

CHRISTMAS EVE at ST PETER'S  
 HASCOMBE As always on Christmas Eve at 4pm we like to begin our Christmas with a retelling of the Christmas story with the help of as many people from the village as possible. Please come and help us again this year, young and old alike, we would like to have as many people as possible involved in one way or another. We have children's costumes which can be borrowed for the event. What we do need however, is to know who is going to be able to come, who would like to read or even sing, play some of the carols on any musical instrument at all, work the computer for us or even take care of some of the younger children. Let's make Christmas Eve 2025 special. The shops will largely be shut by 4pm, so just leave everything behind and come and remember why Christmas happens at all! If you need to know more, please ring or e mail Sandy on 01483 208329  
[hascombechurchsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:hascombechurchsecretary@gmail.com)

### FRIENDS OF HASCOMBE Please

**note** that there will be no coffee morning in January 2026 so the first one in the New Year will be 3rd February. Hascombe won back the Skittles Cup from Dunsfold at the Winn Hall last month. After losing last year's match narrowly by 7 points Hascombe turned the tables on Dunsfold with a 9-point victory. The lead changed hands in each of the 4 rounds with little to choose between each team of 16, the final score being 322 to 313. Many thanks to Dunsfold hosts John World and Alistair Bentall and especially to all those who prepared the excellent buffet. We all look forward to locking horns again in 2026. The all-important Skittles Cup, which had been on display in the Sun for the past year, can now be seen at the White Horse!

**Welcome to St. Peter's. We hope you will come again.**

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Pew Slip - we like to keep the Pew Slip as up to date and informative as possible. Please let Colin Swait (01483 425380) know by the middle of the week (or in his absence, Anne Eve - Tel:208497) if there are any items you would like to be included.

### Giving to the Work of the Church

By using (and completing) one of our gift envelopes, the value of your contribution is increased by 25p for every £1 given (if you are a standard rate taxpayer). The parish is dependent, solely on the offerings of the congregation for its day-to-day running. If you would like to know details of how to give regularly, please speak to the Treasurer, Richard Adams (07903900139)

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**ST PETER'S, HASCOMBE**  
**Sunday 14 December<sup>3rd</sup> Sunday of Advent**

8.00 a.m. Holy Communion in Hascombe

***Reverend Canon Shane Griffiths presiding***

10.00 am Carol Service at Dunsfold

6.00 pm Carol Service at Hascombe

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### Collect

O Lord Jesus Christ,  
 who at your first coming sent your messenger  
 to prepare your way before you:  
 grant that the ministers and stewards of your  
 mysteries  
 may likewise so prepare and make ready your  
 way  
 by turning the hearts of the disobedient to the  
 wisdom of the just,  
 that at your second coming to judge the world  
 we may be found an acceptable people in your  
 sight;  
 for you are alive and reign with the Father  
 in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
 one God, now and for ever. Amen

## 8.00 Joint Holy Communion READINGS

**Epistle:** 1 Corinthians 4.1-5  
**Gospel:** Matthew 11.2-10

**Carols as per sheet**

***We pray for those who are ill, and those who care for them.***

*Jacque Griffiths, Sheila Jones, Stacey Medalyer, Sandra Baxter- Brown, Trish Fleetwood, Christine Miles, Mark Knott, , Jacky Williams, Nick. Marilyn Bailey, James Field, Hazel Wiltshire, & Cindy Kennedy*

***We pray for those who have died** and for those whose anniversaries occur during this coming week. May all who miss them, be comforted, and strengthened by the Peace of God.*

*Isabella Morrow, Kay Allen, Henry Blagden, Mary Vass, Leonora Barnett, Valerie West, Mary Botting, Eva Worthington, Desmond Allen, Charles Sadler, Mary Glazier, Carol Harris, Florence Glazier, Douglas Ferris, James Dewdney, Sally Bailey, John Crostwaite, & Frederick Buck.*



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## SERVICES IN DECEMBER

### Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> December 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Advent

8.00 a.m. Holy Communion in Hascombe  
10.00 a.m. Carol Service in Dunsfold  
6.00 p.m. Carol Service in Hascombe  
**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> December 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Advent**  
10.00 am Joint Parish Communion at Dunsfold

### Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> December Christmas Eve

4.00 p.m. Crib Service both at Hascombe and Dunsfold  
11.30 p.m. Midnight Mass in Hascombe  
11.30 p.m. Midnight Mass in Dunsfold

### Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> December Christmas Day

10.00 a.m. Parish Communion at Dunsfold  
10.00 a.m. Service of the word at Hascombe

### Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> December - 1st Sunday of Christmas

10.00 am Joint Parish Communion at Hascombe

### Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> January - 2nd Sunday of Christmas

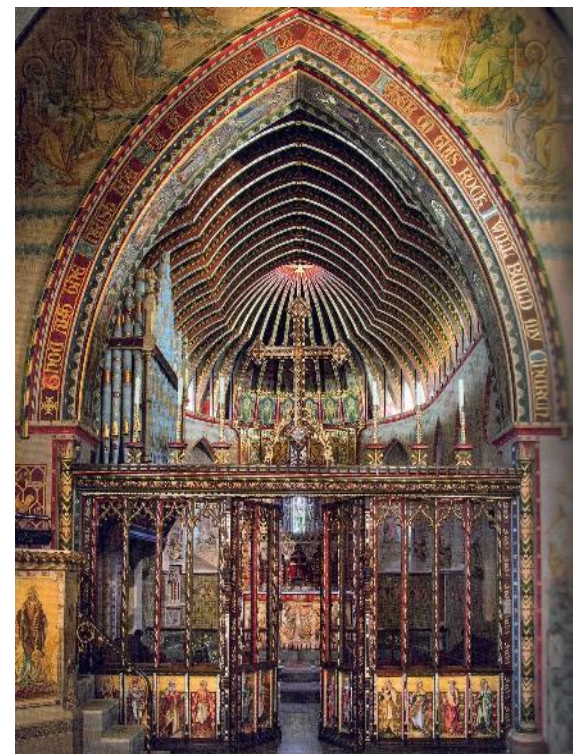
10.00 am Joint Parish Communion at Dunsfold

### Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> January - Our Lady of Walsingham

9.30 am Holy Communion in Hascombe

### Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> January - Baptism of Christ – 1st of Epiphany

10.00 am Parish Communion at Hascombe  
10.00 am Café Church at Dunsfold



ST PETER'S CHURCH, HASCOMBE

*Vibrant Victorian visual inventiveness*

As featured in Director's Choice -Churches of the Church of England, published in 2016 and a copy left for us on 11<sup>th</sup> October 2025 by the author, Janet Gough

## Post Communion

We give you thanks, O Lord, for these heavenly gifts;  
kindle in us the fire of your Spirit  
that when your Christ comes again  
we may shine as lights before his face;  
who is alive and reigns now and for ever. Amen.