Christmas Day.

Gilgal Trip – February 2020

See Geoff for details

Life in the Spirit Conference – 24th - 27th Feb 2020

Connexion Conference – 14th -16th April 2020

Church Camp – 28th -31st August 2020

Venue: Heaven Farm, Uckfield, East Sussex.
There is a sign-up sheet on community notice board in hall. (The sign-up deadline is the 31st January 2020)

POINTS of note

- ❖ Car Parking: Please note that the church parking is reserved for disabled parking. Additional parking is available at the school.
- ❖ Please remember to sign up for the email contact list and complete the GDPR form. See Mark Taylor for details.
- ❖ A children's Christmas Movie is being shown today after the service in the church hall. All children (young and old) are welcome.
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CLASSIFIED POINTS

This is a space to share any community classified points for the benefit of the church community. If you looking to rent a room, hire someone to help in your garden, have a fridge to give away/sell then this is the place to let the church community know about it.

If you have anything to add to this newsletter please email: notices@thfchurch.org

To hire the hall please check the church website www.thfchurch.org for details

A Bible reading plan for the first week of Advent

Monday, December 2, 2019: Psalm 124; Genesis 8:1-19; Romans 6:1-11

Tuesday, December 3, 2019: Psalm 124; Genesis 9:1-17; Hebrews 11:32-40

Wednesday, December 4, 2019: Psalm 124; Isaiah 54:1-10; Matthew 24:23-35

Thursday, December 5, 2019: Psalm 72:1-7, 18-19; Isaiah 4:2-6; Acts 1:12-17, 21-26

Friday, December 6, 2019: Psalm 72:1-7, 18-19; Isaiah 30:19-26; Acts 13:16-25

Saturday, December 7, 2019: Psalm 72:1-7, 18-19; Isaiah 40:1-11; John 1:19-28

contactPOINTS

Pastor: Geoff Chapman (+44 7729384340)

Elders: Andy Sweetman, Nick Harding,
Murray Hatton, Matt Lake, Mark Taylor

Children's Ministry: Murray Hatton

Worship Music team: Hannah Taylor

Acting Building Manager: Ray Foster

Décor Team: Ellie Lake

Ladies' prayer chain: Sarah Ashmore

Men's prayer chain: Andrew Welham

Newsletter submission: email
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December						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Christmas Movies after the service	2 10am Ladies Prayer	3 10am Little Angels	4 7:30pm Prayer	5	6	7
8 Christmas Movies after the service	9 10am Ladies Prayer	10 10am Little Angels	11 7:30pm Prayer	12	13 12 for 12:30pm Community Christmas Lunch	14
15 Agape Christmas Meal after the service	16 10am Ladies Prayer	17 10am Little Angels	18 3:30-4:30pm Crib service 7:30pm Prayer	19	20	21
22 6:30pm Carol Service	23	24	25 10:30am Christmas Day Service	26	27	28
29	30	31				

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DATE	Welcome	Comp	Sound	Tea & Coffee	RS Lead	Pebbles
1/12	Ray & Cathy	Angela	Chris	Will & Lucy	Jo K, Andy Sw & Tina	Becca & Chris (Taylor)
8/12	Dave	Malcolm	Karen	Ray & Cathy	Murray, Becca & Jenny	Jo A & Sam (Sarah)
15/12	Kwai & Stewart	Mick L	Nick	Crawley Down HG	Tom, Karen & Andrew W	Jo A & Sarah H
22/12am	?	Angela	Chris	Murray & Kate	Jo K, Andy Sw & Tina	Lozzie & Ellie
22/12pm	Ray & Cathy	Jo K	?	Evening Carol Service		
25/12	Dave	Malcolm	Karen	Christmas Day Service		
29/12	Kwai & Stewart	Mick L	Hannah	Graham & Chris	Murray, Becca & Jenny	Lake