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HOLY TRINITY CHURCH - KIRTON

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FESTIVE GATHERING:

There will be a Festive Gathering at Kirton Hall Farm, on Sunday, December 15th, at 1.30 PM !!!! (not AM as stated in November Newsletter - Apologies !!). This is a lovely festive occasion, with a light buffet lunch, mulled-wine, mince-pies and carols round the log fire. ENTRY - £3 We are so fortunate in Kirton, to enjoy the talents of several local, (and not so local) musicians, who give their time so generously for our entertainment at this occasion. Thank you musicians - you are always much appreciated!

There will be a Raffle - and the 3rd draw of the 100 club will also take place at this event.

Please join us and get yourselves into the Christmas spirit!

Everybody very welcome to come and join the fun!

CAROL-SINGING:

The Carol-Singers, plus John Middleton on his violin, will be carolling round the village, on Monday, December 23rd - meeting at the village Christmas tree at 6pm.

Everyone welcome to join us - please come along, bringing bells and jingles - and wearing any silly Christmas outfits you possess! Come on Lylah!

Please give generously - the money collected will go to the 'Children's Society

CHRISTMAS SERVICES:

ADVENT WREATH SERVICE:

Please note that there will be no service at Kirton on the first Sunday in December. Instead, the service will take place at Laxton on Sunday, December 1st at 10.30am. Kirton will take its Advent Wreath (made by June Nunn - thank you June!) to Laxton to be blessed, after which, it will be returned to Kirton for the rest of the Christmas season.

THE CHRISTINGLE SERVICE

This will take place on Christmas Eve at Kirton - 4pm. This is a magical service, especially for the children, who carry their Christingle Oranges up to the altar, and sing 'Away in a Manger' by candlelight. Always very hard not to shed a tear!

All donations from this service go to the 'Children's Society, so please dig deep! CHRISTMAS DAY SERVICE:

There is no service at Kirton on Christmas Day. Please look overleaf for alternative venues

CHURCH OF 'OUR LADY OF EGMANTON 'ADVENT CAROL SERVICE;

The Society of our Lady of Egmanton will be hosting an Advent Carol Service by candlelight, on Sunday, December 8th at 4 pm, followed by festive mince-pies and sherry.

All very welcome to attend this event!

'A CHRISTMAS CAROL' - STORYTELLING;

An appointment with Charles Dickens, when storyteller, Alistair Littlewood reads selections from this literary favourite - with traditional Carol singing and behind the scenes stories of how Dickens came to write his seasonal masterpiece.

Sunday, December 1st, at Clumber Chapel - 3pm.

Or, Saturday, December 14th at St Paulinus Church - 7pm - followed by refreshments Tickets - £5

HAPPY CHRISTMAS EVERYBODY!